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# AI-generated deepfakes could wreak havoc in elections, but Arizona officials are determined to avoid that

“Experts say advances in election technology and best practices for security, auditing, and ballot secrecy have led most states to move away from the practice. Most states have more modern chain-of-custody requirements for post-election reconciliation, said Jennifer Morrell, a former election official and an expert on election audits. ‘You don’t have to have those numbers on the ballot to do that level of ballot accounting,’ she said.”

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