

Who would believe?

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It's come to this?

What should I do if I see armed groups near a polling place or voter registration drive?

First, document what you see:

- What are the armed people doing?
- What are the armed people wearing?
- Are they carrying firearms? If so, what type? If not, are they carrying other types of weapons?
- Are they wearing insignia? If so, what does it say or look like?
- Are they bearing signs or flags?
- Do they seem to be patrolling like a law enforcement officer might do?
- Do they seem to be coordinating their actions?
- Do they have a leader?
- Are they stopping or talking to people outside of their group?
- Do they appear to be provoking or threatening violence? If so, what are they doing specifically?
- Are people turning away from the polling station after seeing or speaking with them?

Second, call Election Protection at 866-OUR-VOTE (866-687-8683) to report what you see. Assistance is also available in **Spanish** at 888-VE-Y-VOTA (888-839-8682), in **Arabic** at 844-YALLA-US (844-915-5187), and **Asian languages** at 888-API-VOTE (1-888-174-8683). A video call number for **American Sign Language** is available at 301-818-VOTE (301-818-8683).