

Precincts 1, 2, 3 & 5  
Outside the Las Animas City Limits  
and outside the McClave School Dist.

Official Ballot for 2022 General Election  
Bent County, Colorado  
Tuesday, November 8, 2022

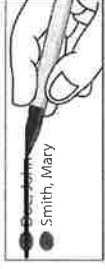
Shirley A. Wilcox  
Clerk and Recorder



To vote for a named candidate, completely fill in the oval to the left of your choice. Use blue or black ink.



To vote for an eligible write-in candidate, completely fill in the oval to the left of the write-in line, and print the name of the candidate on the line. If a race does not contain a write-in line, you cannot vote for a write-in candidate.



To make a correction in a race with more than one candidate, draw a bold line through the oval and candidate name marked by mistake, then fill in the oval next to the correct name. If you voted for the only candidate in a race and want to withdraw that vote, you must request a replacement ballot.

**WARNING:** Any person who, by 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, Section 1-7.5-107(3)(b), C.R.S.

**Federal Offices**

**United States Senator**  
(Vote for One)

- Michael Bennet Democratic
- Joe O'Dea Republican
- T.J. Cole Unity
- Brian Peotter Libertarian
- Frank Atwood Approval Voting  
(Signed declaration to limit service to no more than 2 terms)
- Write-in:

**Representative to the 118th United States Congress - District 4**  
(Vote for One)

- Ike McCorkle Democratic
- Ken Buck Republican
- Ryan McGonigal American Constitution  
(Signed declaration to limit service to no more than 3 terms)

**State Offices**

**Governor/Lieutenant Governor**  
(Vote for One Pair)

- Heidi Ganahl / Danny Moore Republican
- Jared Polis / Dianne Primavera Democratic
- Paul Noel Fiorino / Cynthia Muntros de Aquino Sirinani Unity
- Danielle Neuschwanger / Darryl Gibbs American Constitution
- Kevin Ruskusky / Michele Poague Libertarian

**Secretary of State**  
(Vote for One)

- Pam Anderson Republican
- Jena Griswold Democratic
- Gary Swing Unity
- Jan Kok Approval Voting
- Amanda Campbell American Constitution
- Bennett Rutledge Libertarian

**State Treasurer**  
(Vote for One)

- Dave Young Democratic
- Lang Sias Republican
- Anthony J. Delgado Libertarian

**State Offices**

**Attorney General**  
(Vote for One)

- John Kellner Republican
- Phil Weiser Democratic
- William F. Robinson III Libertarian
- Write-in:

**State Board of Education Member - At Large**  
(Vote for One)

- Kathy Plomer Democratic
- Dan Maloit Republican
- Ryan Van Gundy Libertarian
- Eric Bodenstab Unity

**Regent of the University of Colorado - Congressional District 4**  
(Vote for One)

- Jack Barrington Democratic
- Frank McNulty Republican

**State Senator - District 35**  
(Vote for One)

- Rod Pelton Republican
- Travis Star Nelson Democratic

**State Representative - District 47**  
(Vote for One)

- Edwin Dean Ormiston Democratic
- Ty Winter Republican

**County Offices**

**County Commissioner - District 2**  
(Vote for One)

- Alan Stump Republican
- Ross Stolz Democratic

**County Clerk and Recorder**  
(Vote for One)

- Lynda G. Moss Democratic

**County Treasurer**  
(Vote for One)

- Kathy Brown Republican

**County Assessor**  
(Vote for One)

- Guy F. Wagner Democratic

**County Sheriff**  
(Vote for One)

- Jake R. Six Republican
- Write-in:

**County Offices**

**County Surveyor**  
(Vote for One)

- There are no candidates for this office.

**County Coroner**  
(Vote for One)

- Jason Nichols Republican

**Judicial Retention Questions**  
(Vote Yes or No)

**Colorado Court of Appeals Judge**

Shall Judge Jaclyn Casey Brown of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

Shall Judge Terry Fox of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

Shall Judge Christina Finzel Gomez of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

Shall Judge Matthew D. Grove of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

Shall Judge Susanna P. Johnson of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

Shall Judge Lino S. Lipinsky de Orlov of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

Shall Judge Neel V. Pawar of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

Shall Judge David H. Yun of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

**District Court Judge - 16th Judicial District**

Shall Judge Mark A. MacDonnell of the 16th Judicial District be retained in office?  
 YES  NO

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Mark both sides of the ballot

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Ballot Measures

Ballot questions referred by the general assembly or any political subdivision are listed by letter, and ballot questions initiated by the people are listed numerically. A ballot question listed as an amendment proposes a change to the Colorado constitution, and a ballot question listed as a proposition proposes a change to the question in a vote in favor of a specific topic on any ballot question is a vote in favor of a specific topic on any ballot question is a vote against a changing current law or existing circumstances.

State Ballot Measures

Amendment D (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning judges of the newly created twenty-third judicial district, and, in connection therewith, directing the governor to designate judges from the eighteenth judicial district to serve the remainder of their terms in the twenty-third judicial district and requiring a judge so designated to establish residency within the twenty-third judicial district?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Amendment E (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning the extension of the property tax exemption for qualifying seniors and disabled veterans to the surviving spouse of a United States armed forces service member who died in the line of duty or veteran whose death resulted from a service-related injury or disease?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Amendment F (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning the conduct of charitable gaming activities, and, in connection therewith, allowing managers and operators to be paid and repealing the required period of a charitable organization's continuous existence before obtaining a charitable gaming license?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Proposition FF (STATUTORY)

SHALL STATE TAXES BE INCREASED \$100,727,820 ANNUALLY BY A CHANGE TO THE COLORADO REVISED STATUTES THAT, TO SUPPORT HEALTHY MEALS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS, INCREASES STATE TAXABLE INCOME ONLY FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE FEDERAL TAXABLE INCOME OF \$300,000 OR MORE BY LIMITING ITEMIZED OR STANDARD STATE INCOME TAX DEDUCTIONS TO \$12,000 FOR SINGLE TAX RETURN FILERS, AND \$16,000 FOR JOINT TAX RETURN FILERS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, CREATING THE HEALTHY SCHOOL MEALS FOR ALL PROGRAM TO PROVIDE FREE SCHOOL MEALS FOR PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS TO PURCHASE COLORADO GROWN, RAISED, OR PROCESSED PRODUCTS TO INCREASE WAGES OR PROVIDE STIPENDS FOR EMPLOYEES WHO PREPARE AND SERVE SCHOOL MEALS, AND TO CREATE PARENT AND STUDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEES TO PROVIDE ADVICE TO ENSURE SCHOOL MEALS ARE HEALTHY AND APPEALING TO ALL STUDENTS, AND CREATING A PROGRAM TO ASSIST IN PROMOTING COLORADO FOOD PRODUCTS AND PREPARING SCHOOL MEALS USING BASIC NUTRITIOUS INGREDIENTS WITH MINIMAL RELIANCE ON PROCESSED PRODUCTS?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Proposition GG (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes requiring that the ballot title and fiscal summary for any ballot initiative that increases or decreases state income tax rates include a table showing the average tax change for tax filers in different income categories?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Proposition 121 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes reducing the state income tax rate from 4.55% to 4.40%?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

State Ballot Measures

Proposition 122 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning legal regulated access to natural medicine for persons 21 years of age or older, and, in connection therewith, defining natural medicine as certain plants or fungi that affect a person's mental health and are controlled substances under state law, establishing a natural medicine regulated access program for supervised care, and requiring the department of regulatory agencies to implement the program and comprehensively regulate natural medicine to protect public health and safety, creating an advisory board to advise the department as to the implementation of the program, granting a local government limited authority to regulate the time, place, and manner of providing natural medicine services, allowing limited personal possession, use, and uncompensated sharing of natural medicine, providing specified protections under state law, including criminal and civil immunity, for authorized providers and users of natural medicine, and, in limited circumstances, allowing the retroactive removal and reduction of criminal penalties related to the possession, use, and sale of natural medicine?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Proposition 123 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning statewide funding for additional affordable housing, and, in connection therewith, dedicating state revenues collected from an existing tax of one-tenth of one percent on federal taxable income of every individual, estate, trust, and corporation, as defined in law, for affordable housing and exempting the dedicated revenues from the constitutional limitation on state fiscal year spending, allocating 60% of the dedicated revenues to affordable housing financing programs that will reduce rents, purchase land for affordable housing development, and build assets for renters; allocating 40% of the dedicated revenues to programs that support affordable home ownership, serve persons experiencing homelessness, and support local planning capacity, requiring local governments that seek additional affordable housing funding to expedite development approvals for affordable housing projects and commit to increasing the number of affordable housing units by 3% annually, and specifying that the dedicated revenues shall not supplant existing appropriations for affordable housing programs?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Proposition 124 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning increasing the number of retail liquor store licenses in which a person may hold an interest, and, in connection therewith, phasing in the increase by allowing up to 6 licenses by December 31, 2026, up to 13 licenses by December 31, 2031, up to 20 licenses by December 31, 2036, and an unlimited number of licenses on or after January 1, 2037?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Proposition 125 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning the expansion of retail sale of alcohol beverages, and, in connection therewith, establishing a new fermented malt beverage and wine retailer license for off-site consumption to allow grocery stores, convenience stores, and other business establishments licensed to sell fermented malt beverages, such as beer, for off-site consumption, to also sell wine, automatically converting such a fermented malt beverage retailer license to the new license, and allowing fermented malt beverage and wine retailer licenses to conduct tastings if approved by the local licensing authority?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

Proposition 126 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning authorization for the third-party delivery of alcohol beverages, and, in connection therewith, allowing retail establishments licensed to sell alcohol beverages for on-site or off-site consumption to deliver all types of alcohol beverages to a person twenty-one years of age or older through a third-party delivery service that obtains a delivery service permit, prohibiting the delivery of alcohol beverages to a person who is under 21 years of age, is intoxicated, or fails to provide proof of identification, removing the limit on the percentage of gross sales revenues a licensee may receive from alcohol beverage deliveries, and allowing a technology services company, without obtaining a third-party delivery services permit, to provide software or a digital network application that connects consumers and licensed retailers for the delivery of alcohol beverages?

YES/FOR  NO/AGAINST

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