



STATE OF COLORADO

2020 VOTER GUIDE

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Name	About	Recommended Vote
Amendment B <i>Repeal Property Tax Assessment Rates</i>	Repeals the Gallagher Amendment of 1982, which limited the residential and non-residential property tax assessment rates so that residential property taxes amounted to 45% of the total share of state property taxes and non-residential property taxes amounted to 55% of the total share of state property taxes.	NO Violation of limited government and raises taxes.
Amendment C <i>Bingo Raffles Allow Paid Help and Repeal Five-Year Minimum</i>	Requires charitable organizations to have existed for three years before obtaining a charitable gaming license instead of five years; allows charitable organizations to hire managers and operators of gaming activities so long as they are not paid more than the minimum wage.	NO Gambling harms families and this expands gambling.
Amendment 76 <i>Citizenship Qualification of Electors</i>	Amends the Colorado Constitution to state that "only a citizen" of the U.S. can vote in federal, state, and local elections, instead of the existing language that says "every citizen" of the U.S. can vote.	YES Supports the original intent of the Constitution.
Amendment 77 <i>Local Voter Approval of Gaming Limits in Black Hawk, Central City, and Cripple Creek</i>	Allows voters in Central City, Black Hawk, and Cripple Creek to vote to expand allowed gaming types and bet limits.	NO Gambling harms families and this expands gambling.

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Proposition EE <i>Cigarette Tobacco and Nicotine Products Tax</i>	Increases taxes on tobacco, creates a new tax on nicotine products such as e-cigarettes; dedicates funds to education and health programs.	NO Violation of limited government and raises taxes.
Proposition 113 <i>National Popular Vote</i>	Joins Colorado into the National Popular Vote Interstate Compact, awarding Colorado's electoral votes to the winner of the national popular vote. https://protectcoloradosvote.org/	NO Violation of the original intent of the Constitution.
Proposition 114 <i>Restoration of Gray Wolves</i>	Reintroduces gray wolves on public lands. https://rethinkwolves.com/	NO Violation of property rights.
Proposition 115 <i>Prohibition on Late-Term Abortions</i>	Prohibits abortion after 22 weeks gestational age. https://www.duedatetoolate.com/	YES Supports the sanctity of life.
Proposition 116 <i>State Income Tax Rate Reduction</i>	Decreases the state income tax rate from 4.63% to 4.55%. https://fairtaxcolorado.org/	YES Reduces taxes and limits government.
Proposition 117 <i>Voter Approval Requirement for Creation of Certain Fee-Based Enterprises</i>	Requires voter approval of new enterprises that are exempt from TABOR if their revenue is greater than \$50 million within its first five years.	YES Supports limited government and the original intent of the Constitution.
Proposition 118 <i>Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program</i>	Establishes a program for paid medical and family leave.	NO Violation of free markets and limited government.

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