



**LEGISLATIVE BALLOT
ON RULES PROPOSED BY
THE COMMISSIONER OF POLITICAL PRACTICES**

Dear [REDACTED],

This ballot is sent to you pursuant to section 2-4-403, MCA, by the State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee of the Montana Legislature. The ballot is sent as part of a poll provided for in that section to determine whether 16 rules proposed by the Commissioner of Political Practices in Montana Administrative Register Notice No. 44-2-207 are consistent with or contrary to the intent of the Legislature in passing Senate Bill No. 289 and in current statute.

COMPLETE YOUR BALLOT

Please be sure that you have checked only **ONE** of the spaces provided below relating to each proposed rule to indicate whether you believe each proposed rule is consistent with or contrary to the intent of the Legislature. If you make a mistake, you must place your initials next to any correction. Your ballot consists of **two** pages. **Please make sure you sign your ballot on BOTH pages.**

YOUR SIGNED BALLOT MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 21, 2015

- I. You have four options to return your ballot:
 - A. **In Person:** Deliver your marked and signed ballot to the Legislative Services Division, Room 110, State Capitol.
 - B. **By Mail:** Insert your marked and signed ballot in the postage-paid envelope provided.
 - C. **By Fax:** Send your marked and signed ballot by facsimile transmission to Legislative Services at 406-444-3036.
 - D. **By e-mail:** Scan your marked and signed ballot, attach the ballot to an e-mail, include the subject line "ballot" in the e-mail, and send it to Legislative Services at [REDACTED]
- II. **Your ballot consists of 2 full pages concerning 16 rules.** Please confirm that you return **both** pages at the same time and that **both** pages have been signed.
- III. **Your signed ballot must be received in the Legislative Services Division office no later than December 21, 2015.**

Questions ~ Contact the Legislative Services Division by phone at 406-444-3064.



OFFICIAL LEGISLATIVE POLL BALLOT

Montana Administrative Register Notice No. 44-2-207

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| <p>Proposed New Rule I (Primary Purpose)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |
| <p>Proposed New Rule IV (Consequences for Failure to File Required Statements, Reports, or Disclosures)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |
| <p>Proposed New Rule V (Electronic Contributions, Reporting)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |
| <p>Proposed Rule VI (Attribution on Election Material)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |

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| <p>Proposed Rule VII (Coordination)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |
| <p>Proposed Rule VIII (De Minimis)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |
| <p>Proposed Rule X (Electioneering Communication)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |
| <p>Proposed Rule XI (Fair Notice Period Before Election)</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.</p> <p>_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.</p> |

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Proposed Rule XII (Personal Use of Campaign Funds)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

Proposed Amendments to 44.10.201 (Advisory Opinions and Selected Incorporation of Certain Attorney General Rules, Regarding Declaratory Rulings and Rulemaking)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

Proposed Amendments to 44.10.301 (Introduction and Definitions)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

Proposed Amendments to 44.10.307 (Complaints of Violations)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

Proposed Amendments to 44.10.321 (Contribution – Definition)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

Proposed Amendments to 44.10.323 (Expenditure – Definition)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

Proposed Amendments to 44.10.327 (Political Committee, Definition and Types)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

Proposed Amendments to 44.10.329 (Political Committee, Classification)

_____ The proposed rule IS CONSISTENT WITH legislative intent.

_____ The proposed rule IS CONTRARY TO legislative intent.

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