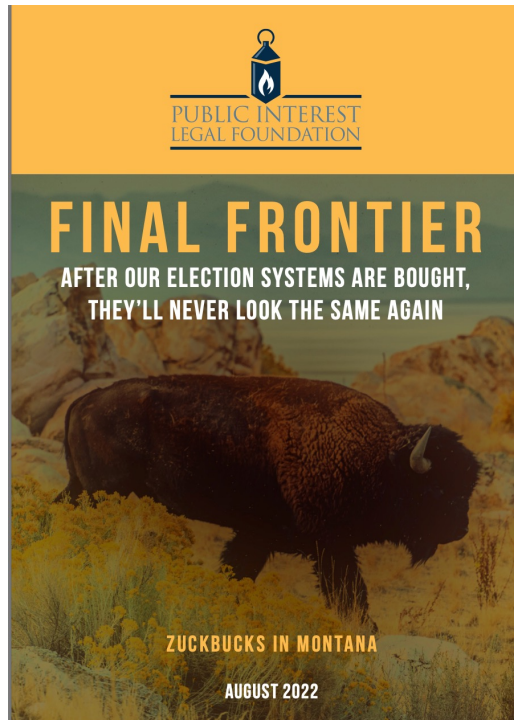
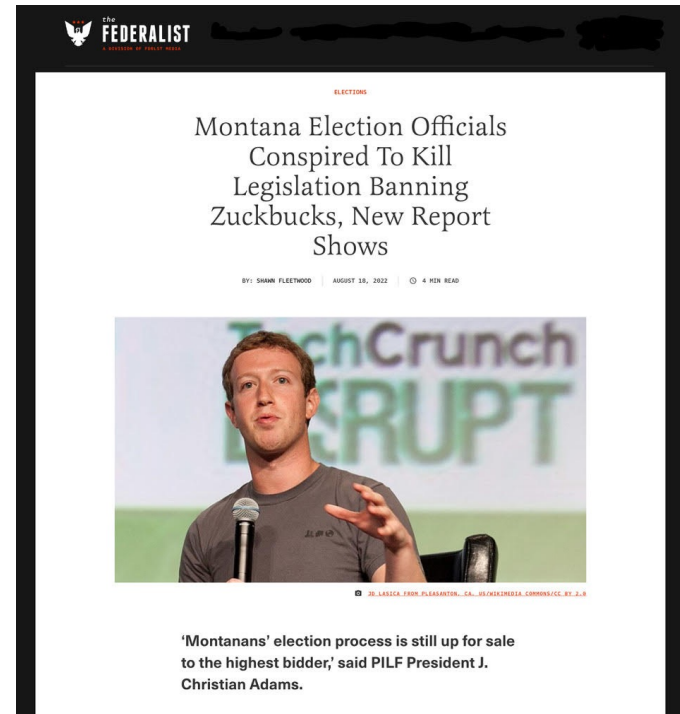


# MACo and MT Assn Clerks & Recordors Lobby Against Citizens



- [https://publicinterestlegal.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Report-Montana-Final\\_Frontier-Web.pdf](https://publicinterestlegal.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Report-Montana-Final_Frontier-Web.pdf)



- <https://thefederalist.com/2022/08/18/montana-election-officials-conspired-to-kill-legislation-banning-zuckbucks-new-report-shows/>

# Yes, we believe Montana election officials were bought !

M

Montana Association of Counties

I did find this: <https://www.influencewatch.org/non-profit/center-for-tech-and-civic-life/>

R

Ravalli County

Although, no matter the grant source, we by law cannot use the money for anything partisan and I know if any of us are audited, we would come out clean as far as that goes.

However, when you read that website it looks bad. I get why the Republicans are skeptical...

T

Toole County

[G]et rid of grant funding??? I believe they are trying to say we are being bought. I think this needs to be addressed by [Montana Association of Counties].

L

Lewis and Clark County

OPPOSE! Can [Montana Association of Counties] help us with this or do they support it? It's not uncommon for local government to accept grants or for elections departments to accept grants. I am guessing the concern will be over people "buying" our elections...



Wrong!  
MCA 13-1-302 says the county pays **ALL** costs of elections.

Wrong! It's **illegal** for elections depts to accept grants.