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FACT SHEET: **Georgia Republicans Who Led Trump's** **Criminal Conspiracy To Overturn The 2020** **Election Are On The Ballot** **In 2022**

The Georgia GOP has always been involved in the MAGA conspiracy to overturn the 2020 election. For weeks after the election, the Trump campaign pressured state and local officials—including Governor Brian Kemp, Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger, Attorney General Chris Carr, and even District Attorney BJay Pak—to “find” votes, investigate unsubstantiated claims of voter fraud, and overturn Georgia’s election results. Trump’s lies encouraged MAGA conspirators to target election officials and poll workers, who have testified about being doxxed and receiving racist, violent threats. At the Trump campaign’s behest, Georgia GOP officials illegally submitted a fraudulent slate of Trump electors. Meanwhile in DC, Georgia Representatives Marjorie Taylor Greene and Jodie Hice worked with Trump and his inner circle of MAGA Republicans to fight the certification, while Rep. Barry Loudermilk gave insurrectionists a tour of the Capitol complex. During the January 6th certification, 6 of the 8 Republican members of Georgia’s House delegation voted to reject the election results.

In 2022, it’s clear that Georgians’ right to elect their leaders is on the ballot. Senate nominee Herschel Walker is a Trump loyalist who spent months sharing election conspiracy theories and joining legal efforts to overturn the election. Governor Kemp, who has a history of purging voter rolls and holding applications hostage, rubber-stamped a sweeping elections bill passed by the GOP-controlled legislature in response to ‘election fraud’ conspiracies. As part of their push for so-called election ‘integrity’, several MAGA Republican House candidates from Georgia are engaged in an ongoing, Trump-endorsed campaign to delegitimize election results, including Rep. Greene, Rep. Clyde, and Chris West. These MAGA candidates intend to continue using these dangerous conspiracies to threaten Georgia’s election infrastructure for years to come.

Georgia Republicans Conspired To Overturn The 2020 Election

January 2021: Six Georgia Republicans Voted Against Certifying The 2020 Election On January 6th. During the Electoral College certification, 6 of Georgia’s 8 Republican Representatives objected to electors from Arizona and/or Pennsylvania. GOP Reps. Rick Allen (GA-12), Early “Buddy” Carter (GA-1), Andrew Clyde (GA-9), Marjorie Taylor Greene (GA-14), Jody Hice (GA-10), and Barry Loudermilk (GA-11) all [voted to reject](#) electors from one or both states. Rep. Hice [attempted to challenge](#) Georgia’s electors, but no Senator signed onto his

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effort. Rep. Greene attempted to [challenge](#) Michigan's electors, but no Senator signed onto her effort. She also [gave a speech](#) in support of Pennsylvania's challenge. The House GOP challenge to Arizona's electors was [rejected](#) 121-303, and the challenge to Pennsylvania [failed](#) 138-282. All six Representatives had [announced](#) their plans to object to the results in the days and weeks leading up to the certification. [New York Times, [1/7/21](#); House Congressional Record, [1/6/21](#) (H95), [1/6/21](#) (H96), [1/6/21](#) (H102); U.S. House Clerk, [1/6/21](#), [1/6/21](#); CNN, [12/31/20](#)]

Rep. Marjorie Taylor Greene (GA-14) Was A Key Figure In Orchestrating Efforts to Overturn the Election On January 6th. Greene was involved in the planning of the events of January 6th. Ali Alexander, the architect of the 'Stop the Steal' movement that culminated in the Capitol insurrection, said "I remember Marjorie Taylor Greene specifically" at [planning briefings](#) ahead of the rallies. After the election, Greene [texted](#) White House Chief of Staff Mark Meadows frequently for strategic guidance on overturning the election, telling him "We have to get organized for the 6th." She went as far as to suggest declaring martial law to keep Trump in office. Greene was also [among the first](#) members of Congress to declare her intent to reject legitimate election results at the certification, and a former White House aide testified that she heard Greene had [requested a preemptive pardon](#). [Salon, [10/25/21](#); CNN, [4/25/22](#); Marjorie Taylor Greene Twitter (Archived), [12/21/20](#) ; NPR, [6/23/22](#)]

Rep. Barry Loudermilk (GA-11) Gave MAGA Republicans A Guided Tour Of The Capitol Complex The Day Before January 6th Attack. In May 2022, the January 6th Committee asked Rep. Loudermilk to [provide information](#) about any "efforts to gather information about the layout of the U.S. Capitol, as well as the House and Senate office buildings, in advance of January 6, 2021." Though Loudermilk initially denied any involvement, CCTV [security footage later revealed](#) that he gave a "tour" of the House office buildings to a large group of MAGA 'tourists' on Jan. 5, allowing them to take atypical photographs of building features including hallways, security checkpoints, basements, and the entrance to tunnels leading to the Capitol. The group [remained](#) in the Capitol complex for hours after Loudermilk had left, and at least one of his tour attendees [breached the Capitol building](#) the next day. [Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack, [5/19/22](#); The Hill, [6/15/22](#); Politico, [6/15/22](#); The Guardian, [6/15/22](#)]

December 2020: Elected Officials From Georgia Met With Trump Officials Seeking To Overturn The Election. Rep. Jody Hice (GA-10) and Representative-elect Marjorie Taylor Greene (GA-14) joined the House Freedom Caucus in a December 2020 White House [meeting with Trump's advisors](#), where they "discussed overturning the results of the 2020 presidential election." Hice and Greene were both key figures who played "bigger roles" in the criminal conspiracy to overturn Georgia's election results in Trump's favor. Trump attorney Rudy Giuliani was also [invited](#) to a Georgia Senate Judiciary subcommittee hearing on "election integrity," where he blamed Atlanta poll workers for [debunked](#) claims of fraud alongside Trump lawyers [John Eastman](#) and [Jenna Ellis](#). [Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [4/25/22](#); NBC News,

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12/4/20; Missouri Independent, **6/13/22**; States United Trial Counsel, **11/16/21**; States United Judicial Center, **5/4/22**]

November 2020: Georgia Senators Called For Georgia Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger To Resign. On Nov. 9, former Georgia Senators. Kelly Loeffler and David Perdue called on Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger [to resign](#) for supposedly failing “to deliver honest and transparent elections.” The next day, the Georgia GOP sent letters to Sec. Raffensperger which repeated Trump’s false “claims of fraud and irregularities.” Raffensperger later conducted a [statewide hand recount](#) of the votes that confirmed Biden’s win, and [certified Biden’s victory](#) on Nov. 20. [New Yorker, **11/11/20**; Georgia Secretary of State, **11/19/20**; AP News, **11/20/20**]

[Trump Organized A Pressured Campaign To Overturn Georgia’s Election Results](#)

January 2021: Trump Asked Secretary Raffensperger “To Find 11,780 Votes” And Overturn Georgia’s Election. Sec. Brad Raffensperger was a [top target](#) of Donald Trump as part of his bid to [control](#) battleground state election offices. In June 2022, Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger appeared before the January 6th Committee to testify about a [phone call](#) with Trump on Jan. 2, in which the former President repeatedly urged him to “find” enough votes to make him the winner in Georgia. After Raffensperger refused, he [described being doxxed](#), lewd texts received by his wife, and his daughter-in-law’s house being broken-into due to Trump’s harassment. One week earlier, Trump had [reportedly](#) called Raffensperger’s [chief elections investigator](#) Frances Watson, telling her that she would find ‘dishonesty’ if she scrutinized “absentee ballots in Fulton County.” [Reuters, **5/5/22**; Politico, **5/20/22**; Washington Post, **1/3/21**, **3/11/21**; Business Insider, **6/21/22**; Atlanta Journal-Constitution, **3/16/21**]

Trump Administration Pressured District Attorney Byung J. “BJay” Pak To Investigate Fraud Allegations Or Resign. On the night of Jan. 3, a senior Justice Department official [reportedly](#) called Pak at the behest of the White House. Pak was [pressured](#) to resign by the official after being told Trump was, “furious there was no investigation related to election fraud” in Georgia. In December 2020, then-Attorney General Barr had [asked](#) Pak to “make it a priority” to investigate Rudy Giuliani’s claims about a black suitcase in Atlanta supposedly amounting to a “smoking gun” of fraud. Pak’s [subsequent investigation](#) found that the container in question was an official ballot lockbox, not a suitcase, and there had simply been a miscommunication about when to move the lockbox to its secure location, concluding that “the allegations made by Mr. Giuliani were false.” Pak [was](#) the first Korean American to be appointed to the position of U.S. Attorney, and previously served as a state Representative for six years. [Wall Street Journal, **1/9/21**; The Hill, **1/4/21**; Georgia Recorder, **6/13/22**; Missouri Independent, **6/13/22**, Atlanta Journal-Constitution, **1/4/21**]

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December 2020: Trump Asked GOP Georgia Attorney General Chris Carr To Join Texas Lawsuit To Overturn 2020 Election Results. On Dec. 9, incumbent Attorney General Chris Carr held a [15-minute phone call](#) with former President Trump, who warned Carr “not to rally other Republican officials” against his efforts to overturn the election. At the time, Trump was backing a Texas lawsuit attempting to throw out several states’ 2020 election results, including Georgia’s. During the call, Carr [refused Trump’s request](#) to rescind a statement that his office had published calling the Texas lawsuit “constitutionally, legally and factually wrong.” In June 2022, Carr [appeared](#) before a [special grand jury](#), investigating whether Trump and his allies illegally tried to interfere in the 2020 election in the state, to testify about the call. [Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [12/9/20](#), [5/2/22](#); Brookings Institution, [10/21](#); Fox 5 Atlanta, [6/21/22](#)]

Trump Asked Governor Brian Kemp To Appoint An Illegitimate Slate Of Trump Electors. On Dec. 5, Trump called Gov. Brian Kemp to [urge him to overturn](#) Biden’s victory in Georgia. He asked Kemp to call a special session of the Georgia Legislature to appoint a slate of Trump electors, then asked Kemp to order a “special audit” of Georgia’s absentee ballot signatures. Kemp [reportedly](#) refused his request, instead calling for a signature audit. Trump [later told a group](#) of MAGA supporters in Macon, “Your governor could stop [the steal] very easily if he knew what the hell he was doing [...] So far we haven’t been able to find the people in Georgia willing to do the right thing.” Kemp is [slated to testify](#) before a Fulton County [grand jury](#), investigating whether Trump and his allies illegally tried to interfere in the 2020 election in the state, to testify about the call. [CNN, [12/5/20](#); Washington Post, [12/5/20](#); Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [12/5/20](#), [6/24/22](#), [5/2/22](#)]

November 2020: The Trump Campaign Threatened Georgia Election Workers. After the election, Trump and his allies [spread conspiracy theories](#) that directly resulted in threats of violence against Georgia polling officials. During the fourth public hearing of the January 6th Committee, Wandrea “Shaye” Moss, a Georgia election worker attacked by Rudy Giuliani and Donald Trump, testified about the [numerous threats](#) and racist, violent messages she received after being targeted, including one message that read, “be glad it’s 2020 and not 1920.” Moss’s mother, Ruby Freeman, [testified](#) that she no longer introduced herself with her name and that she needed to leave her home for safety after Trump mentioned her in the phone call to Raffensperger. “There is nowhere I feel safe. Nowhere,” she said. [Media Matters for America, [12/10/21](#); Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [6/21/22](#); NPR, [6/21/22](#)]

Election Integrity Is On the Ballot in Georgia

GOP Senate Nominee Herschel Walker Is An Election Denier And A January 6 Conspiracy Theorist. Trump-endorsed Senate candidate Herschel Walker has repeatedly [refused to say](#) that President Biden was lawfully elected. He has demanded an impossible [do-over](#) of the 2020 election, suggesting that, “Instead of us fighting and going to court, why don’t we have Nevada, Arizona, Georgia, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Michigan, and Wisconsin vote again?” Walker [has said](#) that some elected officials and election administrators

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“should end up in jail” over the 2020 election and [claimed he could guarantee](#) that “Joe Biden didn’t get 50 million people voting for him.” Walker began [spreading lies](#) about the January 6th attack on the Capitol while it was still going on, alleging that the rioters were actually “Trojan Horses,” and that crisis actors intended to “run the clock out” on efforts to overturn the election. [New York Times, [5/18/22](#); American Independent, [4/22/22](#), [1/6/22](#); Herschel Walker Twitter, [11/21/20](#); CNN, [8/28/21](#)]

Georgia Governor Brian Kemp Is Running On Ballot Restrictions Inspired By Trump’s Election Conspiracies. Incumbent GOP Governor Brian Kemp is on the ballot for a second term this year, and his record on voting rights shows a long history of restricting ballot access as an elected official. Kemp [tweeted](#) that his administration was “leading the fight” to pass restrictive election reforms, and he has supported election ‘reforms’ that [reportedly](#) “came in response to false allegations of voter fraud in the 2020 election.” Kemp has worked with Georgia Republican legislators that have expressed “sympathy” for suspicions about the 2020 election and suggested that reforms would “increase trust in election outcomes.” [Brian Kemp Personal Twitter, [9/08/21](#); Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [3/25/21](#)]

- **As Secretary Of State, Kemp Held Voter Applications And Purged Millions From Rolls.** One week before Georgia’s deadline to register and to vote in the 2018 midterm elections, then-Secretary of State Kemp’s office [held](#) 53,000 voter applications—and some applicants “never saw any notice” of being on-hold. The list of voter registrations on hold with Kemp’s office was reportedly “nearly 70 percent Black” despite Black adults forming only 32% of Georgia’s population. In July 2018, he oversaw a [massive purge](#) of 107,000 voters that “would otherwise have been eligible to vote” in the gubernatorial election. Kemp [canceled](#) more than 668,000 voter registrations in 2017 alone, and was [sued](#) by Common Cause and the NAACP for “using non-voting alone to trigger the purge process” in March 2016. He also [refused to register](#) 51,000 new voters before the 2014 midterm elections who were signed up through the New Georgia Project. [Associated Press, [10/9/18](#); APM Reports, [10/29/19](#); Atlanta-Journal Constitution, [10/17/18](#); *Common Cause v. Kemp*, [3/17/17](#); Al Jazeera America, [10/29/14](#)]

Election Deniers Are Running In Congressional Races Across Georgia. Every House Republican up for re-election has spread Trump’s false election conspiracies or supported sweeping changes to Georgia’s election laws. Trump-[endorsed](#) Rep. **Andrew Clyde** (GA-9) worked to [overturn](#) the 2020 election and [compared](#) January 6 rioters to a “normal tourist visit” to the Capitol. MAGA Capitol tour guide **Barry Loudermilk** (GA-11) is running with Trump’s [endorsement](#), after he refused the January 6th Committee’s request for cooperation with its investigation. Rep. **Earl “Buddy” Carter** (GA-1) [received](#) Trump’s endorsement after he [said](#) Trump’s lies “deserve our day in court” in November 2020 and [defended](#) Gov. Kemp’s voting restrictions bill (SB 202) in 2021. Previous Trump-[endorsee](#) Rep. **Austin Scott** [affirmed](#), “I fully support @realDonaldTrump and his efforts...” in November 2020 and [defended](#) the Georgia GOP’s restrictive election ‘reforms’ [alongside](#) Rep. **Drew Ferguson** (GA-3). Rep. **Rick**

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Allen (GA-12) has [also received](#) Trump's endorsement. Several Republican challengers are campaigning on similarly dangerous rhetoric. Newcomer **Chris West** is running in a competitive race against incumbent Democratic Rep. Sanford Bishop Jr. (GA-2). West has [called himself](#) the "only one true Trump candidate," as well as [the only](#) "America First fighter" in the race. In the open 6th congressional district, Trump gave his endorsement to [election denier](#) Jake Evans. Though Trump's pick lost a [runoff primary](#) against **Mike Collins** in the 10th district, Collins is a Kemp-[endorsed](#) trucking executive who is [running](#) in Trump's image. He continues to call for election audits and the removal of Georgia's voting machines. [Donald J. Trump, [12/20/21](#); Republican Accountability Project, Accessed [6/24/22](#); Washington Post, [5/18/21](#); The Hill, [5/21/22](#); Atlanta-Journal Constitution, [5/21/22](#); Rep. Buddy Carter Twitter, [11/9/20](#), [4/2/21](#); Austin Scott Twitter, [6/7/20](#); [11/10/20](#), [4/2/21](#); Congressman Drew Ferguson Twitter, [1/11/22](#); Chris West Twitter, [6/20/22](#); [6/13/22](#); Georgia Public Broadcasting, [5/1/22](#), [9/17/21](#); Axios, [6/22/22](#); Kemp For Governor, [6/16/22](#)]

- **January 6th Conspirator Marjorie Taylor Greene (GA-14) Is Running For Reelection With Trump's Endorsement.** Trump-[endorsed](#) 'Stop the Steal' movement planner and [far right extremist](#) Rep. Marjorie Taylor Greene is up for reelection in the 14th District. She [relentlessly](#) spread lies about the 2020 election being "stolen" and [publicly criticized](#) dozens of officials who rejected Trump's allegations of fraud. Greene's eligibility to run for office was unsuccessfully [challenged](#) due to her leadership in the events of January 6th. [The Hill, [4/6/22](#); New York Magazine, [10/26/21](#); New York Times, [1/29/21](#); Wall Street Journal, [2/27/22](#); Marjorie Taylor Greene Twitter (Archived), [10/6/20 – 12/02/20](#); NPR, [4/22/22](#)]

MAGA Republican Burt Jones Is Running For Lieutenant Governor On Election Conspiracy Theories. State Senator Burt Jones has won the GOP nomination, and Trump's [endorsement](#), for Georgia Lieutenant Governor. Jones was [one of the 16 illegitimate electors](#) who submitted fraudulent certificates to Congress in a failed attempt by the Trump campaign to overturn the results of the 2020 election. He is a [major supporter](#) of Trump's election conspiracy theories, and campaigned with Marjorie Taylor Greene at several "election integrity events" claiming that "Trump won." In 2020, he [called on Governor Kemp](#) to call a special session to overturn the election results and [signed an amicus brief](#) supporting the failed Texas lawsuit challenging election results in Georgia. [Associated Press, [9/2/21](#), [8/7/21](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/31/22](#); Atlanta-Journal Constitution, [11/24/20](#), [12/21/20](#)]

Incumbent Georgia State Executives Support Ballot Access Restrictions. Attorney General **Chris Carr** has [defended](#) Gov. Kemp's restrictive voting 'reforms', and [urged](#) U.S. Senators to reject President Biden's nominee—a former Fair Fight Action attorney—for the Federal Election Commission. Secretary of State **Brad Raffensperger** also [supports](#) Kemp's restrictions on ballot access, and [supported](#) Trump in 2016 and 2020. Though both rebuked Trump's attempts to overturn the 2020 election, Carr and Raffensperger have since made it

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clear that they are willing and able to manipulate election laws in their favor. [Georgia Attorney General Chris Carr Twitter, [1/9/22](#), [4/7/22](#); Washington Post, [5/20/22](#); CNN, [11/21/20](#)]

The Ongoing Campaign To Delegitimize The 2020 Election in Georgia

March 2021: Governor Brian Kemp Signed An Election Bill Adopting “Vote-Limiting Tactics” Into Law. On Mar. 25, Gov. Kemp signed [a law](#) that “disproportionately hurt voters of color” by making dramatic changes to Georgia elections. The law [banned](#) ballot drop boxes, imposed voter ID requirements, allowed state takeovers of local elections, and barred the distribution of food and water to voters waiting in line. The new law [empowers](#) the State Election Board—chaired by a legislative appointee—to investigate and replace local election officials “whose competence has been called into question.” Kemp’s law also imposed cumbersome requirements on absentee voters, banned “provisional ballots cast in the wrong precinct,” and [shortened](#) runoff elections to “as little as one week of early voting.” Three civil rights organizations filed a federal [lawsuit](#) arguing that the law would “impose unconstitutional burdens on the right to vote, [...] and deny Black voters in Georgia an equal opportunity to participate in the electoral process,” by targeting absentee voting—which is [used by](#) a “greater share of Black Georgians than White residents” due to longer average wait times for Black voters. [Georgia SB 202, [3/25/21](#); Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [3/25/21](#), [3/26/21](#); *New Georgia Project v. Raffensperger*, [3/24/21](#); NPR, [10/17/20](#)]

MAGA Republicans In Georgia Attempted To Force An Arizona-Style Hand Audit. In October 2021, a Georgia judge dismissed a lawsuit [seeking to force](#) a “review” of Fulton County’s 2020 election results, citing a lack of standing. Sec. Raffensperger filed an amicus brief in the case, contending that [their investigators](#) had “been unable to substantiate the allegations that fraudulent or counterfeit ballots were counted in the 2020 General Election in Fulton County” after conducting interviews and reviewing nearly 1,000 absentee ballots. [Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [10/13/21](#); CNN, [10/13/21](#)]

The Trump Campaign Organized A Slate of Illegitimate Electors From Georgia

December 2020: 16 Illegitimate Electors In Georgia Submitted Documents To The Senate Falsely Stating That They Were The Rightful Electors From The State. On Dec. 14, illegitimate Republican electors from Georgia submitted fraudulent certificates to Congress in a failed attempt to overturn the results of the 2020 election. The [documents](#) from Georgia explicitly stated, falsely, that the GOP electors were the rightful electors. The 16 Republicans cast their votes for Trump and sent them to the Senate as Georgia’s 16 electoral votes. [Georgia Republican Party, [12/14/20](#)]

The Georgia GOP Worked With Trump’s Campaign On Fraudulent Elector Scheme. Trump campaign officials, led by Rudy Giuliani, [oversaw efforts](#) to put forward a [slate](#) of 16 illegitimate electors in Georgia. 8 Georgia GOP officials acted as part of the slate of illegitimate electors—including Party Chair David Shafer and Secretary Shawn Still, who were both issued

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[subpoenas](#) by the January 6th Committee for serving as ‘head delegates’ and are [currently under investigation](#) by the FBI. A staffer for Trump’s presidential campaign [instructed](#) Republicans planning to cast electoral college votes for Trump in Georgia to operate in “complete secrecy.” [CNN, [1/20/22](#); Georgia Recorder, [1/18/22](#); 11Alive, [1/29/22](#); Washington Post, [6/23/22](#), [6/6/22](#)]

The 16 Republicans who signed on as false electors in December 2020 [were](#):

- **David Shafer, State GOP Chair:** Shafer is under [subpoena](#) by the Committee for leading the ‘delegation’ of fraudulent electors. In June 2022, he was [also subpoenaed](#) by the Department of Justice. Shafer was a Georgia state senator from 2003 to 2019, where he [served](#) as president pro tempore of the Georgia Senate for many years. In 2018, he ran for lieutenant governor, but was [defeated in the primary](#). [Select Committee to Investigate January 6th, [1/28/22](#); Washington Post, [6/23/22](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Georgia Secretary of State, [7/25/18](#)]
- **Shawn Still, State GOP Finance Chair and GOP State Senate District 48 Nominee:** Still is under [subpoena](#) by the Committee for co-leading the ‘delegation’ of fraudulent electors. He is running for State Senator for District 48. Still is also a [board member](#) of the Faith and Freedom Coalition in Georgia. [Select Committee, [1/28/22](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#)]
- **Burt Jones, State Senator and GOP Lieutenant Governor Nominee:** Jones is running for Lieutenant Governor and is [endorsed](#) by Trump. He has been a [member of the Georgia Senate](#) since 2013, representing central Georgia in the 25th District centered on Jasper County. After signing his fraudulent elector certificate, Jones [reportedly](#) said he would “only acknowledge Biden’s victory after a ‘legitimate investigation’ into Trump’s claims.” [Associated Press News, [9/2/21](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [12/14/20](#)]
- **Brad Carver, GA-11 District GOP Chair:** Carver is a [congressional district chairman](#) and a member of the Georgia GOP’s Executive Committee. On June 23, 2022, FBI agents “conducted court-authorized [law enforcement activity](#)” at Carver’s home in Atlanta. He is a [member](#) of the Republican National Lawyers Association, and [works as a Senior Managing Director](#) at Hall Booth Smith on “energy, utilities, environmental and local government law.” Carver represents clients before the Georgia Public Service Commission in the General Assembly, and served as a delegate to the 2016 Republican National Convention. [Hall Booth Smith, Accessed [6/23/22](#); Washington Post, [6/23/22](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#), Republican National Lawyers Association, Accessed [6/22/22](#)]

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- **Mark Amick, Georgia Republican Foundation Board Member:** In 2020, Amick served as a poll watcher in Milton County and [testified](#) in a hearing after the election that he allegedly saw more than 9,000 votes “wrongly go to Joe Biden” during the first Georgia recount. He [currently serves](#) on the Board of Governors for the Georgia Republican Foundation, having been [appointed by the Party Chair](#), “in recognition of having recruited a minimum of five members or contributed a minimum of \$5,000.” In 2019, Amick unsuccessfully ran for local office. [NTD, [12/4/20](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Georgia Republican Foundation, Accessed [6/22/22](#)]
- **James “Ken” Carroll, State GOP Assistant Secretary:** Carroll was a [plaintiff in a lawsuit](#) that sought to stop Georgia from certifying the election in 2020. He is a GOP activist from Easton, Georgia, who works in insurance. Shortly before the illegitimate elector ceremony, he [falsely told reporters](#) that Republican electors didn’t plan to meet and intervene with the Electoral College vote. Carroll was [re-elected](#) Assistant Secretary of the Georgia GOP in August 2021. [Supreme Court Case 20-816, [12/18/20](#); Georgia GOP, [8/11/21](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#)]
- **Vikki Townsend Consiglio, State GOP Assistant Treasurer:** Consiglio was also a [plaintiff in a lawsuit](#) that sought to stop Georgia from certifying the election in 2020. She is also on the [board of governors](#) for the Georgia Republican Foundation, having been [appointed by the Party Chair](#) “in recognition of having recruited a minimum of five members or contributed a minimum of \$5,000.” [Supreme Court Case 20-816, [12/18/20](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Georgia Republican Foundation, Accessed [6/22/22](#)]
- **Carolyn Hall Fisher, State GOP Vice Chair:** Fisher was a plaintiff [in the lawsuit](#) seeking to stop Georgia from certifying the election in 2020. She has [served](#) as first Vice Chair since 2017, and is a [former](#) chair of the Forsyth County GOP. [US Northern Georgia District Court, [12/4/20](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Forsyth News, [6/7/17](#)]
- **Cathleen “Cathy” Alston Latham, Teacher:** Latham was a plaintiff [in the lawsuit](#) seeking to stop Georgia from certifying the election in 2020. She is an [economics teacher](#) with the Georgia Virtual School, and [previously taught](#) at Coffee High School in Douglas until June 2021. [US Northern Georgia District Court, [12/4/20](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Coffee High School (Archived), [6/16/21](#)]
- **Gloria Kay Godwin, Local GOP Chair:** Godwin was also a [plaintiff in the lawsuit](#) seeking to stop Georgia from certifying the election in 2020. She currently serves as chair of the municipal-level Blackshear GOP and the [co-founder](#) of a conservative grassroots group, “Georgia Conservatives in Action.” In September 2020, she was [accused of interfering](#) in a citizen effort to obtain signatures for a recall election petition for City

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Council member Shawn Godwin, her grandson, but [reportedly](#) said she was “unaware” of the complaint. [Supreme Court Case 20-816, [12/18/20](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); The Blackshear Times, [9/15/20](#)]

- **Daryl Moody, Georgia Republican Foundation Chair:** Moody is a GOP [donor](#) who was [appointed to serve](#) as both Chairman of the Georgia Republican Foundation and as a member of the GOP State Executive Committee. [Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Georgia Republican Foundation, Accessed [6/22/22](#)]
- **Joseph Brannan, State GOP Treasurer:** Brannan is a [media executive](#) and also serves as Chair of the Muscogee County GOP, in addition to his role in the state party. In an [interview about](#) Brannan’s involvement in the fraudulent elector plot, he said that the Trump campaign asked him and other electors to “preserve his legal rights.” Brannan claimed that he saw “enough” evidence of “ballots in dispute” to support the campaign’s request. [Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Ledger-Enquirer, [1/31/22](#)]
- **Chandra “CB” Yadav, Former Campaign Staffer for Governor Kemp:** A [small business owner](#) in Camden County, Yadav serves as a member of the ‘Georgians First Commission’ under the office of Governor Brian Kemp. In 2020, he worked on Sen. Kelly Loeffler’s [unsuccessful re-election campaign](#). Yadav was also an [early supporter](#) of Kemp’s gubernatorial campaign, [having worked](#) on his Finance Committee as early as 2017. [Georgians First Commission, Accessed [6/22/22](#); Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); CB Yadav LinkedIn, Accessed [6/22/22](#)].
- **John Downey, Former Cobb County GOP District Chair:** Downey was a [district chair](#) for the Cobb County Republican Party. [Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); Cobb County Republican Party (Archived), [1/31/22](#)]
- **David G. Hanna, Former CEO:** Hanna [was the CEO and co-founder](#) of Atlanticus Holdings Corporation, an Atlanta-based financial holding company, until he [left the post](#) in March 2021. [Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); exchange, [3/22/21](#)]
- **Mark W. Hennessy, CEO:** Hennessy is the CEO of [several car dealerships](#) around the Atlanta area. He is also a [member](#) of a local group of “business and civic leaders,” known as ‘The Buckhead Coalition’. [Louisiana Illuminator, [1/28/22](#); The Buckhead Coalition, Accessed [6/22/22](#)]