

RESOLUTION NO.: 2010-03

SUBJECT: Opposition to Amendment 60, Amendment 61, Proposition 101

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 16, 2010

RESOLUTION OF THE EL PASO COUNTY
BOARD OF HEALTH

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 1-45-117(b)(III)(A), C.R.S., the El Paso County Board of Health (Board of Health) is authorized to pass a resolution, or take a position of advocacy, relating to issues submitted to the voters in any election; and,

WHEREAS, three particular issues will be submitted to the voters in the Colorado General Election to be held on November 2, 2010, to wit:

1. Amendment 60 which, if adopted, would add a new section to Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution to establish significant additional limits on property taxes;
2. Amendment 61 which, if adopted, would add a new section to Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution to prohibit all debt by the State of Colorado, and significantly limit local government debt in Colorado;
3. and, Proposition 101 which, if adopted, would drastically reduce the Colorado State income tax, various motor vehicle fees and taxes, and telecommunications services fees; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of Health has determined that, individually and collectively, these measures, if adopted, will significantly damage and impair the State of Colorado, and its local governments, from funding the most basic levels of public services related to safety, education and transportation, including specifically irreparable harm to funding of even basic public health services;

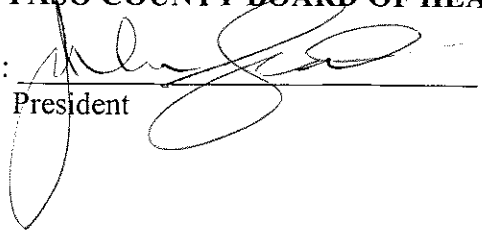
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EL PASO COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH:

1. That the Board of Health hereby opposes Amendment 60, Amendment 61, and Proposition 101, and urges the voters to defeat each of these measures at the November 2, 2010, Colorado General Election;
2. That the Board of Health hereby authorizes each of its individual members, and the Executive Director of the El Paso County Department of Health and Environment, to execute similar resolutions by other organizations in opposition to Amendment 60, Amendment 61, and Proposition 101 on behalf of the Board of Health; and,
3. That the Board of Health authorizes each of its individual members, and the Executive Director of the El Paso County Department of Health and Environment, to advocate in opposition to Amendment 60, Amendment 61, and


Proposition 101 on behalf of the Board of Health in all manners allowed by the Colorado Fair Campaign Practices Act (Article 45 of Title 1, C.R.S.).

MOVED, SECONDED AND ADOPTED BY THE EL PASO COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH AT ITS REGULAR MEETING HELD AUGUST 16, 2010.

EL PASO COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

BY: 

President

ATTEST: 

Secretary