

ALL REGISTERED VOTERS
NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INCREASE SALES TAXES
TOWN OF IGNACIO
LA PLATA COUNTY, COLORADO

ELECTION DATE: April 3, 2018
POLLING HOURS: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
LOCAL ELECTION OFFICE: Abel F. Atencio Community Room, 570 Goddard Ave,
Ignacio, CO 81137 (970) 563-9494

The following item will appear on the Ballot:

BALLOT QUESTION 1.A:

SHALL THE TOWN OF IGNACIO'S TAXES BE INCREASED \$225,000.00 IN 2019 (FIRST FULL YEAR OF SUCH TAX INCREASE), AND BY WHATEVER AMOUNTS ARE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER, BY IMPOSING, COMMENCING JULY 1, 2018, AN ADDITIONAL ONE PERCENT (1%) SALES TAX; PROVIDED THAT THE ADDITIONAL ONE PERCENT SALES TAX AUTHORIZED HEREIN SHALL BE APPROVED AND PLEDGED TO THE TOWN OF IGNACIO'S CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS FUND AND TO BE USED SOLELY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES; AND SHALL THE TOWN'S EXISTING SALES TAX, INCLUDING ANY TAX INCREASE APPROVED HEREIN, AND INCLUDING SUCH INCREASES IN REVENUES AND ANY INVESTMENT INCOME THEREON, BE COLLECTED AND SPENT BY THE TOWN AS A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE AND SPENDING CHANGE, WITHOUT REGARD TO ANY SPENDING, REVENUE RAISING OR OTHER LIMITATION CONTAINED IN ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION AND ANY OTHER LAW, AND WITHOUT LIMITING IN ANY YEAR THE AMOUNT OF OTHER REVENUES THAT MAY BE COLLECTED AND SPENT BY THE TOWN?

YES _____ NO _____

The following information is provided by the District under the provisions of the Colorado Constitution, Article X, Section 20(3) which requires the District to provide the following information:

FISCAL YEAR SPENDING:

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>SPENDING</u>
2018 - ESTIMATED	\$ 1,836,837.00
2017	\$ 1,654,096.00
2016	\$ 1,657,054.00
2015	\$ 1,637,851.00
2014	\$ 1,383,483.00

OVERALL PERCENTAGE CHANGE: 32.8%
OVERALL DOLLAR CHANGE: \$453,354.00

Estimated Maximum Dollar Amount of Tax Increase For 2019	\$225,000.00
Estimated Fiscal Year Spending Without Proposed Tax Increase	\$1,836,837.00

SUMMARY OF COMMENTS

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No comments were filed by the Constitutional deadline.

SUMMARY OF COMMENTS AGAINST THE BALLOT ISSUE:

No comments were filed by the Constitutional deadline.