

# Meet Ray Epps, Part 2: Damning New Details Emerge Exposing Massive Web Of Unindicted Operators At The Heart Of January 6

[Revolver does it again](#). Great investigative reporting here.

Six weeks ago, Revolver News published a [blockbuster investigative report](#) on Ray Epps – a man who, more than any other individual, appears to be the key unlocking the question of active federal involvement in the so-called “Capitol Siege” of January 6th.

Out of all of the thousands of January 6’s protesters, and the thousands of hours of publicly available footage from that fateful day, Ray Epps has turned out to be perhaps the only person nailed dead to rights confessing on camera to plotting a pre-planned attack on the Capitol. On both January 5 and January 6, Epps announced multiple times, at multiple locations, his upcoming plot to breach the US Capitol. He then spent hours attempting to recruit hundreds of others to join him. On top of it all, Epps was seen leading key people and managing key aspects of the initial breach of the Capitol grounds himself.

Watch:

It would be one thing if Epps’s repeated calls on January 5 to “go into the Capitol” had simply amounted to bluster. But Epps

followed through on his stated mission to shepherd others inside. In clips 4-6 of the above compilation, we see Epps actively orchestrate elements of the very first breach of the Capitol barricades at 12:50 p.m, while Trump still had [20 minutes left](#) in his rally speech.

It is noteworthy that this Ray Epps breach occurs [just one minute](#) after Capitol Police began responding to reports of two “pipe bombs” located at DNC and GOP headquarters, respectively. Rather conveniently, the already-handicapped Capitol Police thus had still-fewer resources with which to respond to the barricade breach in question.

While the “pipe bombs” turned out to be a dud, the Ray Epps breach proved fateful. Today, the official stories told by the [New York Times](#), the [Wall Street Journal](#), and the [US Justice Department](#) all depict the apparent Ray Epps-orchestrated 12:50 p.m. initial breach of metal barricades as the “Big Bang” event of January 6.

In large part, this description is hardly an exaggeration. **Indeed, it was the 12:50 p.m. breach of the Capitol grounds, in conjunction with a [handful of suspicious individuals ripping down fencing and signage](#), that set in motion the conditions allowing for 1/6 to turn from a rally into a riot.**

**In this report, we will blow open this network of still-unindicted key operators who appear to have been at work either with or around Ray Epps during the initial Capitol grounds breach. You, dear reader, will be scandalized – though perhaps unsurprised – to learn that none of the actors covered in this report have received attention in the mainstream press, despite their active and indispensable roles in the events of 1/6.**

As we explained in detail in our previous report, the FBI originally put Ray Epps’s face on its Capitol Violence “Most

Wanted List” on January 8, 2021, just two days after 1/6. They offered a [cash reward](#) for information leading to his arrest. In fact, rank-and-file FBI agents initially deemed Epps’s role as an apparent riot organizer so important that they named him Suspect #16—one of the first 20 high-profile FBI targets in a database now packed with more than 500 suspects.

Then, six months later on June 30, 2021, both [Revolver News](#) and [The New York Times](#) published inconvenient stories that encouraged a more aggressive interrogation of the “Ray Epps third rail,” leading reasonable people to wonder why this publicly identified man on the Most Wanted List still had no charges filed against him.

The FBI responded to these important media stories the very next day. But their response was to [quietly purge](#) all online Ray Epps files from their website, then switch to a posture of “What? Who? Ray Epps? Never heard of him.”

Agents of the FBI Field Office in Phoenix (where Epps lives) have gone so far as to [explicitly deny knowledge](#) that Ray Epps even exists. Instead of pursuing Epps, [FBI agents have instead pursued journalists](#) who had the temerity to ask Epps in person if he was a government operative. “I understand that, but I can’t say anything,” is all Epps would [tell](#) them.

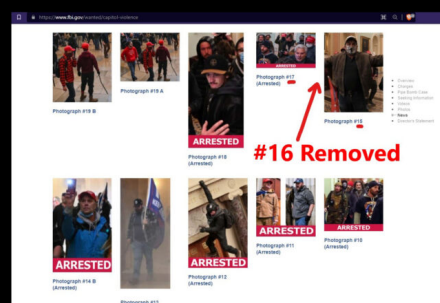
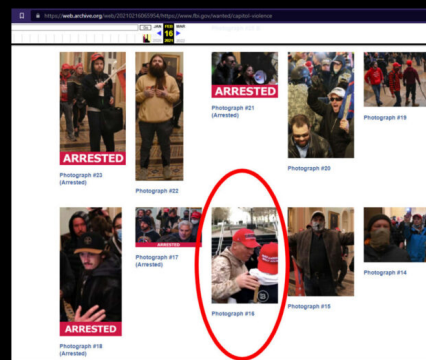
Here’s a quick visual synopsis of this timeline:

## JAN. 8, 2021 - JULY 1, 2021

- FBI MAKES RAY EPPS A **TOP SUSPECT** ON “MOST WANTED” LIST
- **MULTIPLE CALLS** FOR PUBLIC HELP TO IDENTIFY HIM
- **CASH REWARD** OFFERED FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO ARREST
- PUBLIC, LOCAL NEWSPAPERS ID EPPS, **LIVING IN PHOENIX, AZ**

## JULY 1, 2021 - PRESENT

- **SUDDENLY DELETES** EPPS FROM DATABASE AFTER PRESS EXPOSURE
- **NO ARREST** AND NO EXPLANATION GIVEN
- US ATTORNEY GENERAL **REFUSES TO ANSWER QUESTIONS**
- FBI AGENTS IN PHOENIX, AZ **DENY ALL KNOWLEDGE** EPPS EXISTS



The sham Congressional January 6 Commission seems to be going along with the charade of Ray Epps denialism. For all of its recent gesticulations about [Mark Meadows's benign text messages](#), the Commission has yet to express even a basic interest in Ray Epps or his communications leading up to and on January 6.

But the specter of Ray Epps, and the ominous questions his immunity raises, loom too large to be memory-holed by poorly coordinated efforts of government denial. In light of the above, it is both amusing and symbolically appropriate that despite the FBI's attempt to purge Epps's face from its “Wanted” database (and public denials of his existence from authorized agents), the FBI DC Field Office still features Ray Epps as a “Wanted” man in its [current pinned Twitter image](#) (look closely and you'll find it).

If Epps turns out to have been some kind of government operative, which at present is the only clean and simple explanation for his immunity, it is game over for the official “MAGA insurrection” narrative of 1/6. Epps was the day's loudest riot recruiter, and its apparent leader of the very first breach of Capitol grounds. If Ray Epps is a Fed, the

**“Insurrection” becomes the “Fedsurrection” in one fell swoop.**

These are the stakes at play in unraveling the Ray Epps enigma.

**But it is imperative to note that if Epps was just a cog in a much larger federal operation, he would not have been deployed alone. Historically speaking, when Feds have [orchestrated fake mobs of fake protesters](#), or contrived fake conspiratorial plots, the Feds’ own assets have commonly comprised between 16% to 25% of the plot’s participants, at least in its key respects. Indeed, [the FBI once flew in 1,600 rowdy spooks](#) to infiltrate a single convention with just 10,000 protesters.**

In recent times, attacks blamed on right-wing militias have blown past the 16% mark on the Fed Saturation Index and have been clocking in at a whopping 25-50%. As Revolver has [previously noted](#):

*Students of FBI history should quickly absorb the lesson that infiltrating Feds are like roaches: whenever you spot one, it is guaranteed there are dozens of others nearby. Feds simply never, ever, operate alone. This is how you end up with at least [12 FBI informants](#) in a tiny “right-wing” Michigan militia plot from October 2020 (that’s just informants, not even agents), [15 informants](#) in the “right-wing” 2016 Malheur plot, dozens in the 2014 Bundy Ranch affair – [including six FBI undercover agents posing as fake documentarians shooting a fake documentary](#) – and the list goes on.*

So if Ray Epps was instructed by the government to play his part in various recruiting, breaching and crowd control efforts that day, we would expect many other informants to be set up around him.

To test this hypothesis, Revolver spent the past six weeks comprehensively mapping Ray Epps’s network of interactions on January 6, and profiling the key people around him who

complemented his efforts. We did a deep dive into other key figures involved in the initial breach of the Capitol grounds, as well as figures who played an instrumental role in fence removal and crowd control. In short, we investigated key players whose early actions on 1/6 turned the rally into a riot.

The bad news for Fedsurrection Deniers is the results are in, and they look even worse for the FBI than Revolver's already low expectations. For brevity, we profile five of the most egregious cases in this report, and tell the story of how they crossed paths and interacted with, and in some cases coordinated with Ray Epps to make 1/6 possible. Some of these cases are so wild as to constitute Epps-sized scandals unto themselves.

But first, it important to note that Feds at the mere informant level are seldom told by their handlers of the presence of other government informants around them. From each individual informant's perspective, the agitators around them would look as lawless to them as they did to the crowd.

[This exact strange situation](#) played out in the climax of the Whitmer Kidnapping Plot. The car that prosecutors say "cased" the Governor's house had five passengers—two homeless patsies, and [three secret Feds](#). But only the agent-level Fed in the car had total operational awareness. Each of the two informants in the car probably thought the other was a legitimate insurrectionist.

So it is not necessary for all or any of the individuals covered in this report to know each other or to have affirmatively "worked together" to have formed a "team" through collective effort. A simple text message from a federal handler to "Be at the Peace Monument at 12:45 p.m. and [flush out the crazies](#)" would be all that's needed for a large ring of provocateurs to simultaneously be in the same place, at the same time, contributing to the same breach.

**So now, without further ado, we will tell the true, documented story of 1/6 that the Regime doesn't want you to hear, involving key unindicted figures the Regime would prefer that you never heard of.**

If there were such a thing as an unbiased January 6 Commission that sought to piece together the accurate timeline and narrative of events on 1/6, the following study would be the sort of thing it would publish.

Revolver makes no facial allegation about any of the individuals below. However, some very serious, shocking and time-sensitive questions are raised by this report. To that extent, our accusations and demands are aimed squarely at the US Justice Department.

FBI Director Chris Wray and Attorney General Merrick Garland have an awful lot of explaining to do.

**[Continue reading here: The Booby Trap that Turned a Rally into a Riot](#)**