

From: Mindy Miller
To: [SoS Rulemaking](#)
Subject: Concern over revision of election rules in Colorado
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Dear Secretary Williams:

I am writing because I am extremely concerned about your possible revision of election rules in our state.

Specifically:

1) We need CLARIFICATION on Amended Rule 2.5.4

The amended rule must be clarified such that it states that in elections years of both presidential and state primaries, the party affiliation of the voter only applies to a single primary in the election cycle not all the primaries in the cycle.

2) Amended Rule 2.13.2 must be rejected, as it would eliminate the requirement of election judges to maintain a log of new registered voters or of any changes made by register electors. These actions are critical to maintaining the integrity of fair and honest elections.

3) Amended Rule 8 must be rejected. This rule would not allow poll watchers to have any electronic device or mobile phone in their possession in the vicinity of the polling place, which is obviously problematic because, without these devices, watchers would be unable to report voting irregularities in real time.

4) With regards to Ballot Separation Options for Unaffiliated Voters:

I would urge you to opt for OPTION 1, but also create a failsafe method for ensuring voter anonymity.

5) With regards to Cross Jurisdiction Voting, I would strongly oppose this in its current form, as it has the potential to result in some counties to REDUCE the number of voting centers. Instead, I would recommend clarification or revision to avoid this possibility and reduce potential confusion among voters.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

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