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This is voter repression tactics and I am disappointed and upset you would allow such things to happen in Colorado!!! You know perfectly well that the voter turnout will not be the same as a result of not having mail-in ballots and requiring everyone to go to a location to vote. This also creates a TOTAL MISUSE OF TAXPAYER MONEY. There should not be an election of any type without a mail-in ballot option. That cannot be stressed enough. Move the voting date later to accommodate this requirement and the court should be made aware of the minimum amount of time for candidates to apply to be on the ballot; giving sufficient time to then be able to MAIL the ballots.

Everybody is a genius. But if you judge a fish by its ability to climb a tree, it will live its whole life believing that it is stupid.

- Albert Einstein -

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