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League of Women Voters of Boulder County (LWVBC) is an advocate for educating voters. We can support or oppose ballot issues when our members have established a program position directly relevant to the question before the voters. To arrive at such positions, members prioritize a public policy area, study it in depth, and identify the points around which members are in broad agreement. Positions are reconsidered annually and affirmed, revised or dropped.

If the league has no previously studied position on the subject matter of a ballot item, at local, state or national level, or if it has conflicting positions, the LWVBC will remain neutral on that ballot item.

For 2017:

The LWVBC is **neutral** on:

Boulder County 1C, city of Boulder 2L, 2N, 2O, 2P and 2Q, as well as Lafayette 2B, 2C, and 2D; Longmont 2I and 2K; and Louisville 2F and 2G.

The LWVBC **supports**:

Boulder County's 1A, based on the position promoting efficient fiscal administration, including adequate and equitable financing of municipal programs, current and long-range.

County 1B, based on the position opposed to term limits because 1B attempts to mitigate effects of term limits already in place.

City of Boulder 2M, based on the positions for efficient fiscal administration and environmental planning, which encourages addressing future needs of public spaces.

City of Lafayette 2A, based on our natural resources position covering open space.

Submitted: Lafayette 2E, based on our growth management position to promote balanced development for all economic levels.

City of Longmont 2H, based on the position supporting fiscally responsible government.

Longmont 2J, based on the state position supporting water storage and supply efforts.

Ballot issue explanations, including pros and cons provided by proponents and opponents, and separate statements of our positions also are available at www.lwvbc.org.

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