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The "Citizens United" supreme court decision is often contemplated to be the worst Supreme Court decision since Dred Scott. Dred Scott "universally condemned as the US Supreme Court's worst decision" as the was eventually overturned byt the Civil Rights Act of 1866 and the 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment which recognized that African Americans were people. Citizens United will eventually be overturned with the Court recognizes the corporations are not people. Amendment 71 is a decision in the same category -- A stripping of democracy from people. Colorado should not pursue further actions that jeopardize the integrity of democracy. This too will get over-ruled eventually, and the interim damage is not worth it. Please, this is supposed to be the greatest democracy. Don't make Colorado a well of mockery – we have smart people that should be involved with the governance of their state.

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