



El Paso County

NOTICE OF ELECTION
TO INCREASE TAXES / TO INCREASE DEBT /
ON A CITIZEN PETITION / ON A REFERRED MEASURE

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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.

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ELECTION DATE: November 4, 2008

POLLING PLACE HOURS: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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EL PASO COUNTY QUESTION 1A

Designated Election Official:

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NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES ON A REFERRED MEASURE
EL PASO COUNTY
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: November 4, 2008
Election Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Ballot Text:

SHALL EL PASO COUNTY TAXES BE INCREASED BY \$75 MILLION ANNUALLY IN 2009 AND BY WHATEVER AMOUNTS ARE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER BY INCREASING THE COUNTY'S SALES AND USE TAX RATE BY ONE CENT PER DOLLAR IN ORDER TO PROTECT PUBLIC SAFETY AND PUBLIC HEALTH BY IMPROVING THE ABILITY OF THE SHERIFF, POLICE AND FIREFIGHTERS TO PROTECT CITIZENS, THE ABILITY OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM TO PROSECUTE AND INCARCERATE CRIMINAL OFFENDERS, AND THE ABILITY OF PUBLIC HEALTH WORKERS TO INVESTIGATE, PROTECT AGAINST AND PREVENT THE SPREAD OF DANGEROUS INFECTIOUS DISEASES, AND EXEMPTING GROCERY FOOD ITEMS, PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS, FUELS FOR RESIDENTIAL UTILITIES (SIMILARLY, GASOLINE AND DIESEL FUELS ARE NOT SUBJECT TO THIS TAX), AND WITH OTHER EXEMPTIONS FROM THIS SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE AS SET FORTH IN BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER RESOLUTION 08-375, WITH ALL REVENUES GENERATED TO BE RESTRICTED TO THE FOLLOWING:

A. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2009 AND CONTINUING THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2010, THE COUNTY SHALL EXPEND FIFTY PERCENT (50%) OF ALL REVENUES GENERATED FROM THIS SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF MEDIUM AND MAXIMUM SECURITY FACILITIES AT THE EL PASO COUNTY REGIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE CENTER (JAIL), INCLUDING THE COSTS OF EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING THE PROJECT, AND EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2011, AND CONTINUING UNTIL THE EARLIER OF COMPLETION OF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING PUBLIC SAFETY CAPITAL PROJECTS OR JANUARY 1, 2026, THE COUNTY SHALL EXPEND TEN PERCENT (10%) OF ALL REVENUES GENERATED FROM THIS SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE FOR THE FOLLOWING REGIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, INCLUDING THE COSTS OF EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING OF THE IMPROVEMENTS, AND WITH THE REVENUES FROM THIS SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE TO BE HELD BY THE COUNTY TREASURER IN RESTRICTED ACCOUNTS THAT MAY ONLY BE USED TO CARRY OUT THE VOTERS' INTENT AS EXPRESSED IN THIS BALLOT ISSUE, AND FOR NO OTHER PURPOSES:

1. THE REGIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE CENTER (JAIL), MAXIMUM AND MEDIUM SECURITY FACILITIES, EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ESTIMATED TO COST \$75,500,000 (IF NOT COMPLETED DURING THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2009 TO JANUARY 1, 2011);
2. REGIONAL SHERIFF'S OPERATIONS, TRAINING AND CORONER'S OFFICE MEDICAL EXAMINER-LABORATORY FACILITY, EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S AND CORONER'S OFFICE, ESTIMATED TO COST \$26,000,000;
3. EMERGENCY OPERATIONS/SECURED INFORMATION CENTER, CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS, ESTIMATED TO COST \$10,500,000;
4. NORTHERN REGION JOINT PUBLIC SAFETY SUBSTATION, CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT AND EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ESTIMATED TO COST \$6,300,000;
5. REGIONAL WORK RELEASE FACILITY, EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ESTIMATED TO COST \$7,000,000;
6. SOUTHERN REGION JOINT PUBLIC SAFETY SUBSTATION, EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ESTIMATED TO COST \$6,300,000;
7. 4TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FACILITY NEEDS ARISING FROM UNFUNDED STATE MANDATES, DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, ESTIMATED TO COST \$15,900,000;

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8. REGIONAL JUDICIAL COMPLEX SECURITY SYSTEM ENHANCEMENTS, 4TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, ESTIMATED TO COST \$2,500,000;
9. SHERIFF'S OFFICE EMERGENCY AND WILDLAND FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLE STORAGE FACILITY, EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ESTIMATED TO COST \$3,000,000;

B. THE COUNTY SHALL EXPEND THE REMAINDER OF THE REVENUES GENERATED EACH YEAR FROM THIS SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE TO FUND PUBLIC SAFETY AND PUBLIC HEALTH OPERATIONAL AND CAPITAL NEEDS AND IMPROVEMENTS INCLUDING THE HIRING, TRAINING, COMPENSATION AND EQUIPPING OF POLICE OFFICERS, SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES, FIRE FIGHTERS, EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS/PARAMEDICS, DISTRICT ATTORNEY EMPLOYEES, CORONER EMPLOYEES, PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICERS, AND OTHER SWORN AND NON-SWORN PERSONNEL OF THESE PUBLIC SAFETY AND PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCIES, WITH SUCH FUNDS TO BE HELD BY THE COUNTY TREASURER IN RESTRICTED ACCOUNTS THAT SHALL ONLY BE USED TO CARRY OUT THE VOTERS' INTENT AS EXPRESSED IN THIS BALLOT ISSUE, AND THE COUNTY SHALL DISTRIBUTE THESE FUNDS ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING PERCENTAGES, AND ONLY FOR THE FOLLOWING, AND FOR NO OTHER, PURPOSES:

1. REGIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE CENTER (JAIL), EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 17.5%;
2. REGIONAL PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES, EL PASO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT, 20%;
3. PUBLIC SAFETY AND PUBLIC HEALTH FUNCTIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES, 47.5%. THE COUNTY SHALL DISTRIBUTE THE AMOUNTS BASED ON POPULATION, WHICH SHALL BE CALCULATED ANNUALLY BASED ON THE MOST CURRENT POPULATION DATA AVAILABLE FROM THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS:
 - i. CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS,
 - ii. EL PASO COUNTY (POPULATION IN UNINCORPORATED AREAS ONLY),
 - iii. CITY OF FOUNTAIN,
 - iv. CITY OF MANITOU SPRINGS,
 - v. TOWN OF MONUMENT,
 - vi. TOWN OF PALMER LAKE,
 - vii. TOWN OF CALHAN,
 - viii. TOWN OF GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS,
 - ix. TOWN OF RAMAH;
4. PROGRAM FOR EMERGENCY ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE ENFORCEMENT, 2.5%;
5. DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, 5%;
6. REGIONAL CORONER'S OFFICE MEDICAL EXAMINER - LABORATORY FACILITY, EL PASO COUNTY CORONER'S OFFICE, 2.5%;
7. REGIONAL OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, EL PASO COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND COLORADO SPRINGS OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, 2%;
8. REGIONAL CHILD AND ADULT PROTECTION PROGRAMS WHICH SHALL BE USED TO INVESTIGATE, PROSECUTE, TREAT AND PREVENT ABUSE AND NEGLECT OF CHILDREN AND OF ADULTS WHO ARE ELDERLY AND/OR DISABLED, EL PASO COUNTY, 3%;

C. EFFECTIVE THE EARLIER OF COMPLETION OF THE CAPITAL PROJECTS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH A OF THIS BALLOT ISSUE OR JANUARY 1, 2026, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST, THE PORTION OF THIS SALES AND USE TAX RATE INCREASE THAT IS BEING USED SPECIFICALLY FOR REGIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AS SET FORTH IN PART A, ABOVE, SHALL TERMINATE WITHOUT THE NEED FOR ANY ACTION ON THE PART OF THE COUNTY, AND THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE INCREASE IN THIS BALLOT ISSUE SHALL BE REDUCED BY 0.1% (1/10TH CENT PER DOLLAR);

D. IN ADDITION TO THE AMOUNTS PROVIDED TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE INCREASE IN THIS BALLOT ISSUE, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2009, AND FOR EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, THE COUNTY SHALL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATE FOR THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE NOT LESS THAN THE AMOUNTS BUDGETED AND APPROPRIATED FOR THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE AS STATED IN THE COUNTY'S FISCAL YEAR 2008 REVISED BUDGET AS THE REVISED BUDGET EXISTED ON JULY 31, 2008;

E. AND WITH ALL REVENUES GENERATED FROM THIS SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE AND THE EARNINGS ON SUCH REVENUES TO CONSTITUTE VOTER APPROVED REVENUE AND SPENDING CHANGES OF THE COUNTY AND THE MUNICIPALITIES IDENTIFIED HEREIN, TO BE COLLECTED AND SPENT EACH YEAR BY THE COUNTY AND THE MUNICIPALITIES IDENTIFIED

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HEREIN WITHOUT LIMITATION BY THE REVENUE AND SPENDING LIMITS OF, AND WITHOUT AFFECTING THE COUNTY'S ABILITY OR THE ABILITY OF THE MUNICIPALITIES IDENTIFIED HEREIN TO COLLECT AND SPEND OTHER REVENUES OR FUNDS UNDER, ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW OR, FOR THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS, THE REVENUE AND SPENDING PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE VII, § 7-90 OF THE COLORADO SPRINGS CITY CHARTER, WITH THE SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE TO BE ADMINISTERED, COLLECTED AND ENFORCED ACCORDING TO BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER RESOLUTION 08-375, AND TO BE SUBJECT TO AN ANNUAL INDEPENDENT AUDIT;

F. AND FURTHER PROVIDED THAT IN NO EVENT SHALL THE COUNTY USE ANY REVENUES GENERATED FROM THIS SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE AS A PLEDGE OR SECURITY FOR ANY BONDED INDEBTEDNESS, ANY CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION OR ANY MULTI-YEAR FINANCIAL OBLIGATION WITHOUT SPECIFIC VOTER APPROVAL?

Fiscal Year Spending Information for the County

Year	Fiscal Year Spending (FYS)
2004 (Actual)	\$162,425,333
2005 (Actual)	158,880,866
2006 (Actual)	170,154,358
2007 (Actual)	182,739,766
2008 (Current Year Estimated)	179,054,978

Overall FYS percentage change through 5 years (2004 – 2008): 10.24%

Overall FYS dollar change through 5 years (2004 – 2008): \$16,629,645

Fiscal year spending without the tax increase in the ballot issue is estimated to be up to \$194,500,000 in the 2009 Fiscal Year. The proposed maximum dollar tax increase in the ballot issue is \$75,000,000 in such Fiscal Year.

Summary of written comments for 1A:

In support of County Initiative 1A

One penny. Less than 25 cents per day. Powerful tools to keep us safe and to match our expectations and demands for services with realistic funding. This is a critical time whereby we can make the biggest difference closest to home, and we can also stimulate the local economy and create jobs.

Facts the "Naysayers" Don't Want You to Know:

- It's a fair tax because it does not tax the necessities of life—food, medicines, utility bills, and fuels, rent or mortgage payments
- About 25% to 40% of the revenue will come from people outside of El Paso County
- Accountable to voters and cost effectiveness assured through mandatory audits and specified designated projects
- Provides regional approach to public safety through crucial funding for the County, Colorado Springs and all other cities and towns
- Brought to you by concerned citizens wanting to feel safe, to maintain the uniqueness of the region and the quality of life people expect

Investing in Our Community:

- Safe place for business to thrive, stimulating job growth
- Enhanced response to highly visible increases in violent crime
- Better drug and alcohol abuse enforcement for a safer downtown
- Public safety agencies can hire, train, compensate, and adequately equip Deputies, Police Officers, Fire Fighters and Public Health Officers
- Provides enough jail space to put away the dangerous criminals
- Adequate resources for the District Attorney to investigate and prosecute criminals
- Safer environment for deputies securing the jail
- Resume Neighborhood Policing
- Provide Coroner's Office with needed facility for those who have lost loved ones and much needed modern, efficient diagnostic technology to process forensic evidence in order to prosecute
- Ability to address disease outbreaks like Tuberculosis, E-Coli, and West Nile
- Enhance coordination between public safety agencies during regional emergencies

Doing Nothing is Unthinkable:

- Services will be cut drastically in response to an estimated \$42M deficit in the County and a serious backlog of critically needed facilities
- Crime will continue to rise
- Net loss of 283 Sheriff Deputies and an elimination of all patrols in the County
- Discontinuation of key programs such as 4-H, DARE, and the School Resource Officers
- Public Health Officers unable to proactively inspect public pools and restaurants
- Drug and alcohol abuse enforcement eliminated
- Coroner unable to provide timely death certificates, impacting family ability to settle life insurance and estate claims
- Inability to fight wild land fires close to neighborhoods
- Some County parks will close or may be sold
- Longer emergency response times by Police, Sheriff and Fire
- Infectious diseases would be more likely to spread into healthy population

Summary of written comments against 1A:

Arguments against county tax hike issue 1-A

There is no legal guarantee that this \$75 million tax hike (increased every year) will add spending for public safety and health. Politicians can use this new tax revenue to replace existing revenue diverted from those programs to less popular programs or to county slush funds. The county doesn't have a revenue problem, it has a spending problem. Last year, the new jail was going to cost about \$30 million; now they want \$75 million. Another current practice is unnecessarily giving away \$3 million yearly to other governments. A third is closing on Fridays to inconvenience and bully voters in approving this obscene tax. Visit Stop 1A.com for details.

The economy is near collapse. Don't make it worse. The founder of communism said, "The only way to kill capitalism is taxes, taxes, and more taxes." A Chief Justice of the United States said, "The power to tax involves the power to destroy." Don't accelerate the decline of our economy! Don't reward county incompetence and wasteful spending! Tell the politicians to set better priorities and to stop their waste and illegal borrowing.

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Here are the top 12 reasons to vote NO on issue 1-A.

GREEDY

12. The ballot title is **1,190 words** long. It is a menu of every **pork** project ever dreamed up on every county bureaucrat's **wish list**.

11. Even commissioners know this is greedy. Their vote was **3-to-2**.

10. The **one-time** budget trim was **\$4 million**; they want **\$75 million yearly**. It's so much they plan to **give others tens of millions** yearly!

HARMFUL

9. Higher taxes **kill jobs**. Businesses won't stay/expand/move here if we pass this insane money grab. Think the economy is weak **now?**

8. Colorado Springs will have the 4th-highest total sales tax of all Colorado cities of 40,000+ population—**8.4%**. Sales will **decline**.

7. Sales taxes **hurt seniors**, the poor, and others on fixed incomes.

WASTEFUL

6. The county **wastes millions** now. See "Waste" on website above.

5. They want **another jail**. We voted "No" in 2002; one was built anyway, with illegal debt. They claimed it would end "overcrowding" for decades. They're already back, again. Don't believe them, again.

4. Refusing to set priorities, commissioners get **38% pay raises**, go in **debt (\$222 million**, repaid \$9 million yearly), and want a tax hike.

EXTREME

3. In 3 years, on 1,000+ spending requests, one commissioner **never** voted "no;" one voted "no" **once**; two others **under 1%** of the time.

2. This tax is **forever**. With no right to petition, we can **never vote** to end it. How many more times must voters get burned?

and the Number One reason to reject county ballot issue IA is

COSTLY

1. This is the **largest tax increase in county history—\$75 million**. For 600,000 residents, \$125 each—\$500 per average family of four—less 10% paid by tourists. Do you want a **\$450 yearly tax increase?**

VOTE "NO" ON COUNTY TAX INCREASE IA. IT'S KRAZY!

TOWN OF RAMAH QUESTION 2D

Designated Election Official:

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NOTICE OF ELECTION ON A REFERRED MEASURE
TOWN OF RAMAH
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: Tuesday, November 4, 2008

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

Ballot Text:

SHALL PIKES PEAK RURAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (A REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY) (PPRTA) TAXES BE INCREASED \$375.00 ANNUALLY (ESTIMATED FIRST FULL FISCAL YEAR DOLLAR INCREASE) AND BY WHATEVER ADDITIONAL AMOUNTS ARE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER, BY LEVYING A 1% (ONE PENNY PER DOLLAR) SALES AND USE TAX UPON EVERY TRANSACTION OR OTHER INCIDENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH A SALES AND USE TAX IS LEVIED BY THE STATE OF COLORADO WITHIN THE TOWN LIMITS OF RAMAH (EXCLUDING PURCHASES OF FOOD FOR DOMESTIC HOME CONSUMPTION, PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS, RESIDENTIAL UTILITY BILLS, OR OTHER EXEMPT TRANSACTIONS AS DETAILED IN ARTICLES 28 AND 30, TITLE 39, AS AMENDED, OF THE COLORADO REVISED STATUTES), COMMENCING ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2009, AND CONTINUING FOR THE FIRST FULL SIX (6) YEARS AFTER COMMENCEMENT FOR THE PURPOSES OF FUNDING MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND OPERATIONS FOR ROADWAYS AND BRIDGES (35% OF NET REVENUE), FOR IMPROVED TRANSIT SERVICE WITHIN THE PPRTA'S BOUNDARIES (10% OF NET REVENUE), AND FOR SPECIFIC REGIONAL ROADWAY CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PREVIOUSLY DESIGNATED BY THE ORIGINAL PPRTA MEMBERS (55% OF NET REVENUE). NO MORE THAN 1% OF TOTAL REVENUE IS TO BE EXPENDED FOR ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES AND AFTER CONTINUE SUCH TAX FOR SIX (6) FULL YEARS, REDUCING THE PPRTA 1% SALES AND USE TAX TO A 0.45% SALES AND USE TAX FOR EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, FOR FUNDING MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND OPERATION OF REGIONAL ROADWAYS AND BRIDGES (77.78% OF NET REVENUE) AND FOR FUNDING PUBLIC TRANSIT SERVICES (22.22% OF NET REVENUE), WITH ALL REVENUES FROM SUCH TAX AND OTHER REVENUES OF PPRTA BEING COLLECTED AND SPENT EACH YEAR WITHOUT LIMITATION BY THE REVENUE AND SPENDING LIMITS OF ARTICLE X, §20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION; AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, SHALL AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT AMONG THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS, THE CITY OF MANITOU SPRINGS, THE TOWN OF GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS, EL PASO COUNTY AND THE TOWN OF RAMAH BE APPROVED, THEREBY ESTABLISHING PPRTA, PURSUANT TO COLORADO REVISED STATUTES §43-4-601 ET SEQ., WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITIES OF COLORADO SPRINGS AND MANITOU SPRINGS, AND THE TOWNS OF GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS AND RAMAH, AND WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF UNINCORPORATED EL PASO COUNTY, WITH PPRTA'S ANNUAL SPENDING TO BE REVIEWED BY A CITIZENS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND TO BE SUBJECT TO AN INDEPENDENT AUDIT?

Text of Intergovernmental Agreement:

**Intergovernmental Agreement
Among El Paso County, Colorado,
The City of Colorado Springs, the City of Manitou Springs,
And the Town of Green Mountain Falls
For Creation of the Pikes Peak Rural Transportation Authority**

Recitals

- A. El Paso County, Colorado (hereinafter "County") is a duly-organized county and political subdivision of the State of Colorado.

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- B. The City of Colorado Springs (hereinafter "Colo. Spgs.") is a home-rule city and municipal corporation organized under Article XX, Section 6 of the Colorado Constitution.
- C. The City of Manitou Springs (hereinafter "Manitou") is a home-rule city and municipal corporation organized under Article XX, Section 6 of the Colorado Constitution.
- D. The town of Green Mountain Falls (hereinafter "GMF") is a municipal corporation organized under Title 31 of the Colorado Revised Statutes.
- E. County, Colo. Spgs., Manitou and GMF may be referred to collectively in this agreement as "Parties".
- F. The Parties desire to improve funding for expansion and maintenance of regional roadways and transit systems within their jurisdictions, and desire to engage in these activities in a cooperative and comprehensive manner.
- G. Whereas the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado, the City Councils of the City of Colorado Springs and the City of Manitou Springs, and the Town Council of the Town of Green Mountain Falls, have mutually determined that the creation of a Rural Transportation Authority, authorized pursuant to C.R.S. 43-4-601 *et seq.* would be the most effective method of accomplishing the desires of the Parties as reflected in this agreement;
- H. THEREFORE be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado, the City Council of the City of Colorado Springs, the City Council of the City of Manitou Springs, and the Town Council of the Town of Green Mountain Falls, that the Parties, based on the mutual promises and considerations contained herein, agree as follows:

Terms and Conditions of Agreement

- 1.0 **Authority to Enter Agreement.** The parties are authorized to enter into this Agreement pursuant to C.R.S. 43-4-601 *et seq.*
- 2.0 **Creation: Name of Authority.** The Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado (hereinafter "County Board"), the City Council of the City of Colorado Springs (hereinafter "Colo. Spgs. Council"), the City Council of the City of Manitou Springs (hereinafter "Manitou Council"), and the Town Council of the Town of Green Mountain Falls (hereinafter "GMF Council"), hereby establish a Rural Transportation Authority pursuant to C.R.S. 43-4-603(1). Such authority shall be known as the Pikes Peak Rural Transportation Authority (A Regional Transportation Authority), (hereinafter "PPRTA").
- 3.0 **Political Subdivision.** PPRTA shall be a separate political subdivision and body corporate of the State of Colorado, and shall possess all of the duties, privileges, immunities, rights, liabilities, and disabilities of a public body politic and corporate, as restricted by Section 7 of this Agreement.
- 4.0 **Purpose and Activities of Authority.** The purpose and activities of the PPRTA shall be limited to the funding of roadway capital improvements, maintenance and operations, and transit service within the Authority boundaries established in this Agreement. Such projects shall be compatible with established state and local transportation plans that transport or convey people or goods, or permit people or goods to be transported or conveyed, within or through El Paso County by any means. It is the intent of the Parties that funding from the PPRTA will not be used to substitute for or reduce Colo. Spgs.' Funding to the existing transit system, or to substitute for or reduce any Party's funding for maintenance activities.
 - 4.1 The Parties agree, as the process for accomplishing the projects and activities funded through the PPRTA, that the PPRTA Board of Directors' primary responsibility will be the management and disbursement of funds generated by the Authority, and the activities that support those functions. The PPRTA Board will determine annual appropriations, and the order in which projects shall be funded, for roadway capital improvements in accordance with the ballot language, and based on recommendations from the Parties. Each city or town shall determine the appropriation amounts for maintenance activities located in their jurisdictions which are funded under this Agreement, and the County shall determine the appropriation amounts for maintenance activities located in the County which are funded under this Agreement. Colo. Spgs. shall determine the appropriation amounts for transit activities which are funded under this Agreement. The PPRTA shall implement the Authority's roadway capital, maintenance, and transit projects through subsequent intergovernmental agreements between PPRTA and the various Parties for the expenditure of Authority funds on behalf of PPRTA. The Parties, in carrying out these intergovernmental agreements, may contract on PPRTA's behalf with other governments or private businesses to expend Authority funds for the purpose of implementing those projects.
- 5.0 **Allocations of Revenues.** The PPRTA shall pay its administrative expenses from the gross revenue generated by the tax authorized under Section 7.2 of this Agreement. Administrative expenses shall not exceed one percent (1%) of the gross revenue generated. All remaining funds, including earnings generated by such funds, shall be considered net revenue. The net revenue generated by the PPRTA shall be allocated to funding specific projects in the following percentages:
 - 5.1 Roadway capital improvements – fifty five percent (55%) of net revenue. Such projects shall be specified on the ballot for voter approval, and the PPRTA shall not expend roadway capital improvement funds on any other projects until the listed projects have been funded. This component shall sunset ten (10) years after the first collection of the one percent (1%) sales tax approved by voters at the general election on November 2, 2004.
 - 5.1.1 Roadway capital improvement funds shall be distributed for specific projects, and only in such amounts that will pay for the entire cost of the specific capital improvement, at such time and in such manner as shall be determined by the Board of Directors of the PPRTA
 - 5.1.2 Any funds remaining in the roadway capital improvement fund following the sunset of the fund may be used to complete remaining listed roadway capital improvement projects until such funds are depleted or until the Authority is terminated, whichever occurs first.
 - 5.1.3 Any party joining this Agreement after January 1, 2005, is ineligible for roadway capital improvement funding.
 - 5.2 Maintenance – thirty five percent (35%) of net revenue. Within this category, 75.4175% of the funds will be allocated to Colo. Spgs. maintenance activities, 1.0407% of the funds will be allocated to Manitou maintenance activities, 0.1615% of the funds will be allocated to GMF maintenance activities and 23.3803% of the funds will be allocated to County maintenance activities. These percentages shall be adjusted after each decennial census and shall be proportional to the population of the various members of the Authority. PPRTA shall not expend maintenance funds for any other purpose.
 - 5.2.1 The first funds available for use in maintenance activities shall be available on or after April 1, 2005.
 - 5.2.2 Upon acceptance of a new party to this Agreement, the PPRTA shall adjust funding within this category to be proportional to the population of the various members of the authority, using

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- the most recent decennial census. Such adjustment must be completed prior to January 1 of the year following acceptance of a new party to this Agreement.
- 5.2.3 Following the sunset of the roadway capital improvements portion of the PPRTA sales and use tax (as referenced in Section 5.1 of this Agreement), maintenance funding shall be allocated 77.78% of the net revenue divided in the percentages previously determined.
- 5.3 Transit – ten percent (10%) of net revenue. Transit funds shall only be used to implement Colo. Spgs.-sponsored transit activities. The PPRTA shall not expend transit for any other purpose.
 - 5.3.1 Transit funding shall be available for use on or after April 1, 2005.
 - 5.3.2 Any party joining this Agreement after January 1, 2005, is ineligible for transit funding. However, those parties may receive transit service provided by the City of Colorado Springs.
 - 5.3.3 Following the sunset of the roadway capital improvements portion of the PPRTA sales and use tax (as referenced in Section 5.1 of this Agreement), transit funding shall be allocated 22.22% of the net revenue.
- 6.0 **Board of Directors.** There is hereby established a Board of Directors of the PPRTA (hereinafter "PPRTA Board"), in which all legislative and management power of the Authority shall be vested.
 - 6.1 The initial PPRTA Board shall consist of three (3) Directors appointed by the County Board, who shall be County Commissioners; three (3) Directors appointed by the Colo. Spgs. Council, who shall be Colo. Spgs. Council members; one (1) Director appointed by the Manitou Council, who shall be a Manitou Council member; and one (1) Director appointed by the GMF Council, who shall be a GMF Council member. The various boards and councils shall select and appoint their Directors in any lawful manner determined by the respective Board or Council, provided such Director is eligible for appointment under Section 6.3 of this Agreement. The PPRTA Board shall continue to consist of three (3) County Directors, three (3) Colo. Spgs. Directors, one (1) Manitou Director, and one (1) GMF Director until modified by Section 6.2.
 - 6.2 Additional Directors of the PPRTA Board shall be appointed by the governing board of any party which joins this Agreement, or if the State of Colorado joins this Agreement, such member shall be appointed by the Governor of the State of Colorado. Any new party or the State of Colorado shall be entitled to appoint one (1) Director to the PPRTA Board upon joining this Agreement. Any director appointed by the State of Colorado shall be a non-voting member.
 - 6.3 Any city or town Council member or County Commissioner of a party to this Agreement may be appointed by that party's governing board to the PPRTA Board. If the State of Colorado becomes a party to this Agreement, the Governor may appoint any elector of the State of Colorado to the PPRTA Board.
 - 6.4 All PPRTA Board Directors shall serve without compensation.
 - 6.5 The term of office for an individual PPRTA Director shall be one (1) year, and all terms shall commence on January 1 and terminate on December 31 of each calendar year. Any Director appointed by the Governor of the State of Colorado shall serve such term as may be specified by the Governor.
 - 6.6 Any Director may be removed from the PPRTA Board by a majority vote of the members of the governing body appointing such Director to the PPRTA Board. Any Director may voluntarily resign from the PPRTA Board.
 - 6.7 Any vacancies on the PPRTA Board shall be filled by the appointing body in such manner as they may determine, but in any event, within thirty (30) days of the creation of the vacancy.
 - 6.8 Directors shall disqualify themselves from voting on any issue with respect to which the director has a conflict of interest, unless the director has disclosed the conflict of interest in compliance with C.R.S. 18-8-308. Any signatory to this Agreement may name an alternate Director who may vote in place of the disqualified Director.
 - 6.9 The PPRTA board shall elect the following officers upon its formation, and thereafter at its first meeting of each calendar year:
 - 6.9.1 **Chairperson** a Director who shall preside over all meetings of the PPRTA Board, may sign all contracts and agreements of the Authority, and in general shall perform all duties incident to the office of Chairperson and such other duties as prescribed by the Bylaws of the Authority or by the PPRTA Board.
 - 6.9.2 **Vice-Chairperson** a Director who shall serve as Chairperson, in his or her absence or during his or her inability to act. The Vice-Chairperson shall have such other duties as may be defined by the Bylaws of the Authority or by the PPRTA Board.
 - 6.10 In addition, the PPRTA Board shall appoint a Secretary, who shall keep a written record of the minutes of all meetings, ensure that all notices required by law are duly given, shall serve as the custodian of Authority records, shall attest to documents as the need arises, and shall perform such other functions as may be prescribed by the Bylaws of the Authority or by the PPRTA Board. The Secretary may be an employee of the PPRTA Board, an independent contractor, or a volunteer.
 - 6.11 The PPRTA officers shall be elected by a majority vote of all Directors, whether by voice vote or secret ballot, as shall be determined by the Chairperson.
 - 6.12 The Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson positions shall not be held by persons appointed by the same governmental body. Only Directors appointed by Colo. Spgs. or the County are eligible for selection as Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson.
 - 6.13 The PPRTA Board shall meet no less than twice per calendar year. Meetings will be held at the Pikes Peak Area Council of Governments offices, or such other location as may from time to time be designated by the PPRTA Board. Notice of meetings shall be posted in such place and manner as determined by the Bylaws of the Authority, in accordance with the Colorado Open Meetings Law, C.R.S. 24-6-401 *et seq.*
 - 6.14 A majority of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum. No official action shall be taken by the PPRTA Board unless a quorum is present at a meeting. Any action taken by the PPRTA Board shall be approved by a simple majority of those Directors present and voting, except as may otherwise be provided for in this Agreement. Any Director appointed by the Governor of the State of Colorado shall not be counted towards quorum requirements and shall not vote on any action.
 - 6.15 The PPRTA Board may promulgate policies and procedures that govern its conduct.
 - 6.16 The proceedings of the PPRTA Board shall comply with all the provisions of the Colorado Open Meetings Law, C.R.S. 24-6-401 *et seq.*, and shall provide opportunities for public input by, at a minimum, permitting the public to address the PPRTA Board in open meetings. The Board shall adopt procedures for calling emergency meetings.
 - 6.17 The PPRTA board shall appoint a citizen advisory or citizen oversight committee and define the duties thereof.
 - 6.18 **Board Powers.** The PPRTA Board may exercise the following powers:
 - 6.18.1 Adoption of such bylaws as it deems necessary.

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- 6.18.2 Fixing the time and place of meetings and the method of providing notice of such meetings;
- 6.18.3 Making and passing such orders and resolutions necessary for the government and management of affairs of the authority and the execution of the authority's powers;
- 6.18.4 Adoption and use of a seal;
- 6.18.5 Maintaining offices at such place or places as the PPRTA Board may designate;
- 6.18.6 Contracting for professional services as deemed necessary to administer and implement the purposes of this Agreement;
- 6.18.7 Prescribing methods for auditing and allowing or rejecting claims and demands, or for acquisition of equipment; and
- 6.18.8 Exercising all rights and powers necessary or incidental to or implied from the specific powers granted by this Agreement.
- 6.19 **Annual Audit.** The PPRTA Board shall provide for an annual financial audit.
- 7.0 **Powers of Authority.** The PPRTA, acting through its Board of Directors, shall have only the following powers:
 - 7.1 To fund roadway capital improvements, maintenance and operations, and transit services within the boundaries of the Authority, as restricted by Section 5 of this Agreement, using funds obtained pursuant to Section 7.2, below, based on annual recommendations from members of each Party to this Agreement, and consistent with Section 5.1 of this Agreement.
 - 7.2 Upon approval of a majority of voters residing within the boundaries of the Authority, to levy sales and use taxes at a rate of one percent (1%). Following the sunset of the roadway capital improvements portion of the PPRTA sales and use tax (as referenced in Section 5.1 of this Agreement), the PPRTA shall levy forty five one-hundredths of one percent (0.45%) sales and use taxes, for the purposes maintenance, operations, and transit.
 - 7.3 To invest or deposit any revenue as provided for by C.R.S. 43-4-616.
 - 7.4 To sue and to be sued.
 - 7.5 To have perpetual existence.
 - 7.6 To enter into contracts and agreements affecting the affairs of the Authority.
 - 7.7 To fund, construct, operate and maintain rural transportation systems within the Authority's boundaries.
 - 7.8 To purchase, trade, exchange, acquire, buy, sell, lease, lease with an option to purchase, dispose of, and encumber real or personal property and any interest therein, including easements and right-of-ways.
 - 7.9 To accept real or personal property for the use of the authority and to accept gifts and conveyances upon the terms and conditions as the board may approve.
 - 7.10 To contract with a person or persons to assist the PPRTA Board with administrative, accounting, and financial services which may be required to carry out the duties enumerated in this Agreement, or to contract with any person or persons authorized under Section 6.18.6 of this Agreement. The parties intend for PPRTA to contract with the Pikes Peak Area Council of Governments to provide these administrative and accounting services, as well as a PPRTA Board secretary and a financial officer.
 - 7.11 In no event shall the PPRTA be authorized to exercise the power of eminent domain, issue bonds, impose motor vehicle registration fees, or impose any visitor benefit tax that may otherwise be permitted under law. The PPRTA shall not accept any Highway User Tax Funds from the State of Colorado.
- 8.0 **Boundaries.** The legal boundaries of the Authority shall be established as follows:
 - 8.1 All unincorporated areas within the boundaries of El Paso County, Colorado;
 - 8.2 The corporate limits of the City of Colorado Springs, as comprised on January 1, 2005, and as may be comprised in the future;
 - 8.3 The corporate limits of the City of Manitou Springs, as comprised on January 1, 2005, and as may be comprised in the future; and
 - 8.4 The corporate limits of the Town of Green Mountain Falls, as comprised on January 1, 2005, and as may be comprised in the future.
 - 8.5 Additional territory shall be included in, or excluded from, the Authority boundaries by following the procedures in Section 12 of this Agreement.
- 9.0 **Effective Date.** This Intergovernmental Agreement shall become effective upon certification by the State of Colorado Department of Local Affairs, Division of Local Government pursuant to C.R.S. §43-4-603(1), but only upon the approval of a majority of the voters residing in unincorporated El Paso County, Colorado, the City of Colorado Springs, the City of Manitou Springs, and the Town of Green Mountain Falls, at the general election to be held on November 2, 2004. The Agreement shall continue in full force and effect until terminated.
 - 9.1 The Agreement may be terminated only upon the unanimous agreement of the Parties. Such agreement shall be expressed by vote of the governing bodies of every signatory to the Agreement. Such vote must be approved by unanimous consent of the membership of each governing body. The Authority shall continue for a period of ninety (90) days following the final vote to terminate the Agreement, at which time the Authority and the Agreement shall be terminated.
- 10.0 **Disposition of Assets Upon Termination.** The State of Colorado is ineligible for any distribution of property under this Section. Upon any termination of the Authority pursuant to Section 9, the following method shall be used to distribute, dispose of, or divide the assets of the Authority:
 - 10.1 Any real property interest or fixtures to real property shall become the property of the signatory in whose jurisdiction such real estate or fixture is located. If property is located within a jurisdiction that is no longer a party to the Agreement, it shall become the property of the County.
 - 10.2 Any personal property shall be liquidated at auction, and the proceeds from such sale shall be combined with any cash in the Authority's accounts. Such funds shall be divided among the signatories to the Agreement based upon the number of persons residing in the jurisdiction of each signatory, relative to the total number of persons residing in the Authority's boundaries, expressed as a percentage.
 - 10.3 Any other property not addressed above shall be distributed to one or more signatories to the Agreement, as determined by the PPRTA Board members prior to terminations of the Authority.
- 11.0 **Amendment of Agreement.** This Intergovernmental Agreement may be amended upon the unanimous consent of all signatories. Such consent shall be manifested by a two-thirds affirmative vote of the membership of each governing body of a signatory. This section is inapplicable to additions or deletions of territory under Section 12 of this Agreement. Section 9.1 of this Agreement may only be amended by a unanimous vote of the membership of each governing body of a signatory.
- 12.0 **Addition or Deletion of Parties and Territory to this Intergovernmental Agreement.**

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- 12.1 Any municipality (as defined by C.R.S. 31-1-101(6)), or any county organized under the laws of the State of Colorado, may request to become a party to this Agreement and a member of the Authority.
- 12.2 An entity described in Section 12.1 may request to be added as a party to this Agreement, and its corporate boundaries to be added to the territory of the PPRTA, upon a majority vote by the governing body of such municipality or county. The governing body shall place the matter on the ballot for approval of a majority of voters residing in such jurisdiction at any general or special election requesting approval to join the Authority.
- 12.3 In no event shall an additional municipality or county become a party to this Agreement without the unanimous consent of the existing parties to the Agreement. Such assent shall be determined by a majority vote of the governing bodies of each existing party to the Agreement.
- 12.4 Any party to the Agreement may terminate their participation in the Authority by passage of a resolution of the governing body of the political subdivision, provided such resolution is passed by a two-thirds majority of the membership of the governing body.
 - 12.4.1 In no event may a party withdraw from the Agreement which, if such withdrawal were effective would result in fewer members than one (1) county and one (1) municipality, two (2) municipalities, or two (2) counties. In such cases, termination of the Authority is appropriate and must be pursued as provided for in this Agreement.
- 12.5 The PPRTA Board shall take the following actions to include parties and additional territory within the PPRTA, or prior to deleting any party and territory from the PPRTA:
 - 12.5.1 Notice of the proposed inclusion or exclusion shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the PPRTA boundaries. Such notice shall be mailed to the State of Colorado Department of Local Affairs, Division of Local Government; to the Colorado Transportation commission; and to the owners of all property to be included or excluded at the last known address described for the owners in the real estate records of the county in which the property is located.
 - 12.5.2 Such notice shall describe the property to be included or excluded, shall specify the date, time, and place at which the PPRTA Board shall hold a public hearing on the proposed inclusion or exclusion, and shall state that persons objecting to the inclusion or exclusion may appear at the public hearing to object to the proposed inclusion or exclusion. The date of public hearing shall not be less than twenty (20) days after the mailing and publication of the notice.
 - 12.5.3 The PPRTA Board shall, on the date and at the time specified, hear all objections to the proposed inclusion or exclusion.
 - 12.5.4 The PPRTA Board may adopt a resolution including or excluding the described property upon the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the PPRTA Directors, and such inclusion or exclusion shall be effective upon passage of the resolution. The PPRTA Board shall file the resolution with the Director of the State of Colorado Department of Local Affairs, Division of Local Government.
 - 12.5.5 The PPRTA Board may adjust the territory of the Authority as listed in this Section 8 following approval under this Section as a ministerial act, and such act shall not constitute an amendment of this Agreement under Section 11.
- 12.6 Inclusion or exclusion of parties and territory shall be effective on January 1 of the year following the filing of a resolution required by Section 12.5.4 of this Agreement.

WITNESS the signatures of the authorized representatives to the Parties to this Agreement, as set forth below:

EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO _____ Chuck Brown, Chairman Board of County Commissioners Date: _____	CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS _____ Lionel Rivera, Mayor City Council Date: _____
CITY OF MANITOU SPRINGS _____ Marcy Morrison, Mayor City Council Date: _____	TOWN OF GREEN MOUNTAIN FALLS _____ Tyler S.C. Stevens, Mayor Town Council Date: _____
ATTESTED TO:	
_____ El Paso County Clerk and Recorder	_____ Colorado Springs City Clerk
_____ Manitou Springs City Clerk	_____ Green Mountain Falls Town Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
_____ El Paso County Attorney	_____ Colorado Springs City Attorney
_____ Manitou Springs City Attorney	_____ Green Mountain Falls Town Attorney

Fiscal Year Spending Information:

Overall percentage change in fiscal year spending:	10%
Overall dollar amount change:	\$6000.00
Estimated maximum dollar amount of tax increase for 2009:	\$ 375.00
Estimated 2009 fiscal year spending without tax increase:	\$60,000.00

Summary of written comments for the proposal:

If the voters of Ramah approve joining PPRTA and thus levying this tax within the Town of Ramah, the town will receive approximately \$6400.00 for street maintenance. It is estimated PPRTA will receive approximately \$375.00 per year in additional revenue. Should the voters trade \$375 for \$6400? I think so.

Summary of written comments against the proposal:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

ACADEMY SCHOOL DISTRICT 20 QUESTION 3A

Designated Election Official:

Ms. Jennifer Horn
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Colorado Springs, Colorado 80920
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NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES
ON A REFERRED MEASURE
EL PASO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20 (ACADEMY)
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: Tuesday, November 4, 2008

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

Ballot Text:

SHALL EL PASO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20 (ACADEMY) TAXES BE INCREASED \$14,000,000, WITHOUT EXCEEDING THE CURRENT MILL LEVY PROPERTY TAX CAP OF 60.216 MILLS APPROVED BY THE VOTERS IN 1999, COMMENCING IN TAX COLLECTION YEAR 2009 AND ANNUALLY THEREAFTER (THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT WHICH MAY BE COLLECTED IN ANY YEAR ABOVE THE 2008 COLLECTIONS), FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING EXPENSES OF THE DISTRICT, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

- ATTRACTING AND RETAINING TEACHERS, AND
- ADDRESSING CLASS SIZE ISSUES;

SHALL SUCH TAX INCREASE BE AN ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX MILL LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE LEVY AUTHORIZED FOR THE DISTRICT'S GENERAL FUND, TO BE LEVIED AND COLLECTED PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 22-54-108, C.R.S.; AND SHALL THE REVENUES FROM SUCH TAXES AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH REVENUES CONSTITUTE A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE AND EXCEPTION TO THE LIMITS WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW?

Total District Fiscal Year Spending

Fiscal Year

2008-2009 (estimated)	\$ 194,680,755
2007-2008 (actual)	\$ 186,819,934
2006-2007 (actual)	\$ 175,270,460
2005-2006 (actual)	\$ 169,283,019
2004-2005 (actual)	\$ 150,243,785

Overall percentage change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009	29.58%
Overall dollar change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009	\$44,436,970

Proposed Tax Increase

Estimate of the maximum dollar amount of the proposed tax increase for fiscal year 2009-2010 (the first full fiscal year of the proposed tax increase): \$14,000,000

Estimate of 2009-2010 fiscal year spending without proposed tax increase: \$205,257,973

Summary of written comments for 3A:

I urge you to vote yes on 3A so that 22,000 students in Academy District 20 can benefit from your commitment to education.

This is not a tax rate increase. The amount of property tax a homeowner pays will not change as a result of your vote.

The hallmark of a successful community is evident in the way it values children. Students deserve the best educational staff and programs so they can fulfill their dreams and goals. Issue 3A gives voters in Academy 20 the unique opportunity to champion the efforts of teachers and students without raising taxes. A yes vote will move money from the bond fund to the general fund so we can attract and retain the best teachers and hire additional teachers. It is an exercise in good stewardship during difficult times. Successful schools benefit everyone by ensuring property values remain high and the community is a place where people want to work, play, and live.

- Unlike other El Paso County school districts, Academy 20 is asking voters to allow the district to use existing funds differently, not increase the tax rate.

- In 1999 voters capped the mill rate at 60.216 mills. Question 3A would reduce the levy collected for bond repayment and move that revenue to the general fund, making it available to improve teachers' salaries and address class size issues.

- Bonds will still be paid off on time due to sooner-than-anticipated revenue from new commercial development.

- Academy 20 has a demonstrated history of high achievement.

- State funding inequity and increasing costs are limiting Academy 20's ability to compensate teachers at a fair market rate. Academy 20 ranks 6th out of 10 area districts when comparing starting teachers' salaries.

- In the past year, Academy 20 made \$3 million in cuts. There are certain to be more without increased revenue in the general fund.

- The district has shown excellent stewardship of our public money. Since July 2000, because of the district's prudent financial managers, the Moody's credit rating has improved four credit levels from Baa to AA3.

- The Board of Education has stated its priorities for the revenues, demonstrating accountability for efficient use of district funds. The priorities are:

- improve staff salary schedules to attract and retain the best people to provide students with a superior education
- add 60 to 70 additional teachers district-wide to address class size issues
- fund the school security plan established by the superintendent
- increase budgets for student achievement in technology and to update revised/dated curriculum
- increase budgets for facilities maintenance/upgrades to support student population increases
- restore financial reserves to a 4% level to cover unanticipated fluctuations in state revenues

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- supplement the Capital Reserve Fund to support capital needs and technology infrastructure
- provide per student funding for use by The Classical Academy based on their October 1, 2008 certified student counts

- Vote YES on 3A. Provide the best schools for our children!

Summary of written comments against 3A:

This \$14 million tax increase is FOREVER. We cannot petition to remove it. It won't accomplish the vague "including but not limited to" goals in its ballot title. How will success even be measured? If goals are not met, there is no refund. Vote NO on 3-A.

The main goal, stated evasively, is a massive pay raise for government employees, and not just teachers. We are entering a major recession, the worst time to raise taxes. Don't lower your income. Save your money to care for your family.

County and state tax increases on the ballot may pass. Can you afford them all? No.

Issue 3-A increases district revenue from specific ownership (car) taxes and property taxes. Should they get two tax increases during this recession? No.

District 20 takes most of your property tax bill already—our property tax cap is 36% more than D-11 taxes. Enough is enough!

Study their spending history. Has your income risen that fast? Total spending per student exceeds \$10,000 per year. For example, with 25 students per class (\$250,000) less \$50,000 teacher costs—where does the other \$200,000 go? Not for education!

We won't get school reform by rewarding the status quo. Only "NO" votes will force change—merit pay for good teachers, ending tenure to remove bad ones, more choice, less bureaucracy, higher standards, more discipline, fewer dropouts, higher test scores, etc. Handing bonuses to weak administrators will not improve education.

Their salaries are way higher than for taxpayers (and for six hours work 185 days per year). About 80% of budgets go for salaries; pay raises don't improve learning. 3-A is not "for the children."

Is there school spending you dislike? Voting "NO" is the only way to force changes to budget priorities. District 20 should focus on academics, not empire building. What counts is increased learning, not rising salaries, new social programs, or expanding bureaucracies. Their revenue grows automatically every year by inflation plus student enrollment. Why should it grow faster? Schools must live on a budget, not a blank check.

Make the hard choices school boards won't. With falling home prices, is this tax fair? Property taxes hurt people on fixed incomes, particularly senior citizens.

Higher taxes hurt our failing economy. Prices go up to offset higher taxes. Business lays off workers and cuts paychecks because of its higher taxes and lower demand from consumers, who have less money. Taxes are almost 50% of income now; saving one tax dollar is like a \$2 pay raise. Don't worsen this downward spiral.

Are there too many administrators? Can surplus assets be sold? Have they considered all alternatives? We must practice "tough love," not just hand them our wallets.

Who can spend your hard-earned money better—you or some bureaucrat? Reject tax and spending increases like 3-A that lack accountability and proof of performance.

Had enough? Want school reform? Want to protect your family budget? Vote "NO" on issue 3-A.

HARRISON SCHOOL DISTRICT 2 QUESTION 3B

Designated Election Official:

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NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES
ON A REFERRED MEASURE
EL PASO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: Tuesday, November 4, 2008

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

Ballot Text:

SHALL EL PASO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2 TAXES BE INCREASED \$6,000,000, COMMENCING IN TAX COLLECTION YEAR 2009, AND ANNUALLY THEREAFTER (THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT WHICH MAY BE COLLECTED IN ANY YEAR ABOVE THE 2008 COLLECTIONS), FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING EXPENSES OF THE DISTRICT, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

- ATTRACTING AND RETAINING HIGH QUALITY STAFF;
- TECHNOLOGY TO FACILITATE CLASSROOM LEARNING.

AND SHALL SUCH TAX INCREASE BE AN ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX MILL LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE LEVY AUTHORIZED FOR THE DISTRICT'S GENERAL FUND, TO BE LEVIED AND COLLECTED PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 22-54-108, C.R.S.; AND SHALL THE REVENUES FROM SUCH TAXES AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH REVENUES CONSTITUTE A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE AND EXCEPTION TO THE LIMITS WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW?

Total District Fiscal Year Spending

HARRISON SCHOOL DISTRICT 2 QUESTION 3B (cont)

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	
2008-2009 (estimated)	\$ 71,969,185
2007-2008 (actual)	\$ 69,872,995
2006-2007 (actual)	\$ 66,290,799
2005-2006 (actual)	\$ 66,072,016
2004-2005 (actual)	\$ 65,678,906

Overall percentage change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009 9.6%
Overall dollar change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009 \$6,290,279

Proposed Tax Increase

District Estimate of the Maximum Dollar Amount
of the Proposed Tax Increase For Fiscal Year 2009-2010
(the First Full Fiscal Year of the Proposed Tax Increase):

BALLOT ISSUE NO. 3B \$6,000,000

District Estimate of 2009-2010 Fiscal Year Spending
Without Proposed Tax Increase: \$74,128,261

Summary of written comments for 3B:

Vote Yes on Ballot Issue 3B

Vote yes on 3B. Our children are the future of our community. A well-educated child grows up to be a productive citizen. This ballot measure is about putting kids first. In order to be competitive in this ever-changing world, they need and deserve the best academic opportunities. Kids win the opportunity for a better future when you vote yes on 3B.

- Attracting and retaining high quality teachers and staff—Students' academic success requires high quality teachers and staff who will challenge each child. To attract the best quality staff, Harrison School District must offer salaries that are competitive with the steadily increasing salaries of other districts in our area. Passing the mill levy will provide those dollars and additional monies for hard-to-fill positions such as math, science, and positions for special needs students. Currently, Colorado ranks in the lower one-third within the United States for education funding. The national average "per pupil" funding is \$8,500. Harrison School District receives \$7,037 per pupil.

CSAP scores are one measurement tool of student academic success. A more accurate measure of student progress is growth. Longitudinal growth data is now available from the Colorado Department of Education. Despite the socio-economic challenges such as an increasing number on Free and Reduced Lunch, students in Harrison School District are making more than a year's growth each school year. In elementary reading last year, Harrison School District students surpassed the State and equaled or exceeded local area districts in longitudinal growth. Harrison School District is a leader in the State in addressing needs for the 21st Century and progress toward closing the minority achievement gap. Voting yes on 3B will further increase our ability to grow kid's achievement.

- Technology to facilitate student learning—Today's fast paced digital world relies heavily on technology. Business is now conducted on a worldwide front not just with businesses next door. In order for our students to be skilled in accessing and accurately interpreting the immense volume of information available, they must have access to computer labs and up-to-date hardware and software. Technology is a tool to enhance student learning and achievement, and make them competitive in today's worldwide market.

Upgrading the aging computer system of Harrison School District will also allow parents internet access to keep current on their child's academic progress, attendance, homework, and discipline record. Involved parents are key to a child's success and work hours do not always allow parents the opportunity to contact teachers during school.

For many of our children, public education is their only feasible option and it should be the very best. Voting yes on 3B will assist Harrison School District to provide the best education for children. Kids win the opportunity for a better future with a "YES" on 3B. It is your future, too.

Summary of written comments against 3B:

- This \$6 million tax increase is FOREVER. We cannot petition to remove it. It won't accomplish the vague "including but no limited to" goals in its ballot title. How will success even be measured? If goals are not met, there is no refund. Vote NO on 3B.
- The main goal, stated evasively, is a massive pay raise for government employees. And not just teachers. We are entering a major recession, the worst time to raise taxes. Don't lower your income. Save your money to care for your family.
- County and state tax increases on the ballot may pass. Can you afford them all? No.
- Issue 3B increases district revenue from specific ownership (car) taxes and property taxes. Should they get two tax increases during this recession? No.
- District 2 takes 72% of a typical property tax bill already. Enough is enough!
- Study their five year spending history. Has your income risen that fast? Total spending per student exceeds \$10,000 per year. For, example with 25 students per class (\$250,000) less \$50,000 teacher costs -where does the other \$200,000 go? Not for education.
- We won't get school reform by rewarding the status quo. Only "NO" votes will force change—merit pay for good teachers, ending tenure to remove bad ones, more choice, less bureaucracy, higher standards, more discipline, fewer dropouts, higher test scores, etc. Handing bonuses to weak administrators will not improve education.
- Their salaries are way higher than for taxpayers (and for six hours work 185 days per year). About 80% of the budget goes for salaries; how do pay raises improve learning? 3B is not "for the children."
- Is there other school spending you dislike? Voting "NO" votes will force changes to budget priorities. District 2 should focus on academics, not empire building. What counts is increased learning, not rising salaries, new social programs, or expanding bureaucracies.
- Their revenue grows automatically every year by inflation plus student enrollment. Why should it grow faster? Schools must live in a budget, not a blank check.
- Make the hard choices school boards won't. With falling house prices, is that tax fair? Property taxes hurt people on fixed incomes, particularly senior citizens.
- Higher taxes hurt our failing economy. Prices go up to offset higher taxes. Business lays off workers and cuts paychecks because of its higher taxes and lower demand from consumers, who have less money. Taxes are almost 50% of income now; saving one tax dollar is like a \$2 pay raise. Don't aggravate this downward spiral.
- Are there too many administrators? Can surplus assets be sold? Have they considered all alternatives? We need to practice "tough love," not just hand them our wallets.
- Who can spend your hard-earned money better -you or some bureaucrat? Reject tax and spending increases like 3B that lack accountability and proof of performance.

HARRISON SCHOOL DISTRICT 2 QUESTION 3B (cont)

- Had enough? Want school reform? Want to protect your family budget? Vote "NO" on issue 3B.

LEWIS-PALMER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT 38 QUESTION 3C

Designated Election Official:

Vicki Wood
Lewis-Palmer Consolidated School District No. 38
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NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES ON A REFERRED MEASURE
LEWIS-PALMER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: November 4, 2008

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

Ballot Text:

SHALL LEWIS-PALMER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38 TAXES BE INCREASED \$2,700,000 IN TAX COLLECTION YEAR 2009 AND BY WHATEVER AMOUNT IS ANNUALLY RECEIVED THEREAFTER BY A MILL LEVY OF NOT TO EXCEED 6.263 MILLS FOR THE PURPOSES OF:

- MAINTAINING CLASS SIZES AND PRESERVING ELEMENTARY READING TEACHERS AND STUDENT SUPPORT, AND
- INCREASING TEACHER COMPENSATION TO MORE COMPETITIVE LEVELS

SHALL SUCH TAX INCREASE BE AN ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX MILL LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE LEVY AUTHORIZED FOR THE DISTRICT'S GENERAL FUND, TO BE LEVIED AND COLLECTED PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 22-54-108, C.R.S.; AND SHALL THE REVENUES FROM SUCH TAXES AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH REVENUES CONSTITUTE A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE AND EXCEPTION TO THE LIMITS WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW?

Total District Fiscal Year Spending:

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	
2008-2009 (estimated)	\$53,664,930
2007-2008 (actual)	\$51,735,159
2006-2007 (actual)	\$51,156,318
2005-2006 (actual)	\$48,537,696
2004-2005 (actual)	\$40,377,460

Overall percentage change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009: 32.9%
Overall dollar amount change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009: \$13,287,470

Proposed Tax Increase:

Estimated maximum dollar amount of tax increase for fiscal year 2009-2010: \$2,700,000
Estimated 2009-2010 fiscal year spending without tax increase: \$51,984,229

Summary of written comments for 3C:

For our schools and community, vote "Yes" on 3C!

The teachers earned it, the kids need it, and the community will benefit! Our property values, business values and overall community well-being are strengthened by a successful school district. A high-quality school district is fundamental to low crime rates, increasing property values, and community pride. A strong and safe community that produces well-rounded students is a great return on your investment.

Voting yes on 3C will give our teachers a much deserved pay increase to help keep pace with neighboring school districts and to help reverse the recent trend in loss of quality teachers to those districts. Voting "Yes" will empower the district to "hold the line" on classroom size and preserve the programs that have made Lewis-Palmer one of the top districts in the state. And it will help D38 to contain spiraling student fees and avoid implementation of new fees.

The Lewis-Palmer School District 38 School Board and administration have enacted deep spending cuts totaling \$1.8 million. To minimize direct impacts to students, over \$400,000 of the cut came directly from central administration. Still, class sizes in all grades K-12 have seen increases with the loss of 15 teaching positions.

Even with these necessary measures, the district continues to face substantial fiscal challenges. This Mill Levy Override is needed to help Lewis-Palmer School District meet those challenges. Bottom line: more teaching positions will be cut and classroom sizes will continue to rise with resulting impacts to the entire community, if the Mill Levy Override should fail.

Last November, voters elected a new School Board. The new School Board and new Superintendent recognized the need to aggressively address current issues and to correct mistakes of the past. They, as a team, have formulated and implemented a new strategic vision and a multi-year financial plan. The new Board and new Superintendent have actively sought to improve two-way communication with all district residents. They have collectively demonstrated true commitment to fiscal responsibility, transparency, and openness to community input. They have been asked to change the way they operate, and they have! Come and see for yourselves. Board of Education meetings are the 3rd Thursday of each month at the Administration building.

We should put our trust in this new leadership team and give them the resources they need to keep delivering the high-quality education this community deserves.

**LEWIS-PALMER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL
DISTRICT 38 QUESTION 3C (cont)**

All residents will benefit by voting "Yes" on 3C. It's the right thing to do...for teachers, for kids, and for your community. VOTE YES FOR YOUR COMMUNITY! VOTE YES ON 3C!

Summary of written comments against 3C:

This \$2.7 million property tax increase (13%) is FOREVER. We cannot petition to remove it. It won't accomplish the vague goals in its ballot title. How will success even be measured? If goals are not met, there is no refund. Vote NO on 3-C.

The main goal, stated evasively, is a massive pay raise for government employees. We are entering a major recession, the worst time to raise taxes. Don't lower your income. Save your money to care for your family.

County and state tax increases on the ballot may pass. Can you afford them all? No.

Issue 3-C increases district revenue from specific ownership (car) taxes and property taxes. Should they get two tax increases during this recession? No. District 38 takes most of your property tax bill already. Enough is enough!

Study their spending history. Has your income risen that fast? Total spending per student exceeds \$10,000 per year. For example, with 25 students per class (\$250,000) less \$50,000 teacher costs—where does the other \$200,000 go? Not for education!

We won't get school reform by rewarding the status quo. Only "NO" votes will force change—merit pay for good teachers, ending tenure to remove bad ones, more choice, less bureaucracy, higher standards, more discipline, fewer dropouts, higher test scores, etc. Handing bonuses to weak performers will not improve education.

Is there school spending you dislike? Voting "NO" is the only way to force changes to budget priorities. District 38 should focus on academics, not empire building. What counts is increased learning, not rising salaries, new social programs, or expanding bureaucracies.

Their revenue grows automatically every year by inflation plus student enrollment. Why should it grow faster? Schools must live on a budget, not a blank check.

Make the hard choices school boards won't. With falling home prices, is this tax fair? Property taxes hurt people on fixed incomes, particularly senior citizens.

Higher taxes hurt our failing economy. Prices go up to offset higher taxes. Business lays off workers and cuts paychecks because of its higher taxes and lower demand from consumers, who have less money. Taxes are almost 50% of income now; saving one tax dollar is like a \$2 pay raise. Don't worsen this downward spiral.

Are there too many administrators? Can surplus assets be sold? Have they considered all alternatives? We must practice "tough love," not just hand them our wallets.

Who can spend your hard-earned money better—you or some bureaucrat? Reject tax and spending increases like 3-A that lack accountability and proof of performance.

Had enough? Want school reform? Want to protect your family budget? Vote "NO" on issue 3-C.

**FOUNTAIN / FORT CARSON SCHOOL DISTRICT 8
QUESTION 3D (cont)**

Proposed Tax Increase

District Estimate of the Maximum Dollar Amount
of the Proposed Tax Increase For Fiscal Year 2009-2010
(the First Full Fiscal Year of the Proposed Tax Increase):

BALLOT ISSUE NO. 3D: \$700,000

District Estimate of 2009-2010 Fiscal Year Spending
Without Proposed Tax Increase: \$48,263,541

Summary of written comments for 3D:

Passing ballot issue 3D will help ensure the financial stability of School District Eight for years to come. With an estimated 3,000 new students in the next five years, representing nearly 50% growth, the District will face immense pressure to grow accordingly and meet the needs of students in the coming years. The District will need an estimated \$80 million for construction costs alone in the next ten years. Add to that the cost of staffing and maintaining those buildings, and you begin to realize the scope of the challenge. If 3D passes, for every dollar collected from taxpayers as a result of the increase, the federal government will contribute 7-10 times that amount (an estimated 5-7 million dollars annually). That money would allow the District to maintain current programs and class sizes and still have the resources necessary to meet the new growth. Because the principle source of revenue for school districts is property tax and approximately 30% of the land contained within the boundaries of District Eight is federal property, the District has, for many years, qualified for federal funds to help offset the loss of property tax. Because of the recent drop in the state-set mill levy, District Eight no longer qualifies for those funds. The reason is that taxes collected from District Eight taxpayers no longer meet the minimum local tax effort, as defined by federal law. Increasing the mill levy by 5 mills would once again mean the District would qualify to receive those funds. The school property tax rate is less than half of what it was twenty years ago, and less than half of the next lowest school Districts in the area. Even if ballot issue 3D passes, District Eight taxpayers will still pay less than half of the tax rate of the next lowest school district in the area. School District Eight has a long and proud tradition of responsible financial management. Despite building four new schools in the past fifteen years and renovating all other existing schools, District Eight is the only school district in El Paso County with more than 3,000 students with no bond debt. In fact, the District has not brought a bond issue to the voters in over three decades. Passage of ballot issue 3D could help insure that such a request would not be necessary for many more years to come. The District is asking for the voters' help at this time because it is a rare opportunity for voters to realize a return of 7-10 times their initial investment; an investment of less than \$70 a year for the average homeowner. The District would invest the initial \$700,000 collected in year one on increased teacher salaries and expanded curriculum and math programs – exactly where the respondents' to a recent survey wanted to see the money spent. Voting YES on ballot issue 3D is a sound investment in the future of our schools, our community and our children.

Summary of written comments against 3D:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

**FOUNTAIN / FORT CARSON SCHOOL DISTRICT 8
QUESTION 3D**

Designated Election Official:

Ms. Kathy Reinhold
El Paso County School District No. 8
10665 Jimmy Camp Road
Fountain, CO
Telephone: (719) 382-1300

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES
ON A REFERRED MEASURE
EL PASO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: Tuesday, November 4, 2008

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

Ballot Text:

SHALL EL PASO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8 TAXES BE INCREASED \$700,000 IN TAX COLLECTION YEAR 2009 AND BY WHATEVER AMOUNT IS ANNUALLY RECEIVED THEREAFTER BY A MILL LEVY OF 5 MILLS FOR THE PURPOSES OF:

- . QUALIFYING FOR FEDERAL FUNDING TO SUPPORT FUTURE STUDENT GROWTH;
- . INCREASING TEACHER SALARIES; AND
- . EXPANDING SCHOOL CURRICULUM AND MATH PROGRAMS;

AND SHALL SUCH TAX INCREASE BE AN ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX MILL LEVY IN EXCESS OF THE LEVY AUTHORIZED FOR THE DISTRICT'S GENERAL FUND, TO BE LEVIED AND COLLECTED PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 22-54-108, C.R.S.; AND SHALL THE REVENUES FROM SUCH TAXES AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH REVENUES CONSTITUTE A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE AND EXCEPTION TO THE LIMITS WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW?

Total District Fiscal Year Spending

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	
2008-2009 (estimated)	\$ 46,845,620
2007-2008 (estimated)	\$ 43,605,626
2006-2007 (actual)	\$ 37,034,915
2005-2006 (actual)	\$ 38,267,399
2004-2005 (actual)	\$ 33,493,956

Overall percentage change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009 39.9%
Overall dollar change from 2004-2005 to 2008-2009 \$13,351,664

**COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT 11
QUESTION 3E**

Designated Election Official:

John L. Elliott
1115 N. El Paso St.
Colorado Springs, CO 80903
719-520-2000

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES ON A REFERRED MEASURE
COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT 11
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: Tuesday, November 4, 2008

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

Ballot Text:

SHALL COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 11 TAXES BE INCREASED \$21,500,000 ANNUALLY BY A PROPERTY TAX OVERRIDE MILL LEVY FOR DISTRICT EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO EDUCATIONAL EFFORTS TO:

- EXPAND CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PATHWAYS,
- RETAIN AND HIRE QUALITY STAFF,
- SUPPORT TUTORING AND INTERVENTIONS,
- REPLACE TEXTBOOKS, DEVELOP ONLINE CURRICULUM AND PROVIDE UP-TO-DATE TECHNOLOGY LEARNING TOOLS,
- PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SUPPORT FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION, GIFTED AND TALENTED, AND ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS,
- PROVIDE HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS TO MEET INCREASED GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS,
- INCREASE SUPPORT FOR ARTS AND ATHLETICS EDUCATION, AND
- PROVIDE ELEMENTARY FOREIGN LANGUAGE EDUCATION;

WITH SUCH TAXES BEING LIMITED AS TO RATE ONLY AS REQUIRED BY THE TOTAL DOLLAR LIMIT OR AS MAY OTHERWISE BE REQUIRED UNDER APPLICABLE LAW, AND WITH SUCH TAXES BEING IN ADDITION TO AND NOT REDUCING THE TAXES THAT WOULD OTHERWISE BE IMPOSED (E.G., BY EXCLUDING THIS TAX FROM THE COMPUTATION OF THE MAXIMUM MILL LEVY AUTHORIZED BY THE OVERRIDE TAX QUESTION APPROVED BY THE DISTRICT VOTERS ON NOVEMBER 7, 2000);

AND SHALL THE DIRECT AND INDIRECT REVENUES FROM SUCH TAXES, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION ADDITIONAL SPECIFIC OWNERSHIP TAXES AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH REVENUES, BE COLLECTED AND SPENT AS A VOTER-APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE AND EXCEPTION TO THE LIMITS WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION?

Estimated fiscal year spending for 2009:	(FY08/09)\$189,331,959
Actual (unaudited) fiscal year spending for 2008:	(FY07/08)185,619,568
Actual fiscal year spending for 2007:	(FY06/07)183,725,169
Actual fiscal year spending for 2006:	(FY05/06)186,620,069
Actual fiscal year spending for 2005:	(FY04/05)188,984,559

Overall percentage change:	(FY04/05 to FY08/09)0.1%
Overall dollar change:	(FY04/05 to 08/09)347,400

Maximum dollar amount of increase for fiscal year 2009: \$ 21,500,000
Estimate of the spending for fiscal year 2009 without the increase: \$189,331,959

Summary of written comments for 3E:

School District 11 has made a promise to the students and families of Colorado Springs to provide the most comprehensive and effective education to students to guarantee their success as a D-11 graduate. D-11 is the only large district in the State of Colorado to have continually improved student achievement on the CSAP state assessment even though the diversity of our student population has changed dramatically. D-11 has accomplished this through responsible use of the district's financial resources, resources which continue to get smaller each year. In order to ensure that D-11 offers the most rigorous, comprehensive and enriching educational experience to our D-11 students and, even more so, to ensure that every student graduates from D-11 with all the knowledge and skills necessary to succeed in the 21st century, we need to continue the progress started.

D-11 has the highest increase in CSAP scores over the last three years of any large school district in the State of Colorado, but we need additional resources to continue this progress. We are now at a time when our students are achieving more, but budgets have been reduced and will have to be reduced even further. Most revenue available to schools is fixed while the cost of education continues to rise. School spending cuts also hurt the community because every public education dollar spent eventually flows back into our local economy.

Measure 3E has been proposed to improve the capability of D-11 students to become more competitive in both furthering their education and their prospects in a demanding job market. Measure 3E will allow our district to raise funds locally to strengthen the educational curriculum.

Measure 3E will:

- Expand the career and technical education course offerings in high school
- Raise salaries to recruit and retain quality teachers and school support staff
- Purchase updated textbooks and other modern equipment for classroom instruction
- Expand tutoring and assistance for students not performing at grade level
- Provide teachers and materials for gifted and talented, special education and English language learners
- Expand music and art instruction in the schools
- Provide teachers and materials for elementary foreign language
- Provide high school teachers to allow lower class size

Every penny goes into classroom instruction. No money from Measure 3E will be used for administration. An Independent Oversight Committee will monitor spending of Measure 3E funds to insure they are used as the voters intend.

All money raised by Measure 3E is tax deductible according to tax laws. Senior citizens may qualify for a 50% discount under the homestead property tax exemption, and all funds will remain in our community to support our children. Quality schools are the backbone of our community and help maintain property values. That is why parents, teachers, homeowners, and business and civic leaders all urge your vote for Measure 3E for Excellence in Education. Our children need your support.

**COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT 11
QUESTION 3E (cont)**

Summary of written comments against 3E:

- This \$21.5 million property tax increase is FOREVER. We cannot petition to remove it. See the vague goals ("including but not limited to") in its ballot title. How will success be measured? If goals are not met, there is no refund. It even overrides the cap voters approved in 2000; so why have a cap? Vote NO on 3-E.
- The main goal is a massive pay raise for government employees. We are entering a major recession, the worst time to raise taxes. Don't lower your income. Save your money to care for your family.
- County and state tax increase ballot issues may pass. Can you afford them all?
- Issue 3-E increases district revenue from specific ownership (car) taxes and property taxes. Should D-11 get two separate tax increases during an economic recession? No.
- District 11 takes most of your property tax bill already. Enough is enough!
- Total spending per student exceeds \$10,000 per year. So, for example, with 25 students per class (+\$250,000) less \$50,000 teacher pay and benefits, where does the other \$200,000 go? Not for education! It's for the bureaucracy!
- We won't get school reform by rewarding the status quo. Only "NO" votes will force change—merit pay for good teachers, ending tenure to remove bad ones, more choice, less overhead, higher standards, more discipline, fewer dropouts, higher test scores, etc. Handing big bonuses to weak administrators will not improve education.
- D-11 salaries are way higher than for taxpayers (and for six hours work for 185 days per year). About 80% of budgets go for salaries; pay raises don't improve learning. 3-E is not "for the children."
- Enrollment is "severely declining," per D-11's finance officer. More money for fewer children violates productivity and efficiency standards.
- Is there school spending you dislike? Voting "NO" is the only way to force changes in budget priorities. Focus on academics, not empire building. What counts is increased learning, not rising salaries, new social programs, expanding bureaucracies, and unfairly competing with private firms (printing, etc.)
- D-11 is suing the state to block charter school choices—money for lawyers, not students. Students should be voluntary customers, not revenue-generating hostages.
- Last month, D-11 illegally mailed at tax expense a campaign flier pushing this tax. 3-E is their 12th demand for more money in 15 years!
- With falling home prices, is this tax fair? Property taxes hurt people on fixed incomes, like senior citizens.
- Higher taxes hurt our failing economy. Prices go up to offset higher taxes. Business lays off workers and cuts paychecks because of its higher taxes and lower demand from consumers, who have less money. Taxes are almost 50% of income now; saving one tax dollar is like a \$2 pay raise. Don't worsen this downward spiral.
- Don't teach foreign languages in elementary school when many high school seniors remain illiterate in English.
- Want school reform? Want to protect your family budget? Vote "NO" on issue 3-E.

**COLORADO CENTRE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
QUESTION 5A**

Designated Election Official:
Sandy Goad
Administrative Assistant
4770 Horizonview Drive
Colorado Springs, CO 80925
(719) 390-7003

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE DEBT
COLORADO CENTRE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: November 4, 2008
Election Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Ballot Text:

SHALL THE DISTRICT BE AUTHORIZED TO INCUR A MULTI-YEAR FISCAL OBLIGATION FOR PURPOSES OF SECTION 20 OF ARTICLE X OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION, SUCH OBLIGATION BEING IN THE FORM OF A LOAN OR LOANS FROM PRIVATE OR PUBLIC FUNDING SOURCES OBTAINED IN FY2009 AND PAYABLE OVER MULTIPLE YEARS, UP TO A MAXIMUM LOAN AMOUNT OF SIX MILLION DOLLARS (\$6,000,000) WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF **\$12,950,291.34 – CALCULATED AT 0.5% MONTHLY INTEREST OVER 360 MONTHS (30 YEARS)**, WITHOUT INCREASING TAXES, ESTABLISHING NEW TAXES OR ISSUING GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS IN CONNECTION WITH THE SAME, TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISTRICT'S TOTAL SHARE OF THE CAPITAL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH LAND ACQUISITION, DESIGN REGULATORY APPROVAL AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW REGIONAL WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT AND INTERCEPTOR LINE BY THE LOWER FOUNTAIN METROPOLITAN SEWAGE DISPOSAL DISTRICT, OF WHICH THE DISTRICT IS A MEMBER, AND TO REPAY SUCH LOAN OR LOANS OVER A 30-YEAR PERIOD OR LESS USING EXISTING AND FUTURE DISTRICT REVENUES?

Fiscal Year Spending Information:

2008 (Current fiscal year estimated)	\$2,567,226
2007 (Actual)	\$2,620,598
2006 (Actual)	\$1,954,709
2005 (Actual)	\$1,591,108
2004 (Actual)	\$1,191,546

Overall percentage change in fiscal year spending 262%
Overall dollar amount change * \$3,000,000
* Proposed loan funding amount for FY 2009

Estimated maximum dollar amount of tax increase for 2009 \$0.00
Estimated 2009 fiscal year spending \$6,715,408

Information on Current Bonded Debt:

All Bonded Debt governed by US Bankruptcy Case 89 B 16410 J
Principal Amount: \$12,421,496
Maximum Annual Repayment Cost: \$1,230,718
Total Repayment Cost: ** \$32,519,995
** Debt, principal and interest, is forgiven if funds are not available at maturity

Information on Proposed Debt:

Principal Amount of Debt: \$6,000,000
Maximum Annual Repayment Cost: *** \$431,676.00
Total Repayment Cost: *** \$12,950,291.00
*** Presumes \$6,000,000 loan proceeds spent in FY 2009

Summary of written comments for 5A:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

Summary of written comments against 5A:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

**SECURITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
QUESTION 5B**

Designated Election Official:
Kris S. Smith
400 Security Boulevard
Security, CO 80911
(719) 392-3271

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE TAXES
SECURITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
EL PASO COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

Election Date: November 4, 2008
Election Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Ballot Text:

SHALL THE SECURITY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TAXES BE INCREASED \$597,740.00 ANNUALLY IN THE FIRST FISCAL YEAR (2009) AND BY WHATEVER AMOUNTS AS ARE RECEIVED EACH YEAR THEREAFTER BY THE IMPOSITION OF THIS MILL LEVY INCREASE OF 3.325 MILLS UPON TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE DISTRICT, COMMENCING WITH THE TAX COLLECTION YEAR 2009 AND CONTINUING THEREAFTER, WITH SUCH REVENUES, TOGETHER WITH ANY AND ALL OTHER REVENUES TO BE COLLECTED, RETAINED AND SPENT BY THE DISTRICT FOR THE PURPOSES OF DEFRAYING SALARIES, OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE DISTRICT, AND/OR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES, AS A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE AND AN EXCEPTION TO THE SPENDING, REVENUE RAISING, AND OTHER LIMITS WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE APPLY UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20, OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION, C.R.S., 29-1-301(1), OR ANY OTHER LAWS?

FISCAL YEAR SPENDING INFORMATION:

2008 (ESTIMATED)	\$1,143,270
2007 (ACTUAL)	\$1,049,379
2006 (ACTUAL)	\$1,413,585
2005 (ACTUAL)	\$ 925,141
2004 (ACTUAL)	\$1,035,154

Overall percentage change in fiscal year spending 10.44%
Overall dollar amount change: \$ 108,116

Estimated maximum dollar amount of tax increase for 2009: \$ 597,740
Estimated 2009 fiscal year spending without tax increase: \$1,228,270

Summary of written comments for 5B:

Note: This Mill levy does not increase annually. It will require Voter approval for any future increases. The Security Fire Protection District has proudly served the Security/Widefield area communities for over 50 years. As part of our services, we respond to fires, medical emergencies, traffic accidents and calls from citizens that are in need of assistance. As well, the fire department participates in several community activities. In November, the Security Fire Protection District Board of Directors will be asking the residents to raise the mill levy so that we may continue to keep pace with our changing community and provide the most state of the art, professional emergency services to our citizens.

Last year our personnel responded to over 2,400 calls for service compared to just 1,500 calls in 1996. While this is a 60% increase in call volume, our population has increased just over 15% in the same time period. As our community continues to grow, we expect the calls for service to reach over 3,000 within the next 7 to 8 years.

Currently, when a resident makes an emergency call, one firefighter/EMT responds to that call and is then backed up by our volunteers if they are available to respond. At least 6 additional paid firefighter/EMT's are needed to ensure the safety of our personnel, as well as, provide for the best possible care for our residents. In addition, this increased funding would allow us to replace two fire engines that are 20 years old, allowing us to respond to your needs with the most up to date rescue equipment available in the fire service.

The fire district currently receives about \$106.00 annually for fire protection on a home with an approximate appraised value of \$200,000.00. With the mill levy increase, the same homeowner would pay an additional \$53.00 per year or \$4.40 per month.

As well, the Fire Protection District is graded by the Insurance Service Organization (ISO). This rating is on a scale from 1 to 10 with 1 being the best you can receive. Recently, the Security Fire Protection District's rating improved from a rating of 5 to a rating of 4. Based on this rating, the homeowners in our area save up to \$700.00 per year on their homeowners insurance, as opposed to not having any fire protection services.

The Security Fire Protection District's Board of Directors, employees and volunteers would greatly appreciate your support on this Ballot Issue. It will allow us to ensure that the Security/Widefield communities continue to have the best trained and equipped fire and emergency services in all of Southern Colorado.

Summary of written comments against 5B:

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

END OF BALLOT ISSUE NOTICE

As required by Colorado Statutes (C.R.S. 1-7-905), I hereby certify the ballot issue notices are complete as submitted by the political subdivisions.

Robert C. "Bob" Balink
El Paso County Clerk & Recorder

ATTENTION:

IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

If you vote during early voting or at your polling place on Election Day, you **MUST** present one of the following forms of identification:

- A valid Colorado driver's license;
- A valid identification card issued by the Department of Revenue;
- A valid United States passport;
- A valid employee identification card with a photograph of the eligible elector issued by any branch, department, agency, or entity of the United States government or of this state, or by any county, municipality, board, authority, or other political subdivision of this state;
- A valid pilot's license issued by the federal aviation administration or other authorized agency of the United States;
- A valid United States military identification card with a photograph of the eligible elector;
- A copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, government checks, paycheck, or other government document that shows the name and address of the elector;
- A valid medicare or medicaid card issued by the United States health care financing administration;
- A certified copy of a birth certificate for the elector issued in the United States;
- Certified documentation of naturalization; or
- A valid student identification card with a photograph of the eligible elector issued by an institution of higher education in Colorado.

ELECTION INFORMATION

EARLY VOTING: Begins Monday, October 20, 2008 through Saturday, October 25, 2008 and continues Monday, October 27, 2008 through Friday, October 31, 2008 at the locations and times listed below:

El Paso County Clerk & Recorder's Office
Centennial Hall
200 South Cascade Avenue
Colorado Springs, CO
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Chapel Hills Mall, Suite 179
(Lower level near food court escalator)
Colorado Springs, CO
10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Citadel Mall, Suite 3124
(Upper level near JCPenney)
Colorado Springs, CO
10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

MAIL-IN BALLOT: To receive your mail-in ballot by mail, your request must be received by our office no later than Tuesday, October 28, 2008 by 5:00 pm. You may obtain a mail-in ballot application at any of the three Clerk & Recorder office locations listed below, download from our website at <http://car.elpasoco.com/election>, or submit a letter to include your full name, birth date, residence address, address to which the ballot should be mailed, party affiliation, and signature. The request may be either mailed to the El Paso County Election Department, PO Box 2007, Colorado Springs, CO 80901-2007 or faxed to (719) 520-7327. Please request your ballot as early as possible. Voted mail-in ballots may either be returned by mail, dropped off at any of the early voting sites during their dates and hours of operation or at any of the Clerk & Recorder's offices listed below through 7:00 p.m. Election Day.

DESIGNATED BALLOT DROP OFF SITE INFORMATION: You may return your voted ballot by mail (postage required) or you may hand deliver your ballot to a designated Drop Off Site. All sites are open weekdays during the times specified below and 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Election Day unless otherwise specified.

El Paso County Clerk & Recorder's
Centennial Hall Office
200 South Cascade Avenue
(Downtown)
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

El Paso County Clerk & Recorder's
Chapel Hills Office
(On north side next to JCPenney)
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

El Paso County Clerk & Recorder's
Powers Office
5650 Industrial Place
(Southeast corner of Powers Blvd. and Airport Rd.)
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

REPLACEMENT BALLOT INFORMATION: If you spoil, deface or lose your ballot, you may obtain a replacement ballot, one at a time, not to exceed three ballots in all. If you spoil or deface your ballot, contact the Elections Centennial Hall Office to obtain instructions for requesting a replacement ballot by calling (719) 575-VOTE (8683). Replacement ballots may be requested from the El Paso County Elections Centennial Hall Office during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. or on Election Day from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

DEADLINE FOR RETURNING BALLOTS: Ballots must be received by the El Paso County Clerk & Recorder's Office by 7:00 p.m. on Election Day in order for your vote to be counted. Ballots received after 7:00 p.m. will not be counted. Postmarks do not count as received.

PRECINCT POLLING PLACE: On Election Day, polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Contact the Election Department at (719) 575-VOTE (8683) or visit our website at:
<http://car.elpasoco.com/election>

Polling Locations for the 2008 General Election Tuesday, November 4, 2008 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

5101621001 HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH	5091421161 EAGLEVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL	5101921241 SUNRISE ELEMENTARY	5101921242 SUNRISE ELEMENTARY
5111621002 AUDUBON ELEMENTARY	5101212162 OAK CREEK ELEMENTARY	5121921242 SUNRISE ELEMENTARY	5092021322 EXPLORER ELEMENTARY
5101621003 STRATTON ELEMENTARY	5091521163 AUSTIN BLUFFS COMMUNITY CHURCH	5092021243 FORESTGATE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5092021323 FAMILY OF CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
5091621004 EDISON ELEMENTARY	5091421164 SUNRIDGE RETIREMENT COMMUNITY	5111521244 EMERSON-EDISON CHARTER SCHOOL	5121921324 LORRAINE COMMUNITY CENTER
5101621005 STRATTON ELEMENTARY	5101521085 MITCHELL HIGH SCHOOL	5101521245 FAITH COVENANT CHURCH	5091421325 NORWOOD BIBLE CHURCH
5101621006 HEART OF THE SPRINGS CHURCH	5121921086 JORDAHL ELEMENTARY	5091621166 PULPIT ROCK CHURCH	5091421326 CHAPEL HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
5101621007 HEART OF THE SPRINGS CHURCH	5121921087 DEAN FLEISCHAUER ACTIVITY CTR	5091621167 GRACE BIBLE CHURCH	5111721327 RESURRECTION LUTHERAN CHURCH
5101621008 ST PAULS UNITED METHODIST CH	5111721088 TURMAN ELEMENTARY	5121921168 KING ELEMENTARY SD 3	5101721328 SAND CREEK ELEMENTARY
5121821009 STEELE ELEMENTARY	5122121089 PP LIB - CHEYENNE MTN BRANCH	5101521169 DOHERTY HIGH SCHOOL	5111721329 WILDFLOWER ELEMENTARY
5121821010 CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH HALL	5121721090 STRATMOOR HILLS VFD	5101521170 MADISON ELEMENTARY	5101921330 PEYTON ELEMENTARY
5111821011 CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH HALL	5111721091 PANORAMA MIDDLE SCHOOL	5121921171 DEAN FLEISCHAUER ACTIVITY CTR	5101921331 SWINK HALL
5111821012 AUDUBON ELEMENTARY	5101521092 PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CH	5111721172 CARMEL MIDDLE SCHOOL	5121921332 JANITELL JR HIGH
5111821013 TAYLOR ELEMENTARY	5101621093 MADISON ELEMENTARY	5101521173 PATRICK HENRY ELEMENTARY	5042021333 LEWIS-PALMER MIDDLE SCHOOL
5111821014 COLORADO SPRINGS SENIOR CENTER	5101621094 LONGFELLOW ELEMENTARY	5101521174 HORIZON MIDDLE SCHOOL	5102021334 MERIDIAN RANCH ELEMENTARY
5111821015 COLORADO SPRINGS SENIOR CENTER	5101621095 ASCENSION LUTHERAN CHURCH	5091421255 HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH	5121921335 DEAN FLEISCHAUER ACTIVITY CTR
5101621016 JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY	5111721096 MONTEREY ELEMENTARY	5101721175 PIKES PEAK ELEMENTARY	5042021336 PALMER LAKE - TOWN HALL
5101621017 JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY	5122121097 GOLD CAMP ELEMENTARY	5101621177 LONGFELLOW ELEMENTARY	5102021337 MERIDIAN RANCH ELEMENTARY
5111821018 COMMUNITY OF CHRIST CHURCH	5111721098 MOUNTAIN VIEW PRESBYTERIAN CH	5111721098 MOUNTAIN VIEW PRESBYTERIAN CH	5111721338 MOUNTAIN VIEW PRESBYTERIAN CH
5111821019 NORTH MIDDLE SCHOOL	5111821099 ADAMS ELEMENTARY	5091421178 VISTA GRANDE COMMUNITY CHURCH	5042021339 KILMER ELEMENTARY
5121821020 FIRST PRES CH WEBER ST CENTER	5091621100 PULPIT ROCK CHURCH	5122121180 FELLOWSHIP OF THE ROCKIES CHURCH	5121921340 FRENCH ELEMENTARY
5111821021 PALMER HIGH-BOYS GYM	5091621101 GRANT ELEMENTARY	5042021181 KILMER ELEMENTARY	5121921341 SECURITY CHURCH OF NAZARENE
5111821022 PALMER HIGH-BOYS GYM	5091621102 BATES ELEMENTARY	5101621182 WASSON HIGH SCHOOL	5101521342 SAND CREEK HIGH SCHOOL
5111821023 COLUMBIA ELEMENTARY	5122121103 JACKSON ELEMENTARY	5111721183 MONROE ELEMENTARY	5101521343 FRIENDSHIP ASSEMBLY OF GOD
5111821024 TAYLOR ELEMENTARY	5122121104 MASONIC CENTER	5121211184 VILLAGE 7 PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5122021344 WOODMEN-ROBERTS ELEMENTARY
5111821025 COLUMBIA ELEMENTARY	5091421105 WOODMEN VALLEY CHAPEL	5121921185 WEBSTER ELEMENTARY	5091421345 JENKINS MIDDLE SCHOOL
5111821026 FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH	5111821106 MANITOU SPRINGS CITY HALL	5091621186 ST LUKES LUTHERAN CHURCH	5122121346 PINON VALLEY ELEMENTARY
5111821027 QUEEN PALMER ELEMENTARY	5111821107 MONROE ELEMENTARY	5101621187 COMMUNITY OF CHRIST CHURCH	5101921347 NEW HEART COMMUNITY CHURCH
5101621028 FIRST SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH	5101621108 RADIAN ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH	5122121188 PP LIB - CHEYENNE MTN BRANCH	5122121348 TRAILBLAZER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
5101621029 CIRCLE DRIVE BAPTIST CHURCH	5101521109 PENROSE ELEMENTARY	5122121189 STRATMOOR HILLS ELEMENTARY	5042021349 MONUMENT TOWN HALL
5111821031 BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH	5091621110 RUSSELL MIDDLE SCHOOL	5091421190 ROCKRIMMON ELEMENTARY	5122121350 CHIPETA ELEMENTARY
5111821032 HILLSIDE COMMUNITY CENTER	5042021111 BLACK FOREST LUTHERAN CHURCH	5091421191 KING ELEMENTARY SD 11	5101521351 AUSTIN BLUFFS COMMUNITY CHURCH
5111821033 HILLSIDE COMMUNITY CENTER	5121921112 WEBSTER ELEMENTARY	5042021192 LEWIS-PALMER ELEMENTARY	5122121352 MASONIC CENTER
5111821034 HILLSIDE COMMUNITY CENTER	5111721113 MONTEREY ELEMENTARY	5101521193 AUSTIN BLUFFS COMMUNITY CHURCH	5101421353 CIMARRON HILLS FIRE DEPT HQTRS
5111821035 ROGERS ELEMENTARY	5101621114 SABIN MIDDLE SCHOOL	5111721194 FOX MEADOW MIDDLE SCHOOL	5092021354 MOUNTAIN RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL
5121821037 BRISTOL ELEMENTARY	5121921115 TALBOTT ELEMENTARY	5111721195 RESURRECTION LUTHERAN CHURCH	5042021355 CREEKSIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL
5111821038 CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH	5101621116 WINSLOW COURT RETIREMENT COMM	5092121196 JACKSON ELEMENTARY	5042021356 ANTELOPE TRAILS ELEMENTARY
5111821039 WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY	5101521117 PATRICK HENRY ELEMENTARY	5122121197 HOLMES MIDDLE SCHOOL	5092021357 COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
5111821040 WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY	5101921118 HANOVER SCHOOL	5101521199 IRVING MIDDLE SCHOOL	5091421358 CHAPEL HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
5111821041 BRISTOL ELEMENTARY	5101921119 EDISON SCHOOL	5122121200 RUSSELL MIDDLE SCHOOL	5091421359 SCOTT ELEMENTARY
5122121042 PIKE ELEMENTARY	5111821121 STEELE ELEMENTARY	5091621200 RUSSELL MIDDLE SCHOOL	5102021361 FALCON MIDDLE SCHOOL
5121821043 PIKE ELEMENTARY	5101621122 JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY	5121921201 KING ELEMENTARY SD 3	5101421360 VISTA GRANDE BAPTIST CHURCH
5091421044 VIEWPOINTE RETIREMENT COMM	5101621123 CIRCLE DRIVE BAPTIST CHURCH	5122121202 WOODMEN VALLEY CHAPEL	5121921362 SECURITY CHURCH OF NAZARENE
5101621045 EDISON ELEMENTARY	5111821124 ROGERS ELEMENTARY	5101521203 OAK CREEK ELEMENTARY	5121921363 RESTORATION CHURCH
5091621046 EDISON ELEMENTARY	5111821125 ROGERS ELEMENTARY	5091621206 ST LUKES LUTHERAN CHURCH	5121921365 JORDAHL ELEMENTARY
5091621047 CRAGMOR CHRISTIAN REFORMED CH	5111821126 CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH	5121921207 KING ELEMENTARY SD 3	5122121366 OTERO ELEMENTARY
5111821048 WEST CENTER	5111821127 WEST CENTER	5101521208 RUDY ELEMENTARY	5101521367 SKYVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL
5111821049 PLEASANT VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH	5112121128 MASONIC CENTER	5091621209 SPRINGS RANCH ELEMENTARY	5101521368 STETSON ELEMENTARY
5111821050 WEST CENTER	5111821129 CHAMBERLIN ELEMENTARY	5091621289 PULPIT ROCK CHURCH	5101521369 GATEWAY CHURCH
5121921131 S.A. WILSON SCHOOL	5121921130 FOUNTAIN VALLEY SENIOR CENTER	5101521290 PRAIRIE WINDS ELEMENTARY	5101521370 SPRINGS RANCH ELEMENTARY
5111821052 PLEASANT VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH	5121921132 VENETUCCI ELEMENTARY	5091421211 TRINITY CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE	5091421371 PRAIRIE HILLS ELEMENTARY
5122121053 MASONIC CENTER	5121921133 BROADMOOR ELEMENTARY	5101421212 KING ELEMENTARY SD 11	5042021372 CREEKSIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL
5111821054 ROCK OF AGES EVANG LUTH CHURCH	5122121134 BROADMOOR ELEMENTARY	5101621213 ASCENSION LUTHERAN CHURCH	5092021373 FORESTGATE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
5111821055 ROCK OF AGES EVANG LUTH CHURCH	5122121135 UTE PASS ELEMENTARY	5121721214 STRATMOOR HILLS ELEMENTARY	5092021374 TIMBERVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL
5111821056 STRATTON MEADOWS ELEM	5042021136 MONUMENT TOWN HALL	5091621215 GRANT ELEMENTARY	5091421375 SCOTT ELEMENTARY
5111821057 CHAMBERLIN ELEMENTARY	5111821137 LINCOLN ELEMENTARY	5101921216 PANORAMA MIDDLE SCHOOL	5101521376 RIDGEVIEW ELEMENTARY
5111721058 MOUNTAIN VISTA COMMUNITY SCHOOL	5111821138 NEW HEART COMMUNITY CHURCH	5101621217 STRATTON ELEMENTARY	5102021377 WOODMEN HILLS ELEMENTARY
5121921060 S.A. WILSON SCHOOL	5111821139 EASTBOROUGH CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE	5122021218 NEW HEART COMMUNITY CHURCH	5101521378 STETSON ELEMENTARY
5121921061 NORTH SECURITY ELEMENTARY	5101521140 PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CH	5101521298 VISTA GRANDE BAPTIST CHURCH	5101521379 GATEWAY CHURCH
5121921062 WIDEFIELD ELEMENTARY	5101521141 SUNNYSIDE CHRISTIAN CHURCH	5121921299 FRENCH ELEMENTARY	5102021381 WOODMEN HILLS ELEMENTARY
5121921063 VENETUCCI ELEMENTARY	5121921142 SKYWAY ELEMENTARY	5091421296 COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5091421382 JENKINS MIDDLE SCHOOL
5122121064 SKYWAY ELEMENTARY	5101621144 VILLAGE 7 PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5092021297 TIMBERVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL	5092021383 MOUNTAIN RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL
5122121065 FELLOWSHIP OF THE ROCKIES CHURCH	5091621145 CRAGMOR CHRISTIAN REFORMED CH	5101521298 VISTA GRANDE BAPTIST CHURCH	5101521384 GATEWAY CHURCH
5122121066 FELLOWSHIP OF THE ROCKIES CHURCH	5092121146 JACKSON ELEMENTARY	5042021300 TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH	5101521385 CHURCH FOR ALL NATIONS
5122121067 BROADMOOR ELEMENTARY	5122121147 HOLMES MIDDLE SCHOOL	5101521301 SAND CREEK HIGH SCHOOL	5121821386 SLOCUM HALL CC
5122121068 CANON ELEMENTARY	5091421148 SUNRISE UNITED METHODIST CH-BRIARGATE	5091421302 FRONTIER ELEMENTARY	5092021387 FORESTGATE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
5111821069 COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONAL CH	5111821149 MANITOU SPRINGS CITY HALL	5091421303 CORNERSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH	
5111821070 COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONAL CH	5101521150 SUNNYSIDE CHRISTIAN CHURCH	5091421304 TRAILBLAZER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	
5122121071 UTE PASS ELEMENTARY	5091421151 SUNRIDGE RETIREMENT COMMUNITY	5092121305 CHIPETA ELEMENTARY	
5092021072 WOODMEN VALLEY CHAPEL	5091621152 GRACE BIBLE CHURCH	5101421305 CHIPETA ELEMENTARY	
5092021073 DOUGLASS VALLEY ELEMENTARY	5092021153 P.P.C.C. RAMPART CAMPUS	5121821306 ALTAMIRA APTS CLUBHOUSE	
5042021074 LEWIS-PALMER ELEMENTARY	5121921154 JANITELL JR HIGH	5111821307 MANITOU SPRINGS MIDDLE SCHOOL	
5092021075 OUR LADY OF THE PINES CHURCH	5101521155 VILLAGE 7 PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH	5101921308 FALCON BAPTIST CHURCH	
5042021076 PALMER LAKE - TOWN HALL	5121921156 TALBOTT ELEMENTARY	5042021309 KILMER ELEMENTARY	
5101521077 FALCON BAPTIST CHURCH	5101621157 MITCHELL HIGH SCHOOL	5091621310 KELLER ELEMENTARY	
5101921078 PEYTON ELEMENTARY	5042021158 ANTELOPE TRAILS ELEMENTARY	5122121311 CHEYENNE MOUNTAIN ELEMENTARY	
5101921079 SWINK HALL	5091421159 WOODMEN VALLEY CHAPEL	5121721312 PINELLO ELEMENTARY	
5101921080 TOWN HALL - RAMAH	5101921080 WOODRIMMON ELEMENTARY	5091421313 EAGLEVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL	
		5101521314 FRIENDSHIP ASSEMBLY OF GOD	
		5101521315 SKYVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL	
		5091421316 PRAIRIE HILLS ELEMENTARY	
		5122121317 FOX MEADOW MIDDLE SCHOOL	
		5091421318 SUNRISE UNITED METHODIST CH-LEE VANCE	
		5101521319 PIONEER ELEMENTARY	
		5122121320 WILSON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH	