



# Yuma County Sheriff's Office

## Summary



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Yuma County Sheriff's Office  
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### Case

Case Number: 2022-00022055  
 Location: [REDACTED]  
 Reporting Officer ID: 1362 - Hemstreet

Incident Type: Fraud Business Commercial  
 Occurred From: 11/03/2020 08:00  
 Occurred Thru: 11/03/2020 08:00  
 Disposition: Open  
 Disposition Date: 03/11/2022  
 Reported Date: 03/11/2022 16:24 Friday

### Offenses

No.	Group/ORI	Crime Code	Statute	Description	Counts
1	State	90Z	16-1005A (F)	Person Knowingly Marks Voted/Unvoted Ballot w/Intent To Fix Election, Is Class 5 Felony	1
2	State	90Z	16-1016.2 (F)	Voting - More than Once	1
3	State	90Z	16-1016.4 (F)	Voting - Change/Destroy Ballot in Box	1

### Subjects

Type	No.	Name	Address	Phone	Race	Sex	DOB/Age
Suspect	1	POLLEY, Dorothy	[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Victim	1	STATE OF ARIZONA					83

### Arrests

Arrest No.	Name	Address	Date/Time	Type	Age
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### Property

Date	Code	Type	Make	Model	Description	Tag No.	Item No.
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### Vehicles

No.	Role	Vehicle Type	Year Make	Model	Color	License Plate	State
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## OfficerID: jahe, Narrative

SYNOPSIS: This is a voter fraud case reported by the Yuma County Recorder's Office. I was advised that a subject had voted in the November 2020 general election in Yuma County and in Oregon.

NARRATIVE: On 03-10-2022, at approximately 1400 hours, I met with officials from the Yuma County Recorders Office in reference to multiple different voter fraud cases that were occurring. Information was gathered and this case is pending extensive follow up.

ATTACHMENTS: None at this time.

SCENE: N/A

PROPERTY LOSS: N/A

EVIDENCE: Evidence gathered is in the form of copies of ballots and voter registration information that will later be added as attachments. The originals are locked in a vault at this time at the Yuma County Recorder's Office.

WITNESSES: N/A.

OFFICERS: N/A.

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# Supplement 1

**Yuma County Sheriff's Department  
Patrol Division  
Supplemental Report**

**2022-22055**

**Case Title: Voter Fraud**

**Date: 03/11/2022**

**Time: 1624**

**Case Agent: Sergeant J. Hemstreet #1362**

**Supplemental Report by: Sergeant J. Hemstreet #1362**

**Attachments:**

1. Signatures provided by the Yuma County Recorder's Office that were sent to the DPS Crime Lab for analysis and comparison.
2. Search warrant, affidavit and return, for the ballot envelopes with signatures
3. Registration and voter information provided by the Yuma County Recorder's Office.

**Narrative:**

**Case Background**

Dorothy POLLEY voted two times in the November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 general election by casting a ballot in Oregon on 11-03-2020. Dorothy POLLEY is on the permanent early voting list (PEVL), in Arizona, and a ballot was automatically loaded into her record on 10-14-2020, which was sent on 10-14-2020 and returned completed on 10-22-2020. The ballot number is 010G01, the ballot ID is B-40393325 and they are from batch ID 5015.

All of the case numbers taken with this investigation are as follows: 2022-22045, 22046, 22048, 22050, 22051, 22053, 22055, 22056, 22057, 22058, 27859, 27860, 27861, 27862, 27863, 27864, 49812.

**Investigation**

On 06-14-2022 I reviewed the documents that were sent to me by the Yuma County Recorder's Office. Among the documents I reviewed are voter registrations from Oregon and Arizona with the name and alleged signature of Dorothy POLLEY. Additionally a copy of the voter ballot envelope with an alleged signature of Dorothy POLLEY was also located and viewed. A rudimentary analysis of the signatures make me believe that they were all created by the same person. A scientific examination would need to confirm that.

Additionally I found that Dorothy POLLEY cast a ballot in Oregon on or about 11-03-2020 and also sent in an early ballot on or about 10-22-2020 to Arizona which was accepted on that date.

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Currently the Arizona ballot envelopes, from the 2020 general elections, are locked in the vault at the Yuma County Treasurer's Office and a court order is required to access them for signature comparisons.

On 06-21-2022 a search warrant was drafted for the ballot envelope at the Yuma County Treasurers Office and signed by Judge Mark Wayne REEVES. On 06-22-2022 the search warrant was served and the ballot envelope was obtained. Copies of the signatures provided by the Yuma County Recorder's Office were sent with the ballot envelopes to the Arizona Department of Public Safety Crime Laboratory for analysis and comparison. I am currently awaiting the results. On 06-23-2022 the search warrant was returned to Judge Kathryn STOCKING-TATE.



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### Attachments:

None.

### Narrative:

On 06-27-2022, at approximately 0954 hours, I went to [REDACTED] in an attempt to locate Dorothy POLLEY.

Upon my arrival I located [REDACTED] and it had a sign with a last name permanently affixed to the structure that was not "POLLEY". I knocked on the door a few times and attempted contact with the neighbors with no luck.

I will attempt to locate a phone number for Mrs. POLLEY and call her at a later time.

On 06-29-2022, at approximately 0720 hours, I contacted Mrs. Dorothy POLLEY at [REDACTED] and she answered the phone. I found that she was currently in Oregon and would not be back to Yuma until sometime in October.

The following is a general summary of our telephone conversation and is not verbatim.

I identified myself to her and explained to her that I was investigating some issues with ballots in the 2020 general elections. I asked her if she had a few moments to speak with me to which she stated that she did.

I asked her if she had voted in the 2020 general elections and she stated that she had. I asked her if she remembered where she had voted and if it was in Yuma or Oregon. She stated that she voted in Yuma because she was in Yuma at that time. I asked her if she had voted in Oregon as well and she stated that she did not.

She stated that sometimes she is in Yuma and sometimes she is in Oregon so she can vote in either.

I found that her house in Oregon has a mail box out by the street and she stated that all voting in Oregon is done by mail in. I also found that her daughter and grandchildren live year round at the Oregon address. I asked her if she had received an Oregon ballot at her Yuma address and she stated that she did not but she got her Arizona ballot there and had registered for it. Mrs. POLLEY stated that she has limited mobility and was not able to vote in person.

I confirmed she only voted in Yuma and asked her she had last voted in Oregon. She stated that she voted in the primary in Oregon. I also confirmed that she lives at the Yuma address during the winter months but she is at [REDACTED]

I told her that she did vote in Arizona in 2020 but I also had information that a ballot was cast in her name in Oregon. I asked her if it was possible someone had submitted a ballot in her name in Oregon in 2020 to which she stated that she did not know. She stated that it is all mail in voting up in Oregon. She stated that it is a possibility that someone cast a ballot in her name because there is a lot of people where she is at. She said it is not probable but is possible.

I asked if she lived anywhere near Portland and she stated that she did not and lived outside of Eugene. I then asked her if she had any questions for me and she stated that she did not.

I am currently awaiting the results from the signature comparisons from the Arizona Department of Public Safety Crime Lab.



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**Attachments:**

Results of the scientific examination request, regarding the signature comparison, sent to the Arizona Department of Public Safety.

**Narrative:**

On 11-11-2022 I received the results from the Arizona Department of Public Safety in reference to the handwriting analysis. A summary of the results of the Scientific Examination Report are as follows:

Examination and comparison of questioned item #A1 with known item #1 resulted in the following opinions:

- The questioned signature on item #A1 was probably executed by the writer of item #1, Dorothy Maureen POLLEY. An examination of additional known signatures of Dorothy Maureen POLLEY may provide the basis for a more definitive conclusion.

Attached is the SER. This case is being forwarded, as is, for a review of charges to the Yuma County Attorney's Office. It is unknown, if ever, that Mrs. POLLEY will return to Yuma.



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**The Yuma County Attorney's Office declined to pursue charges in this case. The declination is attached to this supplement.**