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Hon. Todd Blanche
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Dear Attorney General Blanche and Director Patel:

I am writing to express my strong opposition to reports of the Federal Bureau of Investigation's decision to reassign field agents from across the country to Atlanta to investigate the 2020 Election results in Georgia.¹ This is another dangerous diversion of resources from the FBI and Department of Justice's true mission, which is to make sure the American people are safe. This diversion is also playing into the dangerous lie that President Trump won the 2020 Presidential election.

This sweeping deployment of FBI agents and resources to Atlanta to investigate the 2020 election results is another troubling sign of a pattern in this administration to attempt to toss out, overturn, or cast doubt on election results that do not fit partisan narratives.

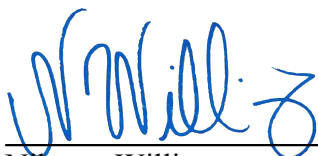
In light of these concerns and this troubling deployment of FBI agents, I request that you respond to this letter by providing the following information:

1. How much does this massive redeployment of FBI field agents to Atlanta cost taxpayers?
2. What particular aspects of the 2020 Presidential election have you assigned the field agents to investigate?
3. From which divisions, projects, and priorities are these field agents being diverted?
4. Has the Department of Justice informed local election officials of the FBI field agents' presence?
5. Does your office plan to brief the House Administration and House Judiciary Committees of this new redeployment?
6. Does your office plan to disclose the results of this new investigation effort to the House Administration and House Judiciary committees in either a public hearing or a closed door briefing?

This new redeployment of FBI field agents to Atlanta to investigate the 2020 Presidential election not only represents a massive waste of taxpayer dollars, but also represents a shift in focus in the work that the FBI normally does to make Americans safer. I condemn these efforts in the strongest possible terms and oppose the Department of Justice putting the American people's safety at risk by taking away our country's agents to assist in the President's witch hunt.

I look forward to your prompt response to these questions.

Sincerely,



Nikema Williams
Member of Congress

¹ [FBI orders field offices to send analysts to Atlanta for 2020 election investigation, sources say - CBS News](#)