

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs.

SB20-105 be amended as follows:

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

3 "SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 2-4-109.5 as
4 follows:

5 **2-4-109.5. Submission of ballot question concerning the state's**
6 **standard time.** (1) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL SUBMIT A BALLOT
7 QUESTION TO A VOTE OF THE REGISTERED ELECTORS OF THE STATE OF
8 COLORADO AT THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN NOVEMBER 2020.
9 FOR PURPOSES OF TITLE 1, THE BALLOT QUESTION IS A PROPOSITION.

10 (2) (a) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTIONS 1-40-115 (2) AND 1-40-106
11 (3)(c), EACH ELECTOR SHALL CAST A VOTE ON THE QUESTION: "IF FEDERAL
12 LAW CHANGES TO REPEAL THE ANNUAL ADVANCEMENT OF TIME
13 COMMONLY KNOWN AS DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME, WHICH OF THE
14 FOLLOWING OPTIONS DO YOU PREFER FOR THE YEAR-ROUND TIME IN
15 COLORADO?" EACH ELECTOR MUST HAVE THE OPTION TO SELECT
16 "STAYING ON STANDARD TIME YEAR-ROUND" OR "STAYING ON DAYLIGHT
17 SAVING TIME YEAR-ROUND".

18 (b) THE BALLOT MUST INSTRUCT ELECTORS TO VOTE FOR ONLY
19 ONE OPTION. IF A VOTER SELECTS BOTH OPTIONS, IT IS AN OVERVOTE FOR
20 PURPOSES OF TITLE 1.

21 (3) THE NOTICE TO ELECTORS PROVIDED BY THE DIRECTOR OF
22 RESEARCH OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PURSUANT TO SECTION
23 1-40-124.5 MUST EXPLAIN THE CHANGE IN LAW THAT WILL BE ENACTED IN
24 ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION 2-4-109 (1.5) FOR EACH SELECTION AND
25 THE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH THE CHANGE WILL BECOME
26 EFFECTIVE.

27 (4) THE VOTES CAST FOR EACH OF THE OPTIONS PURSUANT TO
28 SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE CANVASSED AND THE RESULT
29 DETERMINED AND REPORTED IN THE SAME MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW FOR
30 THE CANVASSING OF VOTES ON A PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL
31 AMENDMENT.

32 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-4-109, **amend** (1)
33 and (2); and **add** (1.5) as follows:

34 **2-4-109. Standard time - daylight saving time - repeal.**
35 (1) (a) The standard time within the state, except as provided in
36 subsection (2) of this section, is that which is now known and designated
37 by act of congress as "United States Mountain Standard Time".

38 (b) THIS SUBSECTION (1) IS REPEALED EFFECTIVE ON THE DATE
39 SUBSECTION (1.5)(a) OR (1.5)(b) OF THIS SECTION BECOMES EFFECTIVE.

40 (1.5) (a) (I) THE STANDARD TIME WITHIN THE STATE IS

1 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME MINUS SEVEN HOURS.
2 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1.5)(a) IS EFFECTIVE ONLY IF THE MAJORITY
3 OF VOTERS CASTING A VOTE ON THE BALLOT QUESTION REQUIRED BY
4 SECTION 2-4-109.5 (2) SELECT THE OPTION "STAYING ON STANDARD TIME
5 YEAR-ROUND". IN THAT CASE, IT IS EFFECTIVE ON THE EARLIER OF:
6 (A) THE DAY BEFORE THE ENACTMENT OF THE "SUNSHINE
7 PROTECTION ACT OF 2019," S.670 IN THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTEENTH
8 CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES, IF THAT DATE IS ON OR AFTER THE
9 DATE OF THE OFFICIAL DECLARATION OF THE VOTE BY PROCLAMATION OF
10 THE GOVERNOR ON THE QUESTION REQUIRED BY SECTION 2-4-109.5 (2); OR
11 (B) ON THE FIRST SUNDAY IN NOVEMBER FOLLOWING THE
12 ENACTMENT OF A FEDERAL LAW THAT REPEALS THE ADVANCEMENT OF
13 TIME CURRENTLY SET FORTH IN 15 U.S.C. SEC. 260a (a) AND ALLOWS THE
14 STATE TO REMAIN ON THE TIME CURRENTLY KNOWN AS "UNITED STATES
15 MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME" YEAR-ROUND, IF THAT DATE IS ON OR AFTER
16 THE DATE OF THE OFFICIAL DECLARATION OF THE VOTE BY PROCLAMATION
17 OF THE GOVERNOR ON THE QUESTION REQUIRED BY SECTION 2-4-109.5 (2).
18 (b) (I) THE STANDARD TIME WITHIN THE STATE IS COORDINATED
19 UNIVERSAL TIME MINUS SIX HOURS.
20 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1.5)(b) IS EFFECTIVE ONLY IF THE MAJORITY
21 OF VOTERS CASTING A VOTE ON THE BALLOT QUESTION REQUIRED BY
22 SECTION 2-4-109.5 (2) SELECT THE OPTION "STAYING ON DAYLIGHT
23 SAVING TIME YEAR-ROUND". IN THAT CASE, IT IS EFFECTIVE ON THE FIRST
24 SUNDAY IN NOVEMBER FOLLOWING THE ENACTMENT OF A FEDERAL LAW
25 THAT REPEALS THE ADVANCEMENT OF TIME CURRENTLY SET FORTH IN 15
26 U.S.C. SEC. 260a (a) AND ALLOWS THE STATE TO REMAIN ON THE TIME
27 CURRENTLY KNOWN AS "UNITED STATES MOUNTAIN DAYLIGHT TIME"
28 YEAR-ROUND, IF THAT DATE IS ON OR AFTER THE DATE OF THE OFFICIAL
29 DECLARATION OF THE VOTE BY PROCLAMATION OF THE GOVERNOR ON THE
30 QUESTION REQUIRED BY SECTION 2-4-109.5 (2).
31 (2) (a) From two o'clock antemeridian on the second Sunday of
32 March, until two o'clock antemeridian on the first Sunday of November,
33 or such other times and days as may, from time to time, be designated by
34 act of congress, the standard time in this state so established shall be one
35 hour in advance of the standard time now known as "United States
36 Mountain Standard Time".
37 (b) THIS SUBSECTION (2) IS REPEALED EFFECTIVE ON THE DATE
38 SUBSECTION (1.5)(a) OR (1.5)(b) OF THIS SECTION BECOMES EFFECTIVE.
39 **SECTION 3. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
40 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
41 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety."

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