



South Suburban PARKS AND RECREATION

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South Suburban Parks and Recreation Included on Ballot for Nov. 4 Election

Ballots have arrived in mailboxes for the Nov. 4 gubernatorial and congressional election. South Suburban Park and Recreation District is included on the ballot that was mailed to residents of Littleton, Sheridan, western Centennial, Lone Tree west of I-25, Bow Mar, Columbine Valley, and unincorporated portions of Douglas County, Jefferson County and Arapahoe County.

Be sure to look for your ballot, open it, and read it until the very end, because that is where South Suburban Park and Recreation District's initiative appears. South Suburban's ballot initiative 4C asks voters for additional funding for a two-mill, ten year, property tax increase.

The Ballot Question provides that South Suburban would use the funding for general operations and other purposes including:

- * Protect and enhance the High Line Canal Trail, the South Platte River Trail (Mary Carter Greenway) and other local trails;
- * Repair, maintain and improve existing parks, recreation facilities and playgrounds;
- * Replace outdated mechanical equipment with new energy saving systems including solar energy; and
- * Save water by replacing aging and inefficient irrigation systems in parks and using non-treated water where feasible.

Complete the ballot and attach 70 cents postage, and return it via mail by Tues., Nov. 4. Your ballot must be returned by 7 pm on Tues., Nov. 4 to a drop off location or voter service and polling location in your county. For added convenience, Arapahoe County ballots can also be dropped off at the Arapahoe County ballot box at South Suburban's Goodson Recreation Center, 6315 S. University Blvd., Centennial.

To learn more, please visit www.sspr.org or contact Executive Director David Lorenz at davidl@ssprd.org, or 303-798-5131.

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