

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY REPRESENTATIVE Boesenecker

1 Amend printed bill, strike everything below the enacting clause and
2 substitute:

3 "SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 30-10-306.5, **amend**
4 (3)(a) as follows:

5 **30-10-306.5. Procedure to increase number of county**
6 **commissioners.** (3) (a) In the alternative, a petition signed by at least
7 ~~eight~~ FIVE percent of the total number of qualified electors of a county
8 voting for all candidates for the office of secretary of state at the last
9 preceding general election shall be sufficient to place on the ballot at a
10 general election the question of whether to increase the membership to
11 five members with a designation of not fewer than two of the methods of
12 election set forth in subsection (5) or (6) of this section.

13 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 30-10-306.7, **amend**
14 (4) as follows:

15 **30-10-306.7. Procedure for electing county commissioners.**
16 (4) In the alternative, a petition signed by at least ~~eight~~ FIVE percent of
17 the total number of qualified electors of a county voting for all candidates
18 for the office of secretary of state at the last preceding general election
19 shall be sufficient to place on the ballot at a general election the question
20 of whether to change the method of electing members of the board or to
21 decrease the membership of the board. In the case of a petition to change
22 the method of electing members of the board, such petition shall specify
23 the method of election according to subsection (2) of this section. Such
24 a petition, shall be delivered to the county clerk and recorder prior to the
25 ninetieth day before the next general election with a request that the
26 question be placed on the ballot for referral to the registered electors of
27 the county at the next general election.

28 **SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act
29 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
30 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except
31 that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V
32 of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this
33 act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take
34 effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in
35 November 2024 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
36 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor."

37 Page 1, strike lines 104 through 107 and substitute "**REDUCING THE**
38 **NUMBER OF SIGNATURES REQUIRED FOR A PETITION TO INCREASE OR**

- 1 REDUCE THE NUMBER OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OR CHANGE THE
- 2 METHOD OF ELECTING COUNTY COMMISSIONERS IN SUCH A COUNTY."

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