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# How Local Election Officials Can Prepare for the Risks of AI

This language capability concerns Noah Praetz, who managed one of the country's largest election districts before founding [The Elections Group](#). The Voting Rights Act [requires](#) language assistance during elections to some minority groups if their numbers are big enough in a community, but that doesn't mean election officials have the capacity or manpower to monitor or respond to misinformation in every language spoken in their communities. (All told, Americans speak [more than 350](#) languages.)

"There are communication pockets within the United States that aren't particularly accessible to election officials to combat anything that might be false," Praetz says.

[Read the full article in Governing.](#)

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