

OFFICIAL BALLOT FOR
GENERAL ELECTION
LINCOLN COUNTY, COLORADO
November 08, 2016

Precinct P12-CC

County Clerk and Recorder

Instruction Text:

Please use a black or blue ink pen only. Completely fill in the box provided to the left of your choice. Make no stray marks on the ballot. Do not use inks that soak through the paper. To vote for a write-in candidate, completely fill in the box provided 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 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."

Presidential Electors
(Vote for One Pair)

- Hillary Clinton / Tim Kaine
Democratic
- Donald J. Trump / Michael R. Pence
Republican
- Darrell L. Castle / Scott N. Bradley
American Constitution
- Gary Johnson / Bill Weld
Libertarian
- Jill Stein / Ajamu Baraka
Green
- Frank Atwood / Blake Huber
Approval Voting
- "Rocky" Roque De La Fuente / Michael Steinberg
American Delta
- James Hedges / Bill Bayes
Prohibition
- Tom Hoefling / Steve Schulin
America's
- Chris Keniston / Deacon Taylor
Veterans of America
- Alyson Kennedy / Osborne Hart
Socialist Workers
- Kyle Kenley Kopitke / Nathan R. Sorenson
Independent American
- Laurence Kotlikoff / Edward Leamer
Kotlikoff for President
- Gloria Estela La Riva / Dennis J. Banks
Socialism and Liberation
- Bradford Lyttle / Hannah Walsh
Nonviolent Resistance/Pacifist
- Joseph Allen Maldonado / Douglas K. Terranova
Independent People
- Michael A. Maturen / Juan Munoz
American Solidarity
- Evan McMullin / Nathan Johnson
Unaffiliated
- Ryan Alan Scott / Bruce Kendall Barnard
Unaffiliated
- Rod Silva / Richard C. Silva
Nutrition
- Mike Smith / Daniel White
Unaffiliated
- Emidio Soltysik / Angela Nicole Walker
Socialist USA
- Write-in

United States Senator
(Vote for One)

- Michael Bennet
Democratic
- Darryl Glenn
Republican
- Lily Tang Williams
Libertarian
(Signed declaration to limit service to no more than 2 terms)
- Arn Menconi
Green
- Bill Hammons
Unity
(Signed declaration to limit service to no more than 2 terms)
- Dan Chapin
Unaffiliated
- Paul Noel Fiorino
Unaffiliated
- Write-in

Representative to the 115th United States Congress - District 4
(Vote for One)

- Bob Seay
Democratic
- Ken Buck
Republican
- Bruce Griffith
Libertarian
- Write-in

Regent of the University of Colorado - At Large
(Vote for One)

- Alice Madden
Democratic
- Heidi Ganahl
Republican

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

- Suzanne M. Sharkey
Republican
- Bob Owens
Democratic

State Representative - District 64
(Vote for One)

- Kathleen J. Conway
Democratic
- Kimmi Lewis
Republican

District Attorney - 18th Judicial District
(Vote for One)

- George H. Brauchler
Republican

County Commissioner - District 2
(Vote for One)

- Steve Burgess
Republican

County Commissioner - District 3
(Vote for One)

- Doug Stone
Republican
- David Ray Orcutt
Unaffiliated

Colorado Supreme Court Justice
(Vote YES or NO)

Shall Justice William Hood of the Colorado Supreme Court be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Colorado Court of Appeals Judge
(Vote YES or NO)

Shall Judge Karen M. Ashby of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Michael H. Berger of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Steven L. Bernard of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Stephanie E. Dunn of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge David Furman of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Robert D. Hawthorne of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Jerry N. Jones of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Anthony J. Navarro of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Gilbert M. Román of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

Shall Judge Diana Terry of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?

- Vote Yes or No
- YES
 - NO

District Court Judge - 18th Judicial District
(Vote YES or NO)

Shall Judge Natalie T. Chase of the 18th Judicial District be retained in office?

- YES
- NO

Shall Judge Jeffrey K. Holmes of the 18th Judicial District be retained in office?

- YES
- NO

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Shall Judge Frederick Thomas Martinez of the 18th Judicial District be retained in office?

YES
 NO

Shall Judge Carlos Armando Samour Jr. of the 18th Judicial District be retained in office?

YES
 NO

Shall Judge David John Stevens of the 18th Judicial District be retained in office?

YES
 NO

Shall Judge Elizabeth Ann Weishaupl of the 18th Judicial District be retained in office?

YES
 NO

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 Colorado constitution, and a ballot question listed as a "proposition" proposes a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes. A "yes/for" vote on any ballot question is a vote in favor of changing current law or existing circumstances, and a "no/against" vote on any ballot question is a vote against changing current law or existing circumstances.

Amendment T (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning the removal of the exception to the prohibition of slavery and involuntary servitude when used as punishment for persons duly convicted of a crime?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

Amendment U (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning an exemption from property taxation for a possessory interest in real property if the actual value of the interest is less than or equal to six thousand dollars or such amount adjusted for inflation?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

Amendment 69 (CONSTITUTIONAL)

SHALL STATE TAXES BE INCREASED \$25 BILLION ANNUALLY IN THE FIRST FULL FISCAL YEAR, AND BY SUCH AMOUNTS THAT ARE RAISED THEREAFTER, BY AN AMENDMENT TO THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION ESTABLISHING A HEALTH CARE PAYMENT SYSTEM TO FUND HEALTH CARE FOR ALL INDIVIDUALS WHOSE PRIMARY RESIDENCE IS IN COLORADO, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, CREATING A GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY CALLED COLORADOCARE TO ADMINISTER THE HEALTH CARE PAYMENT SYSTEM; PROVIDING FOR THE GOVERNANCE OF COLORADOCARE BY AN INTERIM APPOINTED BOARD OF TRUSTEES UNTIL AN ELECTED BOARD OF TRUSTEES TAKES RESPONSIBILITY; EXEMPTING COLORADOCARE FROM THE TAXPAYER'S BILL OF RIGHTS; ASSESSING AN INITIAL TAX ON THE TOTAL PAYROLL FROM EMPLOYERS, PAYROLL INCOME FROM EMPLOYEES, AND NONPAYROLL INCOME AT VARYING RATES; INCREASING THESE TAX RATES WHEN COLORADOCARE BEGINS MAKING HEALTH CARE PAYMENTS FOR BENEFICIARIES; CAPPING THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF INCOME SUBJECT TO TAXATION; AUTHORIZING THE BOARD TO INCREASE THE TAXES IN SPECIFIED CIRCUMSTANCES UPON APPROVAL OF THE MEMBERS OF COLORADOCARE; REQUIRING COLORADOCARE TO CONTRACT WITH HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS TO PAY FOR SPECIFIC HEALTH CARE BENEFITS; TRANSFERRING ADMINISTRATION OF THE MEDICAID AND CHILDREN'S BASIC HEALTH PROGRAMS AND ALL OTHER STATE AND FEDERAL HEALTH CARE FUNDS FOR COLORADO TO COLORADOCARE; TRANSFERRING RESPONSIBILITY TO COLORADOCARE FOR MEDICAL CARE THAT WOULD OTHERWISE BE PAID FOR BY WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE; REQUIRING COLORADOCARE TO APPLY FOR A WAIVER FROM THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT TO ESTABLISH A COLORADO HEALTH CARE PAYMENT SYSTEM; AND SUSPENDING THE OPERATIONS OF THE COLORADO HEALTH BENEFIT EXCHANGE AND TRANSFERRING ITS RESOURCES TO COLORADOCARE?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

Amendment 70 (CONSTITUTIONAL)

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?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

Amendment 71 (CONSTITUTIONAL)

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?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

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?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

Proposition 106 (STATUTORY)

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?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

Proposition 107 (STATUTORY)

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?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

Proposition 108 (STATUTORY)

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?

(Vote YES/FOR or NO/AGAINST)

YES/FOR
 NO/AGAINST

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CROWLEY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
RE-1J

**Ballot Issue 3A: School Funding
Override**

SHALL CROWLEY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J TAXES BE INCREASED \$242,000 ANNUALLY (SUCH DOLLAR AMOUNT BEING THE FIRST FISCAL YEAR INCREASE) AND THEREAFTER BY WHATEVER AMOUNTS ARE RAISED FOR A LIMITED TEN-YEAR PERIOD FROM AN OVERRIDE MILL LEVY IMPOSED AT A RATE OF UP TO SIX (6) MILLS IN ORDER TO RESTORE A PORTION OF THE STATE CUTS IN THE DISTRICT'S OPERATIONAL FUNDING, WHICH MONEYS SHALL BE USED FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES TO INCLUDE, AMONG OTHER THINGS:

- REPLACING OUTDATED TEXTBOOKS AND EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS,

- IMPROVING STUDENT ACCESS TO UPDATED TECHNOLOGY,

- REPLACING OLDER BUSES AND SCHOOL VEHICLES BASED ON SAFETY AND CONDITION,

- IMPROVING THE LEVEL OF MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES, AND

- ATTRACTING AND RETAINING HIGH QUALITY TEACHERS AND STAFF,

WITH SUCH INCREASE TO BE AUTHORIZED FOR A LIMITED TEN-YEAR PERIOD (COMMENCING IN COLLECTION YEAR 2017 AND ENDING AFTER COLLECTION YEAR 2026), SUCH TAXES TO BE IN ADDITION TO THE PROPERTY TAXES THAT OTHERWISE WOULD BE LEVIED FOR THE GENERAL FUND BUT SHALL NOT EXCEED ANY STATUTORY LIMITATION ON ADDITIONAL LOCAL REVENUES?

YES

NO

**Ballot Issue 3B: School General
Obligation Bond**

SHALL CROWLEY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J DEBT BE INCREASED UP TO \$3.9 MILLION, WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF UP TO \$5.7 MILLION AND SHALL DISTRICT TAXES BE INCREASED BY UP TO \$285,000 ANNUALLY, BY THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, SUBJECT TO A DISTRICT AWARD OF NOT LESS THAN \$12.5 MILLION OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE (WHICH IS NOT REQUIRED TO BE REPAYED) UNDER THE "BEST" PROGRAM PRIOR TO DECEMBER 31, 2020, TO FINANCE THE COSTS OF:

- CONSTRUCTING A NEW SECONDARY SCHOOL BUILDING AND RELATED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TO SERVE GRADES 7 THROUGH 12; AND

- RENOVATING WARD SCHOOL BUILDING TO SERVE GRADES K THROUGH 6;

WHICH GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS SHALL BEAR INTEREST, MATURE, BE SUBJECT TO REDEMPTION (WITH OR WITHOUT PREMIUM), AND BE ISSUED AT SUCH TIME, AT SUCH PRICES (AT, ABOVE OR BELOW PAR) AND IN SUCH MANNER AND CONTAINING SUCH TERMS, NOT INCONSISTENT HERewith, AS THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MAY DETERMINE; AND SHALL AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAXES BE LEVIED IN ANY YEAR, WITHOUT LIMITATION AS TO THE MILL RATE TO PRODUCE AN AMOUNT SUFFICIENT IN EACH YEAR TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF, PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON SUCH DEBT?

YES

NO

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