Dear VSTF:

I strongly support all of the suggestions made by Barbara Simons and would like to see them included in the final report of the Task Force.

She clearly articulates the well-recognized and frequently and publicly discussed issue of the unsolved problem regarding vulnerabilities to remote attack. I would especially call to your attention the fact that the vulnerabilities to "trusted insiders (such as election officials [and vendors] behaving maliciously)" are not well-recognized, frequently ignored, and rarely discussed in detail in any public forum. I believe that we must not allow the juggernaut of benefits like convenience and cost-savings to obliterate an honest discussion of the risks of Internet voting.

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