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To: SoS Rulemaking Cc: Susan Corliss

Subject: Comments - working draft election rules

Hello,

Below are comments submitted on behalf of Kit Carson County.

2.5.4

Suggest including changes to voter preference as well as affiliation change.

2.14.4

Suggest a guide, not necessarily in rules, that outlines which reports can or cannot be run. Is there a threshold? As a small county, some of our reports that include all election information are small, specifically during coordinated elections when we are only doing school and/or special district elections.

7.5.5

Strongly support.

7.5.10

Would like more clarification.

7.5.11

Strongly support this change. Suggest language be added to direct how to send the ballots, Regular 1st Class, Next day, etc., to create consistency. Suggest eliminating the scanned image requirement or making it optional, if a list would be provided via email including Voter Name, Voter ID, and date received instead.

8.15.8

Strongly support.

Attachment One:

Strongly support Option 3. We would like some clarification about rejecting the ballot packet. Are we to reject both ballots if one ballot is blank? Or reject both ballots only if both are voted? If the voter makes an "X" through or makes other references that they are not voting the ballot, is it considered blank/not voted?

Attachment Two:

We would support for the purpose of other counties being able to enter into an agreement with each other if they wanted. Kit Carson County would not utilize this option.

Thank you for your consideration of our comments.

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