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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about a coup. This week you subverted democracy - floating several approaches to undermine the upcoming election including indefinite postponement, selective vote suppression by postal manipulation and preemptive claims of rigging. The groundwork has been laid by refusing federal funds to help with voting amidst your epidemic, attacking both verbally and through the courts any such attempts and disrupting postal service with arbitrary rule changes ostensibly to reduce cost. Such threats add to today's substantial uncertainty and encourage the growing white nationalist terrorism of which the FBI has been warning.

Please assure me that you will resign.

I am very proud to be a US resident and a large part of that derives from our democracy.

Sincerely, Eric Babson