



VOTE NO ON PROPOSITION CC THIS NOVEMBER

It's a Blank Check

There is no guarantee as to where Proposition CC's money will go in the future. Democratic Speaker of the House KC Becker admitted it during a committee hearing earlier this year. **The legislature has tricked us before - don't let them do it again.**

State Government Refuses to Prioritize Coloradans' Needs

Despite the state budget growing by over \$1B each and every year, the legislature still refuses to prioritize infrastructure. **Despite a 20% increase in education spending since 1990, teacher pay is DOWN 20%.** Giving more money to state government, without any reforms, is a bad deal for taxpayers. Since TABOR passed, our budget has grown 306%. **State government has enough money - they just need to prioritize better.**

It's Permanent

Proposition CC would take away Coloradans' TABOR refunds - forever. There is no sunset - and no real accountability to taxpayers.

It's a Tax Increase

Despite what the ballot language says, **Proposition CC is a tax increase.** When the government keeps more of your money and spends it, it's a tax increase. **Coloradans have rejected the last six statewide tax hikes** for a reason. They want government to be more efficient and effective with the \$32.5 billion budget they already have.

It Would Gut the Taxpayer's Bill of Rights

This ballot issue would strip one of the main parts of TABOR - which limits the growth of government. **Public polling shows that 72 percent of Coloradans support TABOR.**

Colorado Has the Number One Economy for a Reason

Colorado doesn't have the number one economy in the country by chance. **TABOR has greatly contributed to our state's success.** We don't want to fall backwards. **This ballot issue is the first step to repealing the rest of TABOR.**

It Aims to Backfill Lost Revenue from Oil and Gas

Earlier this year, the Democratic-controlled state legislature passed an anti-oil and gas law that will almost certainly lead to lost revenue. **Proposition CC is an early attempt to offset these self-inflicted losses - by taking away more of your money.**

It Would Hurt Seniors and Veterans

Currently, refund money is first used to help localities cover the senior and veterans' property tax exemptions. **Proposition CC would take that refund money away - putting seniors and veterans at risk - and putting more pressure on local budgets.**

