# Official Ballot for 2024 General Election Kit Carson County, Colorado Tuesday, November 5, 2024



**Ballot Type: 1** 



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



If a race includes a write-in line, you may vote for a write-in candidate by completely filling in the oval to the right of the line and printing at least the last name of an eligible write-in candidate on the line.



To make a correction, draw a bold line through the oval and candidate name or ballot measure selection 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 Offic	es		State Offices			Judicial Retention Questions		
Presidential Electors (Vote for One Pair)			State Board of Education Member -			(Vote YES or NO)		
			Congressional District 4 (Vote for One)  Democratic Krista Holtzmann		MA (	Colorado Supreme Court Justice		
Democratic Kamala D. Harris / Tim Walz					Shall Justice Monica M. Márquez of the Colorado Supreme Court be retained in office?			
Republican	Donald J. Trump /	$\circ$	Republican Kristi "KBE	B" Burton Brown		YES	NO 🔘	
JD Vance			Regent of the University of Colorado - At			Colorado Court of Appeals Judge		
Approval Voting  Blake Huber /  Andrea Denault		0	(Vote for One)			Shall Judge Stephanie Dunn of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office?		
Libertarian	Chase Russell Oliver / Mike ter Maat	$\bigcirc$	Republican	Eric Rinard	0	YES	NO 🔾	
1 1 1 1 1						Shall Judge Jerry N. Jones of the Colora		
Green	Jill Stein / Rudolph Ware	$\circ$	Approval Voting Th	omas Reasoner	$\supset \mid '$	Appeals be retained in office?		
			Unity	T.J. Cole C	$\supset \lfloor$	YES	NO 🔾	
American Constitution	Randall Terry / Stephen E Broden	$\bigcirc$	State Representative - D (Vote for One)	listrict 56		Shall Judge W. Eric Kuhn of the Colorad Appeals be retained in office?	lo Court of	
Unity	Cornel West /	0	Democratic Alessa	ndra A. Navetta	5	YES	NO 🔾	
^	Melina Abdullah		Repu <b>blica</b> n C	hris Richardson (		Shall Judge Gilbert M. Román of the Colorado		
Unaffiliated	Robert F. Kennedy Jr. / Nicole Shanahan	$\bigcirc$	District Attorney - 13th Judicial District			Court of Appeals be retained in office?		
			(Vote for One)			YES	NO 🔾	
		0	Republican	Travis Sides (		Shall Judge Timothy J. Schutz of the Co Court of Appeals be retained in office?	lorado	
Write-In:			County Offices		· ·	Court of Appeals be retained in office?		
Representative to the 119th United States			Kit Carson County Commissioner - District 1		ct 1	YES	NO 🔾	
Congress - District 4 (Vote for One)			(Vote for One)		-	District Court Judge - 13th Judicial District		
,			Republican	Stan Hitchcock (		Shall Judge Justin B. Haenlein of the 13 District be retained in office?	th Judicial	
Republican	Lauren Boebert	0	Kit Carson County Com (Vote for One)	missioner - Distric	ct 3	YES (	NO 🔾	
Democratic	Trisha Calvarese	$\bigcirc$	Republican Dave Hornung		5	Shall Judge Robert James of the 13th Judicial		
			Judicial Retention (	Questions		District be retained in office?		
Approval Voting	Frank Atwood (Signed declaration to limit service to no more than 3 terms)		(Vote YES or NO)			YES	NO 🔾	
			Colorado Supreme Court Justice Shall Judge Carl S. McGuire III of the 13th Judic		th Judicial			
Libertarian	Hannah Goodman	$\bigcirc$	Shall Justice Maria E. Berkenkotter of the Colorado Supreme Court be retained in office?			District be retained in office?	NO 🔾	
Unity	Paul Noel Fiorino	$\bigcirc$	YES 🔾	NO C	5		Para s	
			Shall Justice Brian D. Boatright of the Colorado Supreme Court be retained in office?					
			YES 🔾	NO C				

# 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 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.

#### State Ballot Measures

## Amendment G (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning the expansion of eligibility for the property tax exemption for veterans with a disability to include a veteran who does not have a service-connected disability rated as a one hundred percent permanent disability but does have individual unemployability status?

YES/FOR (

NO/AGAINST

#### Amendment H (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning judicial discipline, and, in connection therewith, establishing an independent judicial discipline adjudicative board, setting standards for judicial review of a discipline case, and clarifying when discipline proceedings become public?

YES/FOR ( )

NO/AGAINST (

#### Amendment I (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning creating an exception to the right to bail for cases of murder in the first degree when proof is evident or presumption is great?

YES/FOR (

NO/AGAINST (

#### Amendment J (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution removing the ban on same-sex marriage?

YES/FOR

NO/AGAINST (

# Amendment K (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning the modification of certain deadlines in connection with specified elections?

YES/FOR (

NO/AGAINST )

## Amendment 79 (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado constitution recognizing the right to abortion, and, in connection therewith, prohibiting the state and local governments from denying, impeding, or discriminating against the exercise of that right, allowing abortion to be a covered service under health insurance plans for Colorado state and local government employees and for enrollees in state and local governmental insurance programs?

YES/FOR (

NO/AGAINST (

#### Amendment 80 (CONSTITUTIONAL)

Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution establishing the right to school choice for children in kindergarten through 12th grade, and, in connection therewith, declaring that school choice includes neighborhood, charter, and private schools; home schooling; open enrollment options; and future innovations in education?

YES/FOR (

NO/AGAINST (

#### State Ballot Measures

Without raising taxes, may the state keep and spend all sports betting tax revenue above voter-approved limits to fund water conservation and protection projects instead of refunding revenue to casinos?

YES/FOR

NO/AGAINST (

#### Proposition KK (STATUTORY)

Proposition JJ (STATUTORY)

SHALL STATE TAXES BE INCREASED BY \$39,000,000 ANNUALLY TO FUND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, INCLUDING FOR MILITARY VETERANS AND AT-RISK YOUTH, SCHOOL SAFETY AND GUN VIOLENCE PREVENTION, AND SUPPORT SERVICES FOR VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND OTHER VIOLENT CRIMES BY AUTHORIZING A TAX ON GUN DEALERS, GUN MANUFACTURERS, AND AMMUNITION VENDORS AT THE RATE OF 6.5% OF THE NET TAXABLE SALES FROM THE RETAIL SALE OF ANY GUN, GUN PRECURSOR PART, OR AMMUNITION, WITH THE STATE KEEPING AND SPENDING ALL OF THE NEW TAX REVENUE AS A VOTER-APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE?

YES/FOR

NO/AGAINST ()

#### **Proposition 127 (STATUTORY)**

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning a prohibition on the hunting of mountain lions, lynx, and bobcats, and, in connection therewith, prohibiting the intentional killing, wounding, pursuing, entrapping, or discharging or releasing of a deadly weapon at a mountain lion, lynx, or bobcat, creating eight, exceptions to this prohibition including for the protection of human life, property, and livestock; establishing a violation of this prohibition as a class 1 misdemeanor; and increasing fines and limiting wildlife license privileges for persons convicted of this crime?

YES/FOR

NO/AGAINST (

#### Proposition 128 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning parole eligibility for an offender convicted of certain crimes, and, in connection therewith, requiring an offender who is convicted of second degree murder; first degree assault; class 2 felony kidnapping; sexual assault; first degree arson; first degree burglary; or aggravated robbery committed on or after January 1, 2025, to serve 85 percent of the sentence imposed before being eligible for parole, and requiring an offender convicted of any such crime committed on or after January 1, 2025, who was previously convicted of any two crimes of violence, not just those crimes enumerated in this measure, to serve the full sentence imposed before beginning to serve parole?

YES/FOR ( )

NO/AGAINST (

#### **Proposition 129 (STATUTORY)**

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes creating a new veterinary professional associate profession, and, in connection therewith, establishing qualifications including a master's degree in veterinary clinical care or the equivalent as determined by the state board of veterinary medicine to be a veterinary professional associate; requiring registration with the state board; allowing a registered veterinary professional associate to practice veterinary medicine under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian; and making it a misdemeanor to practice as a veterinary professional associate without an active registration?

YES/FOR (

NO/AGAINST (

# State Ballot Measures

Proposition 130 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes concerning state funding for peace officer training and support, and, in connection therewith, directing the legislature to appropriate 350 million dollars to the peace officer training and support fund for municipal and county law enforcement agencies to hire and retain peace officers; allowing the fund to be used for pay, bonuses, initial and continuing education and training, and a death benefit for a peace officer, police, fire and first responder killed in the line of duty; and requiring the funding to supplement existing appropriations?

YES/FOR ( )

NO/AGAINST (

## Proposition 131 (STATUTORY)

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes creating new election processes for certain federal and state offices, and, in connection therewith, creating a new all-candidate primary election for U.S. Senate, U.S. House of Representatives, governor, attorney general, secretary of state, treasurer, CU board of regents, state board of education, and the Colorado state legislature; allowing voters to vote for any one candidate per office, regardless of the voter's or candidate's political party affiliation; providing that the four candidates for each office who receive the most votes advance to the general election; and in the general election, allowing voters to rank candidates for each office on their ballot, adopting a process for how the ranked votes are tallied, and termining the winner to be the candidate with the highest number of votes in the final tally?

YES/FOR

NO/AGAINST (