



STATE OF COLORADO                    )  
  ) SS.                    **CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION**  
**CHAFFEE COUNTY**

I, Lori A. Mitchell the Chaffee County Clerk and Recorder, do hereby certify the Official Abstract of Votes Cast attached herein for the 2016 General Election held in Chaffee County on the 22nd of November, 2016.

We the undersigned Canvass Board for the 2016 General Election, do hereby certify that:

- We have reviewed the Post-Election Manual Random Audit
- We have reviewed all ballot forms and ballot logs associated with this election
- We have compared the number of ballots counted to the number of ballots cast
- We have reviewed and do hereby certify the results in the Official Abstract of Votes Cast

Witness our hands and seal this 22nd of November 2016.

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Lori A. Mitchell, Chaffee County Clerk and Recorder

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Theresa Cortese, Dem. Canvass Board Member

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Charles Constance, Rep. Canvass Board Member

<b>Amendment 70 (Constitutional)</b>																	
<p>Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution increasing the minimum wage to \$9.30 per hour with annual increases of \$0.90 each January 1 until it reaches \$12 per hour effective January 2020, and annually adjusting it thereafter for cost-of-living increases?</p>																	
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>
Undervotes		16	21	48	31	35	34	42	28	31	25	28	28	22	18	18	425
Overvotes		1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
YES		349	389	585	486	522	432	667	347	331	388	406	355	414	311	243	6225
NO		162	167	274	424	399	445	552	317	464	413	270	182	439	237	203	4948
<b>Total Votes</b>		<b>511</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>859</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>877</b>	<b>1219</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>853</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>11173</b>
<b>Amendment 71 (Constitutional)</b>																	
<p>Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution making it more difficult to amend the Colorado constitution by requiring that any petition for a citizen-initiated constitutional amendment be signed by at least two percent of the registered electors who reside in each state senate district for the amendment to be placed on the ballot and increasing the percentage of votes needed to pass any proposed constitutional amendment from a majority to at least fifty-five percent of the votes cast, unless the proposed constitutional amendment only repeals, in whole or in part, any provision of the constitution?</p>																	
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>
Undervotes		35	51	65	59	66	47	83	50	53	60	49	51	38	35	27	769
Overvotes		0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	9
YES		288	247	414	598	515	573	727	406	515	478	380	265	538	324	251	6519
NO		205	278	427	284	375	291	451	238	257	287	273	248	299	207	186	4306
<b>Total Votes</b>		<b>493</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>841</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>890</b>	<b>864</b>	<b>1178</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>10825</b>

**Amendment 72 (Constitutional)**

SHALL STATE TAXES BE INCREASED \$315.7 MILLION ANNUALLY BY AN AMENDMENT TO THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION INCREASING TOBACCO TAXES, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2017, INCREASING TAXES ON CIGARETTES BY 8.75 CENTS PER CIGARETTE (\$1.75 PER PACK OF 20 CIGARETTES) AND ON OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS BY 22 PERCENT OF THE MANUFACTURER'S LIST PRICE; AND ALLOCATING SPECIFIED PERCENTAGES OF THE NEW TOBACCO TAX REVENUE TO HEALTH-RELATED PROGRAMS AND TOBACCO EDUCATION, PREVENTION, AND CESSATION PROGRAMS CURRENTLY FUNDED BY EXISTING CONSTITUTIONAL TOBACCO TAXES; AND ALSO ALLOCATING NEW REVENUE FOR TOBACCO-RELATED HEALTH RESEARCH, VETERANS' PROGRAMS, CHILD AND ADOLESCENT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH, CONSTRUCTION AND TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS FOR QUALIFIED HEALTH PROVIDERS, EDUCATIONAL LOAN REPAYMENT FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS IN RURAL AND UNDERSERVED AREAS, AND HEALTH PROFESSIONAL TRAINING TRACKS?

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Total
Undervotes	13	21	40	23	14	17	43	27	26	29	21	22	21	16	15	348
Overvotes	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
YES	259	300	399	390	471	422	517	296	311	325	341	289	371	253	205	5149
NO	256	256	467	528	470	472	701	371	489	473	341	253	483	297	244	6101
<b>Total Votes</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>941</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>1218</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>798</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>854</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>11250</b>

<b>Proposition 106 (Statutory)</b>																	
<p>Shall there be a change to the Colorado revised statutes to permit any mentally capable adult Colorado resident who has a medical prognosis of death by terminal illness within six months to receive a prescription from a willing licensed physician for medication that can be self-administered to bring about death; and in connection therewith, requiring two licensed physicians to confirm the medical prognosis, that the terminally-ill patient has received information about other care and treatment options, and that the patient is making a voluntary and informed decision in requesting the medication; requiring evaluation by a licensed mental health professional if either physician believes the patient may not be mentally capable; granting immunity from civil and criminal liability and professional discipline to any person who in good faith assists in providing access to or is present when a patient self-administers the medication; and establishing criminal penalties for persons who knowingly violate statutes relating to the request for the medication?</p>																	
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>
Undervotes		21	19	43	37	27	28	53	25	43	30	23	24	25	18	15	431
Overvotes		0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
YES		382	424	625	629	647	565	743	416	420	477	473	407	543	396	315	7462
NO		125	134	239	275	282	318	464	253	362	320	208	134	307	152	134	3707
<b>Total Votes</b>		<b>507</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>864</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>929</b>	<b>883</b>	<b>1207</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>797</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>11169</b>
<b>Proposition 107 (Statutory)</b>																	
<p>Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes recreating a presidential primary election to be held before the end of March in each presidential election year in which unaffiliated electors may vote without declaring an affiliation with a political party?</p>																	
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>
Undervotes		42	41	82	59	62	54	96	59	61	65	55	47	42	30	32	827
Overvotes		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
YES		328	376	550	585	589	572	727	436	484	478	400	322	504	353	296	7000
NO		158	160	275	297	304	285	439	199	281	284	248	196	329	183	136	3774
<b>Total Votes</b>		<b>486</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>893</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>1166</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>762</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>833</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>10774</b>

<b>Proposition 108 (Statutory)</b>																	
<p>Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning the process of selecting candidates representing political parties on a general election ballot, and, in connection therewith, allowing an unaffiliated elector to vote in the primary election of a political party without declaring an affiliation with that party and permitting a political party in specific circumstances to select all of its candidates by assembly or convention instead of by primary election?</p>																	
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>
Undervotes		45	47	82	69	73	55	112	57	71	64	53	56	41	42	35	902
Overvotes		0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
YES		256	310	466	471	457	470	624	344	377	411	320	254	395	283	239	5677
NO		227	219	359	401	425	386	525	293	378	352	331	255	439	241	190	5021
<b>Total Votes</b>		<b>483</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>1149</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>763</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>10698</b>
<b>Ballot Issue 1A Chaffee County</b>																	
<p>SHALL CHAFFEE COUNTY TAXES BE INCREASED BY \$100,000.00 ANNUALLY (FIRST FULL FISCAL YEAR INCREASE), AND BY WHATEVER AMOUNTS ARE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER, AS AUTHORIZED BY COLORADO REVISED STATUTES 29-2-114, THROUGH THE IMPOSITION OF AN EXCISE TAX OF 5% OF THE AVERAGE MARKET RATE, AS DETERMINED BY THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, ON THE FIRST SALE OR TRANSFER OF UNPROCESSED RETAIL MARIJUANA BY A RETAIL MARIJUANA CULTIVATION FACILITY LOCATED WITHIN CHAFFEE COUNTY; WITH THE REVENUES TO BE USED FOR HUMAN SERVICES, PUBLIC HEALTH (INCLUDING MENTAL HEALTH), WORKFORCE HOUSING, AND EXPENSES RELATED TO THE REGULATION OF MARIJUANA AND OTHER DRUGS AND ENFORCEMENT OF RELATED LAWS, AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHAFFEE COUNTY; AND SHALL SUCH REVENUE BE COLLECTED, RETAINED AND SPENT AS A VOTER-APPROVED REVENUE AND SPENDING CHANGE, NOTWITHSTANDING THE LIMITATIONS CONTAINED IN ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW?</p>																	
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>
Undervotes		12	20	27	21	21	32	48	29	35	30	15	24	21	15	14	364
Overvotes		0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	6
YES		238	229	361	522	483	539	659	379	471	472	345	241	463	255	196	5853
NO		278	327	518	398	452	339	554	286	320	325	343	300	391	296	253	5380
<b>Total Votes</b>		<b>516</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>1213</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>797</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>854</b>	<b>551</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>11233</b>

**Ballot Issue 2A City of Salida**

Shall the City of Salida adopt Ordinance 2016-16, amending Section 4-3-50 of the Salida Municipal Code concerning the disposition of revenue to read as follows?

Sec. 4-3-50. Disposition of Revenue.

(a) No less than thirty-two percent (32%) of proceeds received from the three percent (3%) sales tax imposed by the City of Salida shall be deposited into the Streets Fund and used solely for the construction, operation, maintenance and repair of city Streets and Street-related infrastructure as defined herein, or to pay debt service on bonds or other obligations of the City issued to provide for such Streets and Street-related infrastructure as defined herein. For purposes of this Section "Street" is defined in Section 1-2-10 of the Salida Municipal Code, except that said definition of Street for this Section shall not be interpreted to include recreational trails. "Street-related infrastructure" includes, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, storm drainage systems, and water or sewer lines underlying or running along Streets as defined herein. The terms "construction, operation, maintenance and repair" may apply to capital projects or operating projects. If used for operating projects, expenditures shall be applied only to costs that are traceable directly to the authorized work (e.g. in-house or contracted labor and materials for Street maintenance or repair). It shall not be used to cover Public Works departmental overhead, allocated costs or work not done on Streets and Street-related infrastructure.

**(Ballot Issue 2A City of Salida continued)**

(b) Up to eight percent (8%) of proceeds received from the three percent (3%) sales tax imposed by the City of Salida shall be allocated to the Capital Improvement Fund to be used to provide Capital Improvements, as defined herein, other than Streets, as defined herein, or to pay debt service bonds or other obligations of the City issued to provide for such Capital Improvements. "Capital improvements" is defined as expenditures on items or improvements over \$5,000 and with a useful life of longer than three (3) years, including, by way of example, machinery, vehicles, equipment, facilities and public improvements. For purposes of this Section, allowable expenditures from the Capital Improvement Fund include, but not be limited to: 1) paying the costs of acquiring or constructing any Capital Improvement; 2) acquiring land or equipment; 3) the costs associated with issuing bonds or other obligations; 4) the costs of capitalized interest and reserves; and 5) the costs of operating and maintaining the Capital Improvements to be provided.

(c) Up to two percent (2%) of the proceeds received from the three percent (3%) sales tax imposed by the City of Salida shall be allocated to the Economic Development Fund to be used, as approved by City Council, for Economic Development purposes. "Economic Development purposes" includes, but is not limited to, the creation of affordable and sustainable housing and to the support of efforts to improve the standard of living of the community through the creation of jobs, the support of innovation and new ideas, the creation of greater net wealth; and the improvements to quality of life.

(d) Any proceeds from the sales tax for restricted spending or special revenue funds which are received and not spent within the same fiscal year shall be retained in the fund to which it is deposited or allocated and spent only for the purposes defined for that fund in future years.

(e) All other proceeds received from the three percent (3%) sales tax imposed by the City of Salida shall be allocated to the General Fund for General Fund purposes as established by local, state or federal laws, rules, regulations or policy.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Total
Undervotes	50	56	73		20						61	48		0	5	313
Overvotes	0	0	0		0						0	0		0	0	0
YES	274	265	452		135						343	276		3	24	1772
NO	202	256	319		76						261	241		3	21	1379
<b>Total Votes</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>771</b>		<b>211</b>						<b>604</b>	<b>517</b>		<b>6</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>3151</b>

**Ballot Issue 3A Buena Vista School District**

SHALL BUENA VISTA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. R-31 DEBT BE INCREASED UP TO \$52 MILLION, WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF UP TO \$81 MILLION, AND SHALL DISTRICT TAXES BE INCREASED UP TO \$4.3 MILLION ANNUALLY, WITH THE PROCEEDS OF SUCH DEBT TO BE USED FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES INCLUDING:

· CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING A NEW MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL ON THE CURRENT CAMPUS SITE TO INCLUDE:

•SAFETY AND SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS;

•AUDITORIUM FOR COMMUNITY USE;

•ENERGY EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENTS

· ATHLETIC FACILITIES;

·TECHNOLOGY-ENABLED LEARNING SPACE FOR COLLABORATIVE LEARNING;

·UPGRADING AND IMPROVING THE EXISTING INDUSTRIAL ARTS FACILITY LOCATED ON THE MIDDLE SCHOOL/HIGH SCHOOL CAMPUS;

AND SHALL THE MILL LEVY BE INCREASED IN ANY YEAR WITHOUT LIMITATION AS TO RATE BUT ONLY IN AN AMOUNT SHALL BE SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON SUCH DEBT OR ANY REFUNDING DEBT WHEN DUE; THE AUTHORITY FOR SUCH TAX AND MILL LEVY INCREASE TO TERMINATE WHEN THE DEBT OR REFUNDING DEBT IS PAID; SUCH DEBT TO BE EVIDENCED BY THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OR OTHER MULTIPLE FISCAL YEAR FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS WHICH MAY BE SOLD FROM TIME TO TIME IN AN AGGREGATE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THE MAXIMUM AUTHORIZED PRINCIPAL AMOUNT AND REPAYMENT COST, ON TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS THE DISTRICT MAY DETERMINE, INCLUDING PROVISIONS FOR REDEMPTION OF THE BONDS PRIOR TO MATURITY WITH OR WITHOUT PAYMENT OF THE PREMIUM; AND SHALL THE DISTRICT'S DEBT LIMIT BE INCREASED FROM AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 20% OF THE DISTRICT'S ASSESSED VALUE TO AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 6% OF THE DISTRICT'S ACTUAL VALUE, EACH AS CERTIFIED BY THE COUNTY ASSESSOR OF CHAFFEE COUNTY?



<b>Ballot Issue 3A Buena Vista School District</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>
Undervotes							19	28	13	17	15			23	0		115
Overvotes							0	0	0	0	0			0	0		0
YES							283	384	177	209	234			229	3		1519
NO							609	850	632	472	578			556	5		3702
<b>Total Votes</b>							<b>892</b>	<b>1234</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>812</b>			<b>785</b>	<b>8</b>		<b>5221</b>

**ABSTRACT OF VOTES CAST      2016 CHAFFEE COUNTY GENERAL ELECTION - NOVEMBER 8, 2016**

**STATE OF COLORADO, S.S.**      I, County Clerk in and for said County of Chaffee in the State aforesaid, do hereby Certify that the above is  
**COUNTY OF CHAFFEE**      a true, full and correct copy of the official abstracts of all the votes cast at the General Election, as shown by the  
Official Abstracts of Votes Cast of the County Board of Canvassers of the returns from all voting precincts in said Chaffee County, said Abstracts  
being on file in my office.

In testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 22nd day of November, 2016

  
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Lori A. Mitchell, Chaffee County Clerk & Recorder

  
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Theresa Ann Cortese  
Canvass Member

  
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Paula Barnett, Elections Director

  
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Charles Constance  
Canvass Member