

# Clear Creek County

BRENDA L. CORBETT  
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER  
405 ARGENTINE ST, PO BOX 2000  
GEORGETOWN, CO 80444

## 2023 COORDINATED ELECTION

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**This Election will be a Mail Ballot Election.  
There will be one (1) Voter Service and Polling Center**

**Election Day is November 7, 2023**

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**TO ALL REGISTERED VOTERS in the  
City of Idaho Springs, CO**

## **NOTICE OF ELECTION**

ON A REFERRED MEASURE

***THIS IS NOT A BALLOT***

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THIS PAMPHLET CONTAINS  
SUMMARY STATEMENTS FOR  
BALLOT PROPOSITIONS AS  
REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF  
COLORADO CONSTITUTION,  
ARTICLE X, SECTION 20.

“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  
CIRCUMSTANCE.”

**YOUR LOCAL ELECTION OFFICE IS:**

**CLEAR CREEK COUNTY CLERK AND  
RECORDER**

Clear Creek County Courthouse

**OFFICE HOURS Monday – Thursday  
7:30 AM - 5:30 PM**

**405 Argentine St., PO Box 2000  
Georgetown, CO 80444  
PH: (303) 679-2339  
FAX: (303) 679-2416**

Web Site: [www.clearcreekcounty.us](http://www.clearcreekcounty.us)  
Email Address: [clerk@clearcreekcounty.us](mailto:clerk@clearcreekcounty.us)

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**VOTER SERVICE AND POLLING CENTER**

**Obtain a replacement ballot, vote in person,  
drop-off your voted ballot or register to vote at  
the following location:**

**Clear Creek County Courthouse**

Clerk & Recorder's Office  
405 Argentine St.  
Georgetown, CO 80444-2000

Monday – Friday, October 30 – November 6, 2023  
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Saturday – November 4, 2023  
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Election Day – November 7, 2023  
7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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**24 Hour Ballot Drop-Box Locations**

Open October 16, 2023 through November 7,  
2023  
at 7 pm.

24-hour monitored mail ballot drop boxes are  
located at the following locations:

- **Clear Creek County Courthouse**  
405 Argentine St., Georgetown
- **Centura Health and Wellness Center**  
1969 Miner St., Idaho Springs
- **Clear Creek High School**  
185 Beaver Brook Canyon Rd, Evergreen

**The 2023 Coordinated Election will be conducted  
as a mail ballot election.**

Mail Ballots will be sent to each "Active" voter in Clear Creek County in the applicable jurisdiction(s). We will begin mailing ballots out the week of October 16, 2023. If you do not receive a ballot – please call the Clear Creek County Election Office at (303) 679-2339. Deadline for receipt of voted ballots is 7:00 PM, November 7, 2023. Postmarks do not count as receipt.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

This voter information pamphlet contains referendum and/or initiatives appearing on your 2022 General Election Ballot. The mailing and content of this notice is mandated by an amendment to Article X, Section 20 (the TABOR Amendment) of the Colorado Constitution.

The political subdivision providing this Voter's Information Notice does not warrant the accuracy or truth of any statement made in the summaries, nor is it responsible for errors in spelling, grammar, or punctuation of submitted statements.

Receipt of this voters' information pamphlet does not necessarily mean that every resident of your household is eligible to vote. You may not be eligible to vote on all issues presented.

If you have questions concerning voting procedures, drop box locations, or your eligibility to vote, refer initially to the information provided in this notice. Further details may be obtained by contacting your local election office listed below.

**TO ALL REGISTERED VOTERS**

**CITY OF IDAHO SPRINGS**

**NOTICE OF ELECTION ON A REFERRED MEASURE**

**Election Day Hours:** Tues., Nov. 7, 2023

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

**City of Idaho Springs Office:**

1711 Miner St, Idaho Springs, CO 80452-0907

(303)567-4421

**BALLOT QUESTION 2A**

**BALLOT TITLE**

SHALL IDAHO SPRINGS, WITHOUT CREATING A NEW TAX OR INCREASING A CURRENT TAX, BE AUTHORIZED TO RETAIN AND SPEND ALL REVENUES WITHOUT REGARD TO CONSTITUTIONAL AND STATUTORY LIMITATIONS?

**BALLOT QUESTION**

SHALL THE CITY OF IDAHO SPRINGS, COLORADO, WITHOUT CREATING ANY NEW TAX OR INCREASING ANY CURRENT TAXES, BE PERMITTED TO RETAIN AND SPEND THE FULL AMOUNT OF CITY REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES, COMMENCING IN 2023 AND EACH SUBSEQUENT YEAR, WITHOUT REGARD TO ANY REVENUE OR EXPENDITURE LIMITATIONS INCLUDING THOSE CONTAINED IN ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION?

YES/FOR

NO/AGAINST

**Summary of Written Comments FOR Ballot Issue 2A:**

- This ballot measure will not raise taxes for Idaho Springs residents, nor will it impact in any way potential statewide TABOR refunds due the residents of our City.
- In 2008, Idaho Springs voters approved a ballot measure to retain and spend all sources of revenue in excess of constitutional TABOR limitations, specifically for street, water and sewer improvements. This measure will simply expand the current spending authority to include other much-needed community priorities and projects that have been suggested, discussed and approved by the

residents. These priorities include the renovation of the Citywide Bank building into the new Idaho Springs Police station, the development of a sports complex at the City baseball fields, and development of a comprehensive Plan for the future of Idaho Springs. Each of these projects are the result of numerous public hearings and input by the residents.

- The current spending authority has allowed the City to apply for and receive more than \$13 million in matching grants for streets, utilities, hiking and biking trails, and the planned mobility (parking structure/bus terminal) hub. Passage of this measure will continue and greatly enhance the City's ability to receive grants from the state and federal government and agencies such as Great Outdoors Colorado.
- The majority of the City's annual general fund revenues come from sales and use tax, which in large part is paid by the visitors to our community. There will be no tax increase with the passage of this measure.

**Summary of Written Comments AGAINST Ballot Issue 2A:**

No comments were filed by the constitutional deadline.

**ATTEST: THE FOREGOING BALLOT ISSUE NOTICE IS COMPLETE AS SUBMITTED BY THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION.**



*Brenda Corbett*

**Brenda Corbett,  
Clear Creek County Clerk and Recorder**

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## OFFICIAL ELECTION MATERIAL

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FOR ALL REGISTERED VOTERS IN THIS HOUSEHOLD:

THIS NOTICE IS MAILED TO EACH ADDRESS WITH ONE OR MORE  
ACTIVE, REGISTERED ELECTORS. YOU MAY NOT BE ELIGIBLE  
TO VOTE ON ALL ISSUES PRESENTED.

POSTMASTER, DELIVER TO

# Notice of Election

## ON A REFERRED MEASURE

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***THIS IS NOT A BALLOT!***  
**Mail Ballots must be returned to the County  
Clerk's Office by 7:00 PM on Tuesday,  
November 7, 2023 to be counted.**

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