

## Election - November 6, 2018

### Our Positions on Boulder County Ballot Measures

*Note: Besides our **voter education** functions, LWV may also take an **advocacy** position on selected proposals. LWV supports or opposes an issue only if our members have established a Program Position directly relevant to the proposal. To arrive at such positions, members have studied a policy area in depth and come to consensus on certain points. Positions are reconsidered annually and affirmed, revised, or dropped.*

#### Boulder County

- Ballot Issue **1A** (Alternative Sentencing Facility and Jail Modernization Countywide Sales and Use Tax Extension): **Support**  
*Our support is based on our LWVCO (statewide) position in support of measures to provide a humane and safe environment for inmates and staff; to alleviate overcrowding through intermediate sanctions for nonviolent offenders; and to adequately fund education and treatment services, including substance abuse and health and behavioral health care.*

#### City of Boulder

- Ballot Issue **2C**: Imposition of Oil and Gas Pollution Tax: **Support**  
*Our support is based on our LWVUS (national) position that environmental protection and pollution control should begin at the local level and be considered a cost of providing a product or service.*
- Ballot Issue **2D**: Authorize Retention of All Sugar-Sweetened Beverages Tax Revenue: **Support**  
*Our support is based on the intended health equity benefits and reversing the impact of TABOR controls.*
- Ballot Question **2E**: **Neutral**
- Ballot Question **2F**: **Neutral**
- Ballot Question **2G**: Charter Amendment Related to Electronic and Online Petitions: **Support**  
*Our support is based on our LWVUS (national) position in support the electronic streamlining of election processes.*
- Ballot Question 2H: **Neutral**
- Ballot Question 2I: **Neutral**

#### City of Lafayette

- Ballot Issue **2A**: Oil and Gas Pollution Tax: **Support**  
*Our support is based on our LWVUS (national) position that environmental protection and pollution control should begin at the local level, and be considered a cost of providing a product or service.*

#### City of Longmont

- Ballot Issue **3A**: **Neutral**
- Ballot Issue **3B**: **Neutral**
- Ballot Issue **3C**: **Neutral**