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To:	Statewide Initiatives
Subject:	[EXTERNAL] Request Motion for Rehearing of Title Board on Proposition 2023-2024 #91 "Prohibit Trophy Hunting"
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To the Colorado Title Board,

I request a rehearing of the Colorado Title Board on Proposition 2023-2024 #91 "Prohibit Trophy Hunting" on the grounds that the title and statement clause of the petition do not fairly represent the true meaning and intent of the initiative. The petition seeks a "prohibition on the trophy hunting of mountain lions, lynx, and bobcats" but then further defines "trophy hunting" as "the intentional killing, wounding, pursuing, entrapping, or discharging or releasing of a deadly weapon at a mountain lion, lynx, or bobcat". This definition of "trophy hunting" extends the prohibition to essentially all types of hunting. However, trophy hunting is universally defined as hunting for the display of the animal's head, fur, or other body parts, rather than the utilization of the meat. This is also how the proponents defined trophy hunting in Proposition #91, Section 1. Therefore the set title of this proposition and the language within Section 1 differ greatly. The definition in the title set by the board does not fairly represent the true meaning and intent of the initiative of the proposition; the true meaning and intent of the proposition is to prohibit hunting of mountain lions, bobcats, and lynx. The title of the proposition should be clear, the use of the words "trophy hunting" is confusing and misleading.

Please consider my request for a rehearing. I was unable to attend the title board hearing.

Respectfully, Grant Jerry Woodland Park, CO