

Tim Guerrette for Supervisor of Elections

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Collier County, November, 15, 2023 - Tim Guerrette, a candidate running for the position of Collier County Supervisor of Elections and prior Chief of Operations at the Collier County Sheriff's Office along with local Physician, Dr. Paul Hobaica and (Ret.) NYPD Chief Mike Marino - Trace-ID, are taking proactive steps towards ensuring the safety of election office staff and poll workers. In response to recent incidents of suspicious mail containing hazardous substances, including fentanyl, reported in various election offices across five states - Washington, Oregon, California, Nevada, and Georgia - Guerrette's team has offered to provide safety kits to the Collier Supervisor of Elections office.

The safety kits proposed by Guerrette, Hobaica and Marino will equip the election office staff and poll workers with the necessary tools to offer immediate emergency care in case of exposure to hazardous substances. Fentanyl, a powerful synthetic opioid, poses a significant risk to public health, and it is crucial to prioritize the safety and well-being of those working diligently to uphold the integrity of our elections.

Guerrette and his team believe that the responsibility of safeguarding our electoral process goes beyond ensuring smooth operations on election day. It also includes taking proactive steps to protect the dedicated individuals who work tirelessly to make our or elections thrive. By providing safety kits, Guerrette's team aims to empower election office staff and poll workers with the means to respond swiftly and effectively in emergency situations.

"Ensuring the safety of our election office staff and poll workers should be a top priority," said Tim Guerrette. "By providing these safety kits, we can offer immediate assistance in case of exposure to hazardous substances, such as fentanyl. It is our duty to protect those who play a vital role in maintaining the integrity of our elections. Without a doubt, we have a criminal element that is looking to disrupt our elections. We must remain diligent and proactive".

Guerrette's commitment to the well-being of election office staff and poll workers demonstrates his dedication to fostering a secure and transparent electoral process. By taking proactive measures, he aims to set a precedent to prioritize the safety of those involved in elections.

For more information about Tim Guerrette's campaign and his commitment to ensuring SAFE | SECURE | ETHICAL elections for Collier County and beyond, please visit www.votetimguerrette.com

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