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EXECUTIVE ORDER

Proclamation

Declaration of Vote on Proposition CC- Retain Revenue for Education and Transportation and Proposition DD- Authorize and Tax Sports Betting

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor of the State of Colorado and, in particular, pursuant to Article V, Section 1(4)(a) of the Colorado Constitution, I, Jared Polis, Governor of the State of Colorado, hereby issue this proclamation declaring the vote on Proposition CC and Proposition DD.

I. Background and Purpose

Proposition CC and Proposition DD were initiated by the people of the state at the biennial regular election held on November 5, 2019. Secretary of State Jena Griswold certified on December 2, 2019 that she had canvassed the "Abstract of Votes Cast" and that the measure was approved by a majority of the votes cast.

Pursuant to Article V, Section 1(4)(a) of the Colorado Constitution, measures initiated by or referred to the people of the state shall become law or part of the constitution when approved by a majority of the votes cast, and shall take effect from and after the date of the official declaration of the vote by proclamation of the governor, but not later than thirty days after the vote has been canvassed.

II. Declaration

Accordingly, I hereby issue this proclamation declaring the vote on the following measures initiated by the people on November 5, 2019:

Proposition CC

Without raising taxes and to better fund public schools, higher education, and roads, bridges, and transit, within a balanced budget, may the state keep and spend all the revenue it annually collects after June, 30, 2019, but is not currently allowed to keep and spend under Colorado law, with an annual independent audit to show how the retained revenues are spent?

Yes- 724,060 (46.34 percent) No- 838,282 (53.66 percent)

Proposition DD

Shall state taxes be increased by twenty-nine dollars annually to fund state water projects and commitments and to pay for the regulation of sports betting through licensed casinos by authorizing a tax on sports betting of ten percent of net sports betting proceeds, and to impose the tax on persons licensed to conduct sports betting operations?

Yes- 800,745 (51.41 percent) No- 756,712 (48.59 percent)



GIVEN under my hand and Executive Seal of the State of Colorado this twentieth day of December, 2019.

Jared Polis Governor