

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES

COUNTYWIDE 2017 COORDINATED ELECTION

THIS IS NOT YOUR OFFICIAL BALLOT

SAMPLE BALLOT INCLUDED



ANALYSIS OF THE 2017 BALLOT PROPOSALS

A YES vote on any ballot issue is a vote IN FAVOR OF
changing current law or existing circumstances, and a
NO vote on any ballot issue is a vote AGAINST
changing current law or existing circumstances.

Election Date: November 7, 2017

Conduct of Election:

This election will be conducted as a mail ballot election. Mail ballots will be delivered by U.S. Mail and sent to voters beginning October 16, 2017. Voted mail ballots must be received by the Douglas County Elections Office before 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 7, 2017. Postmarks do not count.

Coordinated Election Official:

Merlin Klotz, Douglas County Clerk and Recorder
301 N. Wilcox Street
P.O. Box 1360
Castle Rock, CO 80104
303-660-7469

24/7 Drop-off Locations

The following locations will be open 24/7 beginning Monday, October 16, 2017 and will remain open until 7:00 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, November 7, 2017.

Castle Pines – Castle Pines Library, 360 Village Square Lane, 80108

Castle Rock – Douglas County Elections Office, 125 Stephanie Place, 80109

Castle Rock – Town of Castle Rock, 100 N. Wilcox Street, 80104

Highland Ranch-Highlands Ranch Motor Vehicle, 2223 W. Wildcat Reserve Parkway, 80129

Highlands Ranch – Highlands Ranch Sheriff's Substation, 9250 Zotos Drive, 80129

Larkspur- Town of Larkspur, 8720 Spruce Mountain Road, Larkspur, 80118

Lone Tree – Lone Tree Motor Vehicle, Park Meadows Center, 9350 Heritage Hills Circle, 80124

Parker – Parker Police Department, 18600 Lincoln Meadows Parkway, 80134

Parker – Parker Town Hall, 20120 E. Mainstreet, 80138

Ballot Drop-Off Locations

The following ballot Drop-off Locations will be open Monday through Sunday from October 16 through November 6, 2017 during regular business hours of the location and Election Day, Tuesday, November 7, 2017 from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.:

Roxborough – Roxborough Library – 8357 N. Rampart Road, Ste. 200, 80125

VOTER SERVICE AND POLLING CENTERS

The following locations will be open to assist voters on the following dates and times:
October 30 through November 6, 2017 Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 4, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Election Day, Tuesday, November 7, 2017 from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Douglas County Elections – 125 Stephanie Place, Castle Rock, 80109

Highlands Ranch Sheriff's Substation – 9250 Zotos Drive, Highlands Ranch, 80129

Lone Tree Motor Vehicle, Park Meadows Center (lower level) – 9350 Heritage Hills Circle, Lone Tree, 80124

Parker Town Hall – 20120 E. Mainstreet, Parker, 80138

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A sample ballot containing these issues has been included in this booklet.

This Notice of Election to Increase Taxes and sample ballot is a composite of all races and contests within Douglas County for the November 2017 Coordinated Election. They are representative of every race in Douglas County. Voters may not be eligible to vote on every race included in the Notice of Election to Increase Taxes or on the Sample Ballot. For example, a voter in Castle Rock would not be eligible to vote for the Mayor of Aurora even though it is displayed on the Sample Ballot. Voters will be mailed a ballot that includes only the races they are eligible to vote on.

The information contained in this notice was prepared by persons required by law to provide summaries of ballot issues and fiscal information.

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES ON A REFERRED MEASURE

Election Date: Tuesday, November 7, 2017

Election Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Local Election Office:
390 Union Blvd., Suite 400
Lakewood, CO 80228
(303) 986-1551

JACKSON 105 FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT BALLOT ISSUE NO. 5A:

SHALL JACKSON 105 FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TAXES BE INCREASED \$188,551 ANNUALLY, COMMENCING IN 2018, OR BY SUCH AMOUNT AS MAY BE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER BY THE IMPOSITION OF AN ADDITIONAL MILL LEVY RATE OF UP TO 4.0 MILLS, RESULTING IN A TOTAL DISTRICT PROPERTY TAX RATE OF 12.11 MILLS, EXCLUSIVE OF REFUNDS, ABATEMENTS, OR DEBT SERVICE, TO PAY THE DISTRICT'S OPERATING, MAINTENANCE AND OTHER EXPENSES (PROVIDED THAT SUCH TOTAL MILL LEVY SHALL BE ADJUSTED UP OR DOWN TO ACCOUNT FOR CHANGES IN LAW OR THE METHOD BY WHICH ASSESSED VALUATION IS CALCULATED OCCURRING AFTER 2017, SO THAT TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, THE ACTUAL TAX REVENUES GENERATED BY THE TOTAL MILL LEVY, AS ADJUSTED, ARE NEITHER DIMINISHED NOR ENHANCED AS A RESULT OF SUCH CHANGES); AND SHALL THE DISTRICT BE AUTHORIZED TO COLLECT, RETAIN AND SPEND THE REVENUE THEREFROM AS AN EXCEPTION TO THE LIMITS THAT WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW, AND AS A PERMANENT WAIVER OF THE 5.5% LIMITATION UNDER SECTION 29-1-301, C.R.S.?

Total District Fiscal Year Spending:

2017 (estimated)	\$431,577
2016 (actual)	\$364,364
2015 (actual)	\$369,330
2014 (actual)	\$290,062
2013 (actual)	\$395,743

Overall percentage change from 2013 to 2017: 9%

Overall dollar change from 2013 to 2017: \$35,834

Proposed District Tax Increase:

Estimated first full fiscal year maximum dollar amount of increase: \$188,551

Estimated first full fiscal year spending without the increase: \$440,000

Summary of Written Comments For the Proposal:

YES ON 5A – JACKSON 105 FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT'S MILL LEVY INCREASE
A YES VOTE ON 5A FOR JACKSON 105 FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT'S MILL LEVY INCREASE will insure the district can staff Station 142 with 2 Firefighters 24/7, 365 days a year. Staffing the station 24/7, 365 days a year will improve our response times for all emergencies. Improving response times by 4 to 6 minutes for any emergency can impact the outcome of the emergency greatly. On November 7, voters of the Jackson 105 Fire Protection District are being asked to approve a 4.0 Mill Levy property tax increase. This increase is necessary to insure staffing is adequate, maintain, repair and replace aging equipment, update facilities and aid in the recruitment and retention of volunteers which are vital to the success of the department in providing services to our community. These services include but are not limited to the following: Emergency Medical Services, structural and wildland fire suppression, Hazardous Materials emergencies, public education, vehicle accidents, search and rescue missions and assistance to the public as needed. The Gallagher Amendment will have a negative impact on the district's annual operating budget starting in 2018. The approximate negative impact to the operating budget in 2018 is \$30,000. The Gallagher Amendment could potentially impact the district's operating budget in the years to come negatively as it gets evaluated every other year. An example of the Mill Levy increase for a \$500,000 home in the district would cost the taxpayer an additional \$144.00 per year.

Summary of Written Comments Against the Proposal:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

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Election Date: Tuesday, November 7, 2017

Election Hours: 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Micki L. Mills, Designated Election Official

390 Union Boulevard, Suite 400

Lakewood, Colorado 80228

Telephone number 303-218-7206.

SOUTH SUBURBAN PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT BALLOT ISSUE 4B:

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WITHOUT RAISING TAX RATES OR IMPOSING ANY NEW TAX, SHALL SOUTH SUBURBAN PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT'S EXISTING 1 MILL PROPERTY TAX LEVY (APPROVED IN MAY 2010) AND EXISTING 2 MILL PROPERTY TAX LEVY (APPROVED IN NOVEMBER 2014) BE EXTENDED IN ALL FUTURE YEARS TO PAY OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES, INCLUDING:

(1) MAINTAINING AND CONSERVING NATURAL AREAS, OPEN SPACE AND PARKS THROUGHOUT THE DISTRICT;

(2) MAINTAINING AND IMPROVING WALKING, BIKING AND HIKING TRAILS (SUCH AS HIGH LINE CANAL, LEE GULCH, MARY CARTER GREENWAY, BIG DRY CREEK, AND WILLOW CREEK);

(3) REPAIRING AND IMPROVING EXISTING PARKS, RECREATION FACILITIES AND PLAYGROUNDS;

(4) REPLACING OUTDATED MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT WITH NEW ENERGY SAVING SYSTEMS INCLUDING RENEWABLE ENERGY; AND

(5) SAVING WATER BY REPLACING INEFFICIENT IRRIGATION SYSTEMS IN PARKS AND USING NON-TREATED WATER WHERE FEASIBLE?

SOUTH SUBURBAN PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT BALLOT ISSUE 4C:

WITHOUT IMPOSING ANY NEW TAX, SHALL SOUTH SUBURBAN PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT DEBT BE INCREASED \$46,860,000, WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF UP TO \$61,657,541 TO PROVIDE PARK AND RECREATION AMENITIES, INCLUDING:

(1) IMPROVING CONNECTIVITY OF EXISTING TRAILS IN THE DISTRICT TO REGIONAL TRAILS SUCH AS THE HIGH LINE CANAL TRAIL, AND PROVIDING IMPROVEMENTS ALONG THE TRAILS FOR WALKERS AND BIKERS;

(2) IMPROVING ENERGY AND WATER EFFICIENCY AT PARKS, FIELDS AND FACILITIES;

(3) REPAIRING AND IMPROVING AGING RECREATION FACILITIES TO PROVIDE UPDATED SERVICES FOR SENIORS, FAMILIES AND CHILDREN;

(4) PROVIDING MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR ACTIVE RECREATION FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND ADULTS BY BUILDING A NEW INDOOR MULTI-GENERATIONAL FACILITY, INCLUDING TURF FIELDS AND PICKLEBALL COURTS; AND

(5) RENOVATING AND UPGRADING EXISTING PLAYGROUNDS AND IMPROVING EXISTING PARKS; AND SHALL THE TAX APPROVED AT THE MAY 2000 ELECTION BE USED TO PAY PREVIOUSLY ISSUED DEBT AND EXTENDED TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE DEBT AUTHORIZED BY THIS QUESTION OR TO REFINANCE SUCH DEBT, WHICH IS NOT EXPECTED TO INCREASE THE EXISTING DEBT SERVICE LEVY OF 1.163 MILLS, BUT WHICH LEVY MAY BE INCREASED IF NECESSARY ANNUALLY WITHOUT LIMITATION AS TO RATE; AND SHALL SUCH DEBT BE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO BE SOLD IN ONE SERIES OR MORE, FOR A PRICE AT, ABOVE OR BELOW PAR, ON TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS PERMITTED BY LAW?

Total District Fiscal Year Spending*:

2017 (estimated)	<u>\$45,046,107</u>
2016 (actual)	<u>\$44,608,976</u>
2015 (actual)	<u>\$42,022,428</u>
2014 (actual)	<u>\$38,375,864</u>
2013 (actual)	<u>\$35,734,564</u>

* Includes General and Enterprise Fund Revenue

Overall percentage change from 2013 to 2017: 26.06%

Overall dollar change from 2013 to 2017: \$9,311,543

Proposed District Bonded Debt:

Principal Amount:	\$46,860,000
Maximum Annual Repayment Cost:	\$ 3,967,845
Total Repayment Cost:	\$61,657,541

Information on District's Current Debt:

Principal Amount Outstanding:	\$ 9,835,000
Maximum Annual Repayment Cost:	\$ 3,967,485
Remaining Total Repayment Cost:	\$10,834,500

Summary of Written Comments IN FAVOR of Ballot Issue 4B:

Without increasing your taxes, the South Suburban Park and Recreation District will be able to provide much-needed funding to continue to operate and maintain open space, trails, parks and facilities. A YES vote on 4B will extend the existing 1 and the 2 mill levies which are due to expire in 3 years and 7 years, respectively. Asking the voters now allows us to more effectively plan for the future. If these levies are not extended, the District's general revenue for maintenance and operations will be cut by more than one-third affecting our ability to maintain our parks, open space, trails and recreational facilities.

The voters gave the original approval of these mill levies, and since then we have all benefited and South Suburban Park and Recreation District has been a good steward of public funds. These funds are used for operations and other expenses including maintaining and improving trails such as the High Line Canal, Lee Gulch, Mary Carter, Big Dry and Willow Creek trails. They also pay for the much need repairs to playgrounds, parks and other recreational facilities. These investments are what make our community special and provides us the quality of life we have all come to expect – but there is more to be done. Let's continue to invest in our communities, neighborhoods and keep our high quality of life, vote YES on 4B!

Summary of Written Comments AGAINST Ballot Issue 4B:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

Summary of Written Comments IN FAVOR of Ballot Issue 4C:

The voters originally approved issuing bonds in 2000 to fund many improvements throughout the South Suburban Park and Recreation District including the Buck Recreation Center, Lone Tree Recreation Center and renovation of 11 playgrounds, just to name a few. Those investments are now complete and the debt used to pay for those projects will be paid off in 2018. But it is time for us to plan for the next round of citizen-driven improvements and new projects. We live in a special place with a truly unique and special quality of life and are very proud of the investments we've made in our community – Let's continue to invest in our seniors, families and children. Open space, parks, recreation facilities and trails increase property values and improve our quality of life.

A YES vote on 4C will without raising taxes:

- Construct new recreation facilities and including a new multi-generational indoor turf field athletic complex with pickleball courts and other amenities.
- Provide for major upgrades to existing outdated and well-used facilities like Goodson Recreation Center including locker rooms, entry, weight rooms.
- Make energy efficiency equipment upgrades and infrastructure improvements at Goodson Recreation Center.
- Upgrades to 10 existing outdated playgrounds throughout the District. Potential parks include: Lonesome Pine, Centennial Ridge, Hamlet, Berry, Ida, Foxhill, Foxridge, Palos Verdes Tot-lot, Harmony, Bobcat.
- Improve Athletic Fields/Water Conservation/Energy Efficiency including ball field renovations at Southbridge Park, Harlow Park, Altair Park, Cherry Knolls Park. Implement water conservation and energy efficiency projects at Cornerstone Park including synthetic turf fields and new lighting. Develop plans to reduce potable water usage at Ketrang, Gallup and Cherry Knolls parks.
- Renovate tennis courts at Sheridan Community Park and Harlow Park.
- Construct new pavilion and restroom at Writers Vista Park.
- Provide trail connections and wayfinding sign updates for the Mary Carter Greenway Trail, East-West Regional Trail and High Line Canal.

Let's keep investing in our community, vote YES on 4C!

Summary of Written Comments AGAINST Ballot Issue 4C:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

CITY OF LITTLETON
NOTICE OF ELECTION
ON A REFERRED MEASURE

Election Date and Hours: November 7, 2017, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Designated Election Official:
Wendy Heffner, City Clerk
2255 West Berry Avenue, Littleton, CO 80120
Telephone: (303) 795-3753

BALLOT ISSUE #2C

WITHOUT CREATING ANY NEW TAX OR INCREASING ANY CURRENT TAXES, SHALL THE CITY OF LITTLETON, COLORADO BE AUTHORIZED TO RETAIN AND SPEND ALL TAXES, GRANTS AND OTHER REVENUES RECEIVED IN 2016 IN EXCESS OF LIMITATIONS ESTABLISHED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION, USING SUCH EXCESS EXISTING REVENUES ONLY FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS TO INCLUDE SOME OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING USES AND ALLOCATIONS DEPENDING ON THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS, WITH ALL PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION REMAINING IN EFFECT, INCLUDING VOTER APPROVAL OF ANY NEW TAX, TAX RATE INCREASE OR ADDITIONAL DEBT?

PROJECTS:

1. PAVEMENT IMPROVEMENT INITIATIVE - RESIDENTIAL STREETS
2. BOWLES AVENUE AND FEDERAL BOULEVARD INTERSECTION SAFETY UPGRADES

TOTAL PROJECT ESTIMATE USING EXCESS EXISTING REVENUES \$1,937,904.

☐ YES ☐ NO

Summary of Written Comments For Issue:

One comment received.

A "yes" vote is urged. City revenues are not keeping pace with the costs of services. City infrastructure is in poor shape – among the poorest rated for municipalities in the Denver region. \$1.9 million may seem like a great deal of money but it does not go far when repairing streets. This money will help tackle the significant backlog for Littleton infrastructure improvements.

Summary of Written Comments Against Issue:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

CITY OF LITTLETON

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Wendy Heffner, City Clerk
2255 West Berry Avenue, Littleton, CO 80120
Telephone: (303) 795-3753

BALLOT ISSUE #2D

WITHOUT CREATING ANY NEW TAX OR INCREASING ANY CURRENT TAXES, SHALL THE CITY OF LITTLETON, COLORADO BE ABLE TO:

1. RETAIN AND SPEND IN 2017 AND THEREAFTER ALL REVENUES EQUAL TO THE 2016 REVENUE TOTAL; AND

2. ADJUST 2016 REVENUE TOTAL EACH YEAR THEREAFTER FOR INFLATION AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION; AND

3. ADJUST 2016 REVENUE TOTAL EACH YEAR THEREAFTER FOR THE PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN LOCAL GROWTH AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION;

AND ADJUSTED BY THE QUALIFICATION OR DISQUALIFICATION OF ENTERPRISES AND DEBT SERVICE CHANGES AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION WITH ALL PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION REMAINING IN EFFECT, INCLUDING VOTER APPROVAL OF ANY NEW TAX, TAX RATE INCREASE OR ADDITIONAL DEBT?

☐ YES ☐ NO

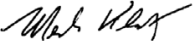




Summary of Written Comments For Issue:

A "yes" vote is urged. City revenues are not keeping pace with the costs of services due to a number of reasons. Chief among them is poor City Council leadership over the past several years. However, this citizen is grateful that all but one council member voted "yes" to put this question on the ballot. It is one small and necessary step to putting the city on a more sustainable fiscal path.

Summary of Written Comments Against Issue:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

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Official Ballot		
2017 Coordinated Election		
Douglas County, Colorado		
November 07, 2017		
		Precinct <i>Sample</i>
 Merlin Klotz - Clerk and Recorder		
Important Voter Instructions 1 Use a black or blue pen to mark your choices on the ballot.   2 To vote for your choice in each contest, completely fill in the box provided to the left of your choice.   3 To vote for a write-in candidate, fill in the box to the left of the words "Write-in" and write in the name of the candidate on the line provided. WARNING! Any person who, by the use of force or other means, unduly influences an eligible elector to vote in any particular manner or to refrain from voting, or who falsely makes, alters, forges, or counterfeits any mail ballot before or after it has been cast, or who destroys, defaces, mutilates, or tampers with a ballot is subject, upon conviction, to imprisonment, or to a fine, or both.		
ADDITIONAL RACES MAY BE ON THE BACK OF THIS BALLOT		
Douglas County School District RE-1 Candidates for Office		
School Board Director, District B Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Anthony Graziano <input type="checkbox"/> Ryan Abresch		
School Board Director, District D Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Chris Schor <input type="checkbox"/> Randy Mills		
School Board Director, District E Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Kevin Leung <input type="checkbox"/> Grant Nelson		
School Board Director, District G Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Debora Scheffel <input type="checkbox"/> Krista Holtzmann		
City of Castle Pines Candidates for Office		City of Littleton Candidates for Office
Mayor Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Tera Radloff <input type="checkbox"/> Geoff Blue		Council Member At Large Vote for Two <input type="checkbox"/> Kyle Schlachter <input type="checkbox"/> Karina Elrod <input type="checkbox"/> Doug Clark <input type="checkbox"/> Carol Brzeczek
City Council, Ward 1 Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Melissa Coudeyras		Council Member District III Vote for One <input type="checkbox"/> Phil Cernanec <input type="checkbox"/> Carol Fey <input type="checkbox"/> Steven Esses
City Council, Ward 2 Vote for One for a Two Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Gregg Fisher		
City Council, Ward 2 Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Ben Price		
City Council, Ward 3 Vote for One for a Two Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Write-in		
City Council, Ward 3 Vote for One for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Write-in		

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City of Aurora Candidates for Office	City of Littleton Ballot Measures	City of Littleton Ballot Measures
Council Member At-Large Vote for Not More than Two for a Four Year Term <input type="checkbox"/> Brian E. Arnold <input type="checkbox"/> Dave Gruber <input type="checkbox"/> Reid Hettich <input type="checkbox"/> Allison Hiltz <input type="checkbox"/> Tim Huffman <input type="checkbox"/> Abel Laeke <input type="checkbox"/> Tom Tobiassen <input type="checkbox"/> Russ Wagner	Ballot Issue 2C WITHOUT CREATING ANY NEW TAX OR INCREASING ANY CURRENT TAXES, SHALL THE CITY OF LITTLETON, COLORADO BE AUTHORIZED TO RETAIN AND SPEND ALL TAXES, GRANTS AND OTHER REVENUES RECEIVED IN 2016 IN EXCESS OF LIMITATIONS ESTABLISHED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION, USING SUCH EXCESS EXISTING REVENUES ONLY FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS TO INCLUDE SOME OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING USES AND ALLOCATIONS DEPENDING ON THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS, WITH ALL PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION REMAINING IN EFFECT, INCLUDING VOTER APPROVAL OF ANY NEW TAX, TAX RATE INCREASE OR ADDITIONAL DEBT? PROJECTS: 1. PAVEMENT IMPROVEMENT INITIATIVE - RESIDENTIAL STREETS 2. BOWLES AVENUE AND FEDERAL BOULEVARD INTERSECTION SAFETY UPGRADES TOTAL PROJECT ESTIMATE USING EXCESS EXISTING REVENUES \$1,937,904. Vote Yes or No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Ballot Issue 2D WITHOUT CREATING ANY NEW TAX OR INCREASING ANY CURRENT TAXES, SHALL THE CITY OF LITTLETON, COLORADO BE ABLE TO: 1. RETAIN AND SPEND IN 2017 AND THEREAFTER ALL REVENUES EQUAL TO THE 2016 REVENUE TOTAL; AND 2. ADJUST 2016 REVENUE TOTAL EACH YEAR THEREAFTER FOR INFLATION AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION; AND 3. ADJUST 2016 REVENUE TOTAL EACH YEAR THEREAFTER FOR THE PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN LOCAL GROWTH AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION; AND ADJUSTED BY THE QUALIFICATION OR DISQUALIFICATION OF ENTERPRISES AND DEBT SERVICE CHANGES AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION WITH ALL PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION REMAINING IN EFFECT, INCLUDING VOTER APPROVAL OF ANY NEW TAX, TAX RATE INCREASE OR ADDITIONAL DEBT? Vote Yes or No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Continue voting on the next side 	

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<div>Town of Castle Rock</div> <div>Ballot Measures</div>	<div>South Suburban Park and Recreation District</div> <div>Ballot Measures</div>	<div>South Suburban Park and Recreation District</div> <div>Ballot Measures</div>
<div>Ballot Question 300</div> <div>Castle Rock Charter Amendment</div> <div>Shall the Town of Castle Rock Home Rule Charter be amended to provide that the Town Council, the seven-member governing body of the Town, consist of a Mayor elected by all of the electors of the Town for a four-year term, with the Mayor's service limited to two four-year terms, and six Councilmembers who are elected for four-year terms by the electors of the district where each Councilmember resides?</div> <div>Vote Yes or No</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> No</div>	<div>Ballot Issue 4B</div> <div>WITHOUT RAISING TAX RATES OR IMPOSING ANY NEW TAX, SHALL SOUTH SUBURBAN PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT'S EXISTING 1 MILL PROPERTY TAX LEVY (APPROVED IN MAY 2010) AND EXISTING 2 MILL PROPERTY TAX LEVY (APPROVED IN NOVEMBER 2014) BE EXTENDED IN ALL FUTURE YEARS TO PAY OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES, INCLUDING: (1) MAINTAINING AND CONSERVING NATURAL AREAS, OPEN SPACE AND PARKS THROUGHOUT THE DISTRICT; (2) MAINTAINING AND IMPROVING WALKING, BIKING AND HIKING TRAILS (SUCH AS HIGH LINE CANAL, LEE GULCH, MARY CARTER GREENWAY, BIG DRY CREEK, AND WILLOW CREEK); (3) REPAIRING AND IMPROVING EXISTING PARKS, RECREATION FACILITIES AND PLAYGROUNDS; (4) REPLACING OUTDATED MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT WITH NEW ENERGY SAVING SYSTEMS INCLUDING RENEWABLE ENERGY; AND (5) SAVING WATER BY REPLACING INEFFICIENT IRRIGATION SYSTEMS IN PARKS AND USING NON-TREATED WATER WHERE FEASIBLE?</div> <div>Vote Yes or No</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> No</div>	<div>Ballot Issue 4C</div> <div>WITHOUT IMPOSING ANY NEW TAX, SHALL SOUTH SUBURBAN PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT DEBT BE INCREASED \$46,860,000, WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF UP TO \$61,657,541 TO PROVIDE PARK AND RECREATION AMENITIES, INCLUDING: (1) IMPROVING CONNECTIVITY OF EXISTING TRAILS IN THE DISTRICT TO REGIONAL TRAILS SUCH AS THE HIGH LINE CANAL TRAIL, AND PROVIDING IMPROVEMENTS ALONG THE TRAILS FOR WALKERS AND BIKERS; (2) IMPROVING ENERGY AND WATER EFFICIENCY AT PARKS, FIELDS AND FACILITIES; (3) REPAIRING AND IMPROVING AGING RECREATION FACILITIES TO PROVIDE UPDATED SERVICES FOR SENIORS, FAMILIES AND CHILDREN; (4) PROVIDING MORE OPPORTUNITIES FOR ACTIVE RECREATION FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND ADULTS BY BUILDING A NEW INDOOR MULTI-GENERATIONAL FACILITY, INCLUDING TURF FIELDS AND PICKLEBALL COURTS; AND (5) RENOVATING AND UPGRADING EXISTING PLAYGROUNDS AND IMPROVING EXISTING PARKS; AND SHALL THE TAX APPROVED AT THE MAY 2000 ELECTION BE USED TO PAY PREVIOUSLY ISSUED DEBT AND EXTENDED TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE DEBT AUTHORIZED BY THIS QUESTION OR TO REFINANCE SUCH DEBT, WHICH IS NOT EXPECTED TO INCREASE THE EXISTING DEBT SERVICE LEVY OF 1.163 MILLS, BUT WHICH LEVY MAY BE INCREASED IF NECESSARY ANNUALLY WITHOUT LIMITATION AS TO RATE; AND SHALL SUCH DEBT BE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO BE SOLD IN ONE SERIES OR MORE, FOR A PRICE AT, ABOVE OR BELOW PAR, ON TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS PERMITTED BY LAW?</div> <div>Vote Yes or No</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> No</div>
<div>City of Aurora</div> <div>Ballot Measures</div>		
<div>Ballot Question 2K</div> <div>Amend Aurora City Charter Section 3-6</div> <div>Shall Section 3-6 of the Aurora City Charter be amended from the November 1993 approval to increase the salaries of councilmembers to \$18,500 per year, increase the salary of the mayor to \$80,000 per year, and increase the salary of the mayor pro-tem to \$20,550 per year, effective January 1, 2018?</div> <div>Vote Yes or No</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</div> <div><input type="checkbox"/> No</div>		

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Ballot Measures

Ballot Issue 5A
SHALL JACKSON 105 FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TAXES BE INCREASED \$188,551 ANNUALLY, COMMENCING IN 2018, OR BY SUCH AMOUNT AS MAY BE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER BY THE IMPOSITION OF AN ADDITIONAL MILL LEVY RATE OF UP TO 4.0 MILLS, RESULTING IN A TOTAL DISTRICT PROPERTY TAX RATE OF 12.11 MILLS, EXCLUSIVE OF REFUNDS, ABATEMENTS, OR DEBT SERVICE, TO PAY THE DISTRICT'S OPERATING, MAINTENANCE AND OTHER EXPENSES (PROVIDED THAT SUCH TOTAL MILL LEVY SHALL BE ADJUSTED UP OR DOWN TO ACCOUNT FOR CHANGES IN LAW OR THE METHOD BY WHICH ASSESSED VALUATION IS CALCULATED OCCURRING AFTER 2017, SO THAT TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, THE ACTUAL TAX REVENUES GENERATED BY THE TOTAL MILL LEVY, AS ADJUSTED, ARE NEITHER DIMINISHED NOR ENHANCED AS A RESULT OF SUCH CHANGES); AND SHALL THE DISTRICT BE AUTHORIZED TO COLLECT, RETAIN AND SPEND THE REVENUE THEREFROM AS AN EXCEPTION TO THE LIMITS THAT WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW, AND AS A PERMANENT WAIVER OF THE 5.5% LIMITATION UNDER SECTION 29-1-301, C.R.S.?

Vote Yes or No

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

Sample Ballot

Vote Both Sides



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