



## Florida Governor Ron DeSantis Announces 20 Arrests For Voter Fraud (VIDEO)

### Description

**USA: Fort Lauderdale, FL – Florida Governor Ron DeSantis (R) on Thursday announced 20 individuals across the Sunshine State have been charged with voter fraud.**

20 people were arrested for voting illegally.

"The majority of these people illegally voted in Palm Beach, Broward and Miami Dade although there are others in other parts of the state," Governor DeSantis said.

"These folks voted illegally... They are disqualified from voting because they have been convicted of either murder or sexual assault!" DeSantis said.

DeSantis delivered the news from a courtroom in the Broward County Courthouse.

VIDEO:

WATCH: Ron DeSantis announces his Office of Election Crimes and Security is charging and arresting individuals across the state for voter fraud

"These folks voted illegally... They are disqualified from voting because they have been convicted of either murder or sexual assault!" [pic.twitter.com/JhQY2SIOzN](https://pic.twitter.com/JhQY2SIOzN)

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The Miami Herald [reported](#):

Gov. Ron DeSantis announced the arrests of 20 people across Florida on charges of voting illegally because they had been convicted of murder or sexual assault charges.

Under Florida law, people convicted of those crimes are not entitled to have their civil rights

restored and are not eligible to vote.

DeSantis, in making the announcement Thursday afternoon in a courtroom at the Broward County Courthouse in Fort Lauderdale, said there would be other arrests for people who cast ballots but were not eligible to vote in Florida for other reasons.

Florida Department of Law Enforcement Acting Commissioner Mark Glass said that officers from FDLE made arrests Thursday in the Tampa, Orlando and Miami areas.

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