

BREAKING EXCLUSIVE: The Errors, The Lie, and The Cover-Up in Georgia's 2020 Election – PART II

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Material errors were discovered in Georgia's 2020 Election recount efforts in Fulton County. The Secretary of State and his team initially lied about these errors and then they worked with the AG's office and the State Elections Board to exonerate the Secretary of State.

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Summary

As noted in the [first article in this series](#), after the 2020 Election a Risk Limiting Audit (RLA) was carried out by Georgia's Secretary of State's (SOS's) Office.

Thanks to the efforts of Georgian Joseph Rossi, 36 errors were found in the Fulton County data in the RLA report posted on the SOS website.

Rossi doggedly went after those in authority in the state to review his data. He was turned down and ignored numerous times. But eventually after a series of events, Rossi was able to get these errors in front of members of Governor Kemp's office.

Governor Kemp and team, although he was not in charge of state elections, were the only government agency (Not the SOS, Not the AG, Not the SEB), that listened and took action when errors were pointed out to them. This is an important fact as he put a team of four individuals on the 36 errors identified by Rossi and they spent 8 weeks confirming Rossi's work. They essentially did the work that the SOS should have done a year earlier.

As a result of Rossi's work, the Georgia State Elections Board (SEB) initiated an investigation into the Fulton County data from the RLA report. This investigation was labeled SEB2021-181. Eventually the SEB identified violations and errors in the recounts of the 2020 Election in Fulton County.

Also, another complaint for Fulton County was filed July 8, 2022. The complaint specifically called out 3125 duplicate ballot counts and 17,852 votes counted that do not have a corresponding ballot image. This complaint resulted in the creation of investigation SEB2023-25. This investigation is complete and the results of this investigation will be presented to the SEB on December 19, 2023. This complaint has been categorized by the Board as "violations found."

Today's article will show that the SOS's office lied about the accuracy of the recounts in Georgia.

Our third article will show that with their backs to the wall post-Governor Kemp's validation letter from November 17, 2021 – the SOS's office, the AG's office, and the Georgia SEB worked and continue to work to this day to exonerate the SOS of any responsibility for these numerous errors and violations.

And, by the way, there is also an open inquiry before the Georgia SEB (SEBBI2023-001), regarding Election Code Violations committed by the SOS.

[Remember that the 2020 results were certified for Biden three days after the election after he overcame President Trump's 200,000 vote lead on election night to steal the election by less than 12,000 votes in Georgia. – See [The Steal – Volume II: The Impossible Occurs](#) for more information.

Note also that that the investigations noted in this series were independent of two court cases that occurred in Georgia after the 2020 Election. At least three individuals involved in a recount that occurred in the state after the election identified 148,000 ballots that appeared

to have been created by a machine and to be fraudulent. Fulton county and state are still preventing access to these ballots even though the Georgia Supreme Court ruled that the plaintiffs have the right to audit these ballots.

In addition, a separate audit of voting machines was initiated after the 2020 Election which was finally released years later which showed that the systems used in Georgia had security issues and bad actors could hack into them and change the results of an election.]

The Lie

Gabriel Sterling from the SOS's office emailed Joseph Rossi on February 9, 2021. In this email he stated,

“All of the tally sheets have been available online on the SOS website for nearly 2 months. Here is the link...”

Mr. Sterling, thanks for the response. I will be reviewing your answers in detail and plan to follow up for clarification and more questions. As I've stated to several GA legislatures, at this point, "truth is not a function of time, rather a function of persistence." I look forward to more discussion, preferably in person. Thanks again for your time.

On Tue, Feb 9, 2021 at 12:40 PM Sterling, Gabriel <gsterling@sos.ga.gov> wrote:

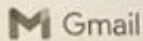
I will try and answer your questions as best I can in the body of this email.

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2. Yes. It is legal for election workers may count without monitors present. Monitors may be there for all election activities, but they are not required to be there. In watching the video, the monitors of both parties left along with the press, but there are people on the tape sitting and still scanning as the monitors are leaving. They had a right to stay and there is no evidence that the monitors tried to stay. The issue of them being told to leave is still open, but right now is a he said/she said situation. I've not seen evidence of audio to prove conclusively one way or the other. We do have records from the SEB monitor. From his contemporaneous notes from 8:30pm to 12:45am about 9,800 ballots were scanned total. Scanning without monitors was about an hour in that window.
3. That is part of the ongoing investigation. Generally, depositions are taken in the formalized situation of court or a lawsuit. Interviews are done in an investigation. We can't comment on those specifics, but I will say many interviews have been done around this issue and those will likely be a part of what would be presented to the SEB. For "multiple scans", that is the SOP if there is a mis-scan. You delete that batch and then rescan it. We know with 100% certainty that ballots were not tallied multiple times because the hand re-tally showed that. If there were thousands of ballots that were scanned multiple times, we would have seen thousands of votes with no corresponding ballot. That is not what we saw. Statewide the hand-count yielded a difference in ballots of 0.1053% and a difference in margin of 0.0099%.
4. The best practice is to not have it tallied within the audit environment in the county as to avoid people trying to hit the target/goal of the previous tally. All of the tally sheets have been available online on the SOS website for nearly 2 months. Here is the link: https://sos.ga.gov/index.php/elections/2020_general_election_risk-limiting_audit
5. There was not an audit done in Fulton on signature verification. There has been no specific claim from anyone that the process was not followed. There was such a claim in Cobb County and Cobb County only in the state. So SOS investigators worked alongside Georgia Bureau of Investigation (GBI) agents and did a signature audit on a randomly selected 15,118 ballots. Of those, they found 2 that needed to be cured. When following up, they discovered the proper person in fact voted. So there were zero issues there. That said it required over 1,000 manhours to do that first of its kind audit in the US. Again, I have been no fan of Fulton, and my life and record reflect that. But we have had no credible claims that they didn't do the process properly. In Cobb a worker said he was told to disregard part of the process. We have no such claims around Fulton. It's just a generalized, we feel Fulton didn't do things like signature match properly. With law enforcement POST certified investigators, we have to manage the credible claims of illegal voting to be investigated.

After reviewing the tally sheets for both Houston County and Fulton County, **Rossi found errors with Fulton's batch sheets** and stated in an email to Sterling dated February 21, 2021,

“Note that the total vote count for Fulton based upon a summation of the Batch Tally Sheets = 246,922 votes, which falls far short of the final vote count for Fulton County = 525,283.”

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Sun, Feb 21, 2021 at 8:52 PM

Gentleman, I believe we are all on the same team which wants to have GA election standards of the highest integrity available to all GA citizens. So a few points to make and then a few questions to answer.

1. Mr. Ralph Jones - thank you for being available for my phone calls last week. That speaks volumes to your service to the citizens of GA.
2. Mr. Sterling - thank you for your answer to question 4) from my previous email regarding "Batch Tally Sheets." You were correct in that they are posted on the SOS website.
3. In this email you will see 3 images. Let me summarize each and then you may view individually.
4. One of the images shows the total vote count for Fulton County - based upon the Batch Tally Sheets that are posted on the SOS's website for Fulton County. I built a spreadsheet that adds up the vote count. Note that the total vote count for Fulton based upon summation of Batch Tally Sheets = 245,822 votes which falls far short of the final vote count for Fulton county = 525,253.
5. The second image shows the Batch Tally Sheet for batch400 scanner2. It shows 38 Trump votes and 60 Biden votes. The third image shows the SOS's spreadsheet that tallied up the vote count for Fulton county. Note in this image for batch400 scanner2 it shows 8 votes Trump and 92 votes Biden.
7. I did do the same exercise for Houston County - that is, I added up every Batch Tally Sheet and compared it to the final vote count reported by the SOS's office for Houston County. The numbers essentially matched.
8. So now the questions for which answers are respectfully requested:
 - a. Mr. Sterling - are there more Batch Tally Sheets for Fulton County that are not currently posted on the SOS's website that may explain the delta between the Batch Tally Sheet total vs. the SOS's office final vote count?
 - b. Mr. Jones - did Fulton County produce Batch Tally sheets for every vote counted in Fulton county and were those sent to the SOS's office? Note at this point what is posted for Fulton on the SOS's office website falls far short of the final total vote count reported by the SOS's office for your county.
 - c. Mr. Sterling - regarding Batch400 Scanner2 shown, why is the vote count used in the certified vote different than that shown on the Batch Tally Sheet?

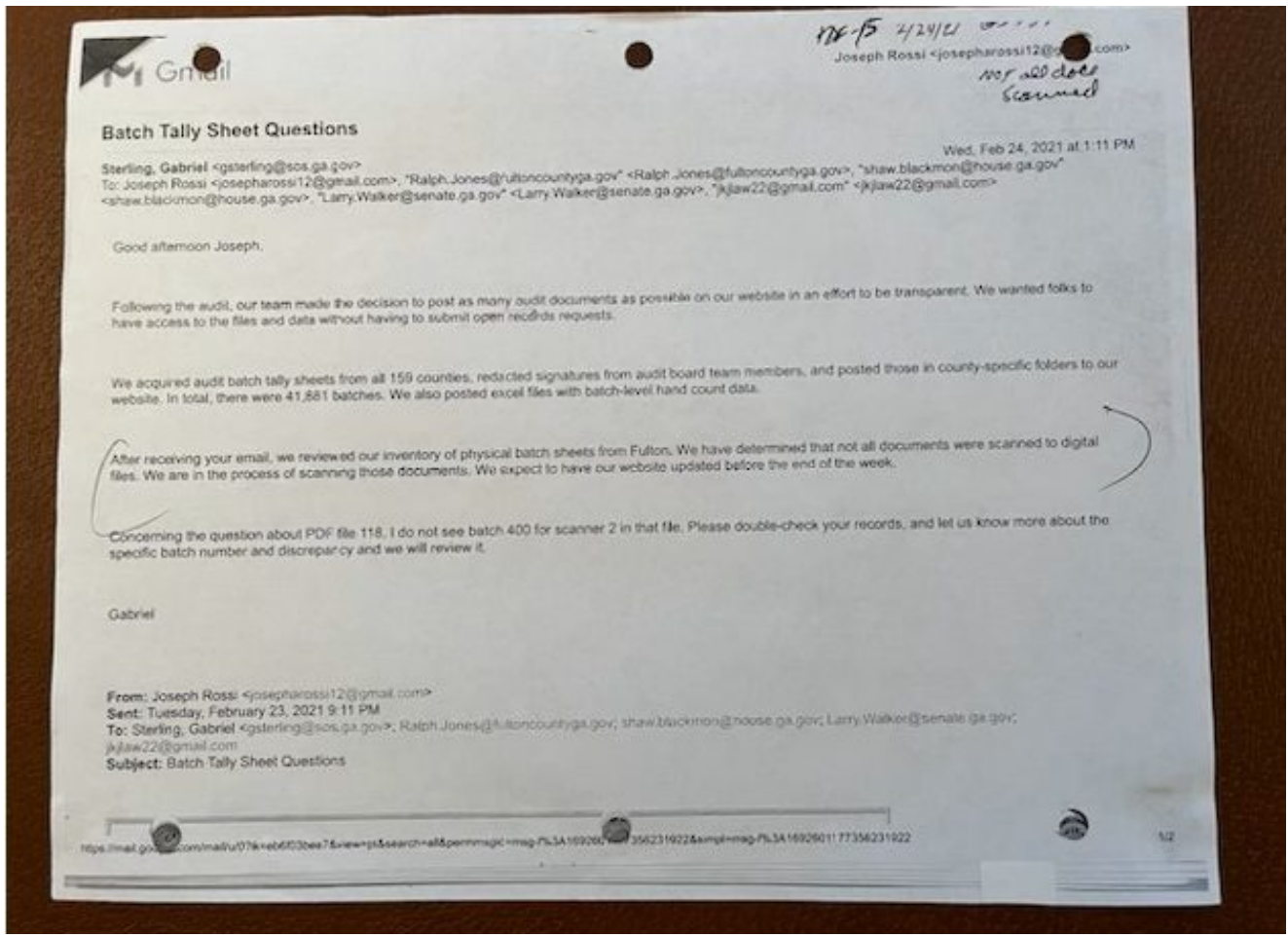
9. Senator Walker, Representative Blackmon - please follow up to ensure that these critical questions outlined in 8. above are answered in a timely manner.

Thank you all for your anticipated responses, and continued efforts to ensure election availability and integrity for every legal GA resident.

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Sterling responded to Rossi in an email dated February 24, 2021,

"After reviewing your email, we reviewed our inventory of physical batch sheets for Fulton. We have determined that **not all documents were scanned to digital files.** We are in the process of scanning those documents. We expect to have our website updated before the end of the week."



The original Sterling statement regarding “all of the tally sheets,” was obviously false. Furthermore, this is the first indication that Sterling/SOS office never bothered to check the errored data posted on the SOS website for public view and also that they could not be trusted with their statements.

In Gabriel Sterling’s email to Joseph Rossi, of February 9, 2021 – when referring to the RLA Report for Fulton posted on the SOS website, he stated,

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In June of 2022, at the Jan 6th hearing, at the 13:00 minute mark of the Raffensperger/Sterling testimony, Sterling states, with Raffensperger seated to his right,

"And by going through the hand tally that the Secretary pointed out we showed that if there had been multiple ballots scanned without a corresponding physical ballot, your counts would have been a lot higher than the ballots themselves."

When referring to the RLA Hand Audit – Sterling described it as "dead on accurate."



Watch Video At: <https://youtu.be/9vb61aZkMPk>

Contrast these 2 statements made by Sterling to the one made by Raffensperger on February 22, 2022, during a radio interview (between the 1:08:20 mark and the 1:09:20 mark) in which he admits there were thousands of vote counting errors in the Fulton RLA report posted on the SOS website. Raffensperger in this interview states,

“When we did the 100% hand recount we found 3 counties that messed up, you know, fairly significantly...number 2 was Fulton County. All of a sudden they were **off by several thousand ballots**, well it’s because you scanned some of these ballots twice.”

The RLA Hand Audit for Fulton County posted on the SOS website can’t both be “dead on accurate,” and “off by several thousand ballots...because you scanned some of these ballots twice.”

Being that Raffensperger admitted on February 22, 2022, that thousands of ballots were scanned multiple times for the RLA Fulton Hand Audit and that his Jan 6th hearing was in June of 2022 Sterling shared that the results of the RLA in Fulton County were “dead on accurate” – did Sterling and/or Raffensperger commit perjury?

SOS Raffensperger and his gang had contrasting claims regarding the results of the 2020 Election. Next we will show how the SOS’s office worked with others to cover this all up and exonerate the SOS of any wrongdoing.
