

The 1A and 1B measures on the Nov. 3 ballot will allow Adams County to prepare for the future. We need to act now to plan better for growth and preserve our water quality, open spaces, and quality of life, all while effectively maintaining roads and bridges throughout our region.



A YES vote on 1A will, without increasing taxes, extend an existing countywide Open Space Tax of onefourth of one percent (25 cents on a \$100 purchase) for a successful open space program.

1A Benefits Residents by:

- Preserving land to assure water quality
- Safeguarding wildlife areas, wetlands, rivers, and streams
- Protecting open space in our communities
- Creating/improving/maintaining park and trails
- Enhancing cultural and historic facilities

Why is 1A important?

- Conserving public lands increases the quality of life for all residents
- The need to preserve open space in Adams County is increasingly urgent due to growth
- The enhancements will create a desirable community for **future generations**



About 1B

A YES vote on 1B will, without increasing taxes, extend an existing countywide Sales Tax of one-half of one percent (50 cents on a \$100 purchase) for infrastructure development.

1B Benefits Residents by:

- Ensuring revenues among the County and incorporated cities & towns for maintaining, improving, and building roads and bridges
- Continuing revenues to construct, acquire, equip, operate, and maintain new public buildings to meet the needs of Adams County's growing population

Why is 1B important?

- Investment in infrastructure is vital to keep pace with growth and increase the County's livability
- This extension will allow the County to build upon past investments and keep us moving in the right direction