

Monroe A. Miller Jr.
19 Big Spruce Lane
Waynesville, NC 28786
November 5, 2015

Subject: Dialog with Robert Inman, Voter Registration Screw-up.

[**Editors Note:** This dialog contains the name of an individual and family who were nearly disenfranchised, i.e., almost unable to vote in the recent Municipal Election. His name has been replaced by the initials MC.]

The following letter was sent to Robert Inman, Director of Elections for Haywood County on 10/29/2015. That triggered the following e-mail dialog with Inman, Ann Boyd and myself. To date, I have received no acknowledgment from either the local Board of Elections nor the State Board of Elections on this matter that they have received this inquiry / complaint.

Robert Dewey Inman, Director
Haywood County Elections
Waynesville, NC 28786
rinman@haywoodnc.net

Subject: MC's voter registration screw-up.

Mr. Inman,

Today, MC and some of his family members came into your facility to register for Tuesday's election. They thought they had registered already, filling out the voter registration forms at the HCGOP booth with Jeremy Davis at the Haywood County Fair. They came to find out they were not registered, but fortunately, all could register today for Tuesdays election.

Haywood County Elections had a booth set up at the Fairgrounds along a wall, with a very nice wooden ballot box. Evidently, you mentioned to Jeremy Davis at the beginning of the fair that any folks HCGOP signed up each day could be dropped off in the nice wooden ballot box.

When MC recently checked, he was not registered. So now I have a problem. What went wrong? I can only think of two (2) things that could have gone wrong:

- Haywood County Elections protocol is so lax with handling of these new forms that they got lost or stolen; or
- Someone at Haywood County Elections is intentionally throwing Republican registration forms in the trash.

I would like from you a full and complete explanation of why MC and his family members were not registered.

If you have any difficulty coming up with a believable reason for this problem, I will bring this to the attention of the State Board of Elections and make a Federal Case out of this.

In the meanwhile, it was suggested by an individual at NCGOP that we start taking photographs of the registration forms people fill out, so that we can start to track any future voter registration form activity. I understand this practice has already been started.

Monroe A. Miller Jr.
Haywood County Taxpayer

Subject: MC's voter registration screw-up.
Date: Thu, 29 Oct 2015 14:07:09 -0400
From: Monroe Miller
To: Robert Inman <rinman@haywoodnc.net>
CC: Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann , David Williams , Tracy Coward

Please see attached.

Subject: Re: MC's voter registration screw-up. Request #2.

Date: Thu, 29 Oct 2015 17:20:39 -0400

From: Monroe Miller

To: Robert Inman <rinman@haywoodnc.net>

CC: Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann , David Williams , Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris

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Subject: Third Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.

Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 08:57:32 -0400

From: Monroe Miller

To: Robert Inman <rinman@haywoodnc.net>

CC: Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann, David Williams, Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris, Ira Dove <idove@haywoodnc.net>, Chip Killian <CKillian@haywoodnc.net>, Leon Killian <chip.killian@nelsonmullins.com>, Eddie Cabe, Jonnie Cure, Denny King

Mr. Inman,

Please respond (see attached).

In addition, I would like you to run the numbers of all people who were newly registered during and immediately after the Haywood County Fair, to see if those numbers agree with the number of people Jeremy Davis and others had signed up to register at the HCGOP booth at the Haywood County Fair.

Monroe Miller
Haywood County Taxpayer.

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Subject: Re: Forth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.

Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 11:48:33 -0400

From: Monroe Miller

To: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>

CC: Robert Inman <rinman@haywoodnc.net>, Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann , David Williams , Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris, Ira Dove <idove@haywoodnc.net>, Chip Killian <CKillian@haywoodnc.net>, Leon Killian <chip.killian@nelsonmullins.com>, Eddie Cabe, Jonnie Cure, Denny King

Ms. Boyd,

Can you respond to this query? Mr. Inman seems to be on vacation.

Thank you,

Monroe Miller

Haywood County Taxpayer.

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Subject: RE: Forth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.
Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 16:50:04 +0000
From: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>
To: Monroe Miller
CC: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>

Mr. Miller,

I will have your information to you by the end of business day today. At the present time I am doing precinct supply preparation.

Thank you,
Ann Boyd

Haywood County Board of Elections
63 Elmwood Way Suite A
Waynesville, NC 28786
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Fax: 828-356-1126
aboyd@haywoodnc.net

Subject: Re: Forth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.

Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 13:05:25 -0400

From: Monroe Miller

To: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>

CC: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>, Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann , David Williams , Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris, Ira Dove <idove@haywoodnc.net>, Chip Killian <CKillian@haywoodnc.net>, Leon Killian <chip.killian@nelsonmullins.com>, Eddie Cabe, Jonnie Cure, Denny King

Thank you.

Subject: RE: Forth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.
Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 19:07:44 +0000
From: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>
To: Monroe Miller
CC: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>

Mr. Miller,

The number of voter applications turned into HCBOE between the dates of August 26, 2015 through September 8, 2015 is 20. This number only reflects the voter applications coded as "17" which is the SBOE code for applications used in voter registration drives.

In your request you stated "...numbers of all people who were newly registered during and immediately after the Haywood County Fair"; if you were asking for all people who were newly registered during these same dates that would be 96.

Please let me know if this is sufficient.

Thank you,
Ann Boyd

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Subject: Re: Forth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.

Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 15:16:05 -0400

From: Monroe Miller

To: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>

CC: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>, Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann , David Williams , Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris, Ira Dove <idove@haywoodnc.net>, Chip Killian <CKillian@haywoodnc.net>, Leon Killian <chip.killian@nelsonmullins.com>, Eddie Cabe, Jonnie Cure, Denny King

Ms. Boyd,

Thank you for looking up the numbers on this question. I will pass your findings to Jeremy to see how they correlate to what he felt he turned in.

I was really expecting a response to the letter I directed to Robert Inman, who appears to be on vacation. I will re-attach the original letter. That is the primary response I am looking for.

Thanks again...

Monroe Miller
Haywood County Taxpayer.

p.s. Kindly use "Reply All" and it will save me the time of having to add all these people each time.

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Subject: Re: Fifth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.

Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 18:39:50 -0400

From: Monroe Miller

To: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>

CC: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>, Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann , David Williams , Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris, Ira Dove <idove@haywoodnc.net>, Chip Killian <CKillian@haywoodnc.net>, Leon Killian <chip.killian@nelsonmullins.com>, Eddie Cabe, Jonnie Cure, Denny King

Ms. Boyd,

Please send me an Incident Report form.

Thank you,

Monroe Miller

Haywood County Taxpayer.

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Subject: RE: Fifth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.
Date: Sat, 31 Oct 2015 00:25:47 +0000
From: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>
To: Monroe Miller

Mr. Miller

The document you requested is for internal use as designed by NC state board of elections for that purpose; any concerns you may have needs only be written description on simple paper detailing your concerns. Upon receipt by Haywood County board of elections all would of course be given prompt attention. The letter sent by you has been forwarded by me to local board of elections members as well as NC state board of elections administration. As always please feel free to contact NC state board of elections as you may need.

Robert Inman, Director
Haywood County Board of Elections
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Waynesville, NC 28786
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(828) 452-6633

Subject: Re: Fifth Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.
Date: Fri, 30 Oct 2015 20:55:21 -0400
From: Monroe Miller
To: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>
CC: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>, Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann, David Williams, Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris, Ira Dove <idove@haywoodnc.net>, Chip Killian <CKillian@haywoodnc.net>, Leon Killian <chip.killian@nelsonmullins.com>, Eddie Cabe, Jonnie Cure, Denny King

Mr. Inman,

I understand that you have forwarded my letter to the local board of elections members as well as NC state board of elections administration. Whom can I expect to hear feedback from regarding acknowledgment of my letter and the findings of the incident? Who, specifically, is the contact person at the NC state board of elections that I can contact?

I would also like to get a copy of the incident report on this matter. Since I have a copy of a previous incident report on Wanda McCracken, I presume these are public information.

The letter I sent to you was in electronic form, and not on simple paper as you specified. I hope that suffices.

As I indicated to Ms. Boyd, it would be helpful if you used the "Reply All" feature in your e-mail program, as it will save me a little time having to put in everyone's e-mail address.

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Subject: Re: 6th Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.

Date: Wed, 4 Nov 2015 08:51:41 -0500

From: Monroe Miller

To: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>

CC: Ann Boyd <ABoyd@haywoodnc.net>, Jeremy Davis, Ken Henson, Mark Zaffrann, David Williams, Tracy Coward, Elizabeth Norris, Ira Dove <idove@haywoodnc.net>, Chip Killian <CKillian@haywoodnc.net>, Leon Killian <chip.killian@nelsonmullins.com>, Eddie Cabe, Jonnie Cure, Denny King

Mr. Inman,

I appreciate your forwarding my letter to the local board of elections member as well as NC state board of elections administration. However, in my original letter to you (re-attached), I had asked you for a believable explanation of what happened. I have yet to receive that from you. Please respond.

Monroe Miller

Haywood County Taxpayer.

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Subject: RE: 6th Request - MC's voter registration screw-up.

Date: Wed, 4 Nov 2015 16:15:35 +0000

From: Robert Inman <RInman@haywoodnc.net>

To: Monroe Miller

Mr. Miller,

All voter registration forms that are received by our office are processed as they are received. There are no records that indicate our office received a form from Mr. MC or his family. That is the reason that safeguards are in place including same-day registrations and provisional voting.

The following is a statistical break down of the statistics of 96 new voters that registered between the dates of August 26 to September 8, 2015.

Total Voters	Dem	Rep	Una	Lib
96	23	37	36	0

This a statistical breakdown of the twenty voter new registration forms and update forms that were received coded coming from a voter registration drive are broke down as follows:

Total Voters	Dem	Rep	Una	Lib
20	6	9	4	1

Regards,