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Wisconsin man charged with illegally casting vote in McHenry County, admitting it on social media



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An arrest warrant has been issued for a Wisconsin man accused of casting a vote in McHenry County during the November 2020 election despite living in Wisconsin.

Robert J. Sandy, 50, of the 8900 block of Sheridan Road in Kenosha, Wisconsin, was charged with one count of perjury in election code, a Class 3 felony.

A McHenry County sheriff's detective said in a criminal complaint that Sandy knowingly made a false statement when he signed a ballot application on November 3, 2020.

The complaint said that Sandy certified he resided at a residence in the 700 block of Nancy Lane in McHenry for 30 days or more proceeding to the general election.

In a tweet posted to Twitter on November 6, 2020, which appeared to be from the same Robert Sandy now charged, the man admitted to traveling from Kenosha to McHenry County to vote in the election.

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"While I now live in Kenosha, WI, I never felt secure enough with the system, nor with my ability to maintain a life here, to attempt to change my voter registration from IL-14 prior to the election," Sandy wrote.