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***Gableman should save Wisconsin further expense and embarrassment and wrap up his futile and distracting investigation of 2020 election, says newspaper.***

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Madison, Wis. -- The Wisconsin State Journal's Editorial Board issued a [scathing rebuke](#) of Michael Gableman and called on him to “give it up” and “go home.”



From the beginning, Gableman's sham “investigation” has been centered around the Big Lie and justifying the WI GOP's voter suppression bills. Not only did Gableman [claim in November that the 2020 election was “stolen,”](#) but he's also [hired a former Trump White House attorney](#), sent election clerks [cryptic emails from an unsecured Gmail account](#)

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[took inspiration from the MyPillow guy,](#)  
[admitted he doesn't understand how elections work](#)  
, and  
[made hateful comments on far-right radio](#)

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The State Journal's editorial, which comes on the heels of the [nonpartisan Legislative Audit Bureau confirming that the 2020 election was “safe and secure,”](#) said Gableman needs to end his “ham-handed investigation.” It's a waste of taxpayer funds.

Read the Wisconsin State Journal's scathing editorial below.

**Wisconsin State Journal:** [Give it up, Gableman](#)

Michael Gableman got off to a bad start in his redundant review of Wisconsin's vote for president. And his ham-handed investigation keeps getting worse.

It needs to end.

The former state Supreme Court justice was named in late July to oversee a state Assembly probe into Donald Trump's bogus claims of election fraud and corruption in Wisconsin. State and federal court rulings — as well as elaborate and careful recounts — had already determined Wisconsin's election was fair and accurate, with President Joe Biden winning by more than 20,000 votes. In addition, the nonpartisan state Audit Bureau wrapped up its thorough review Friday, making several recommendations for improving future elections but finding the “election was largely safe and secure,” in the words of the Republican co-chair of the Legislature's audit committee.

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