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Subject: Comments and Suggestions 2019
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Dear Secretary of State Ms. Griswold,
Please find attached my comments and suggestions.

Again, deeply humbled and honored to have the opportunity to provide my contribution to the improvement of the election rules in the State of Colorado.

Very best regards,
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Suggestions and comments concerning Colorado's Election Rules 2019
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Suggestion

7.9.1 Perhaps 15 days of polling during business hours are perhaps superfluous, it may be more efficient to open polling centers on Saturday and Sunday and allow for late night polling as well (until 23:00) on election day. Reason: there may be people working long shifts and more than one job, some may only be able to vote during non-business hours.

7.9.1

4 (C) All voter service and polling centers must be open from 7:00 a.m. through 23:00
5 p.m. on election day.

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Comment: Shouldn't it be clear from the voter's ID? Why challenge the voter when his/her data should be registered in the system and correspond to the information on the ID. Aren't voters required to present a valid ID during the in-person voting procedure?

19 9.1.4 Age. The election judge must ask the elector, "ARE YOU AT LEAST 17 YEARS OF AGE AND
20 Will WILL you be 18 years of age or older on OR BEFORE THE DATE OF THE NEXT
21 GENERAL ELECTION election day?"

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comment: Why use modifiable Microsoft electronic formats? Why not use .pdf or other non modifiable document formats?

5 11.2.2 THE inventory MUST BE in AN electronic format, AND exportable to a
6 comma separated VALUE (CSV), EXCEL spreadsheet (XLS or XLSX), or quote or
7 tab separated (TXT) file before delivery to the Secretary of State.

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Comment: Why delete the "fire proof" requirement? Being electronic, perhaps also "magnetic proof" should be a requirement

11 11.4.5 The Secretary of State's office will store the election setup records in a secured, fire
12 proof, limited-access location.

Page 15 (see suggestion 7.9.1)

3 (A) WHILE TABULATING, COUNTIES MUST UPLOAD TO THE ENR SYSTEM ACCORDING
4 TO THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

5 (a) (1) After the close of polls but no later than 24:00 p.m.; AND

6 (b) (2) At or around NO LATER THAN 9:00 p.m.