

WeROC members and affiliates,

Please join WeROC and other voting rights groups to fight a major political party in Michigan as they roll out a petition campaign to make it harder to vote. Please join the fight against this petition drive and **decline to sign the “Secure MI Vote” petition.**

On August 30 extreme partisan politicians in Michigan launched an anti-voter ballot initiative – “Secure MI Vote” – that would effectively cement barriers to voting for many Michigan citizens. “Secure MI Vote is based upon the unfounded belief that the 2020 election was fraught with illegal or fraudulent votes. Their pitch is to make it easier to vote and harder to cheat”.¹ In reality they are making it more difficult for those on the margins of our communities to vote!

“This partisan group plans to collect 340,047 signatures to push their petition to the state legislature for passage of all of the voter suppression bills. **That’s only 3.4% of Michigan’s population!** If they are successful, the state legislature plans to pass the petition and make it law. The Governor cannot veto it and voters will never see it on the ballot. The group is also attempting to block voters from undoing these laws by a future voter referendum. This truly is an anti-voter, anti-democratic scheme.”² **This ballot initiative will never be on a ballot for the Michigan voters!**

Contrast this with the nearly 67% of voters that supported a ballot initiative to expand voter access in 2018.

There are many organizations which are listed below that are speaking out about this rollback of voter expansion gains made in 2018. Join them or form your own group to

¹ Detroit News Craig Mauger [Michigan Republicans launching petition drive to require IDs for voting](#)

² Jamie Lyons Eddy Voters Not Politicians

Speak up and speak out about this misleading campaign and subvert the will of Michigan voters to expand voter access.

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