



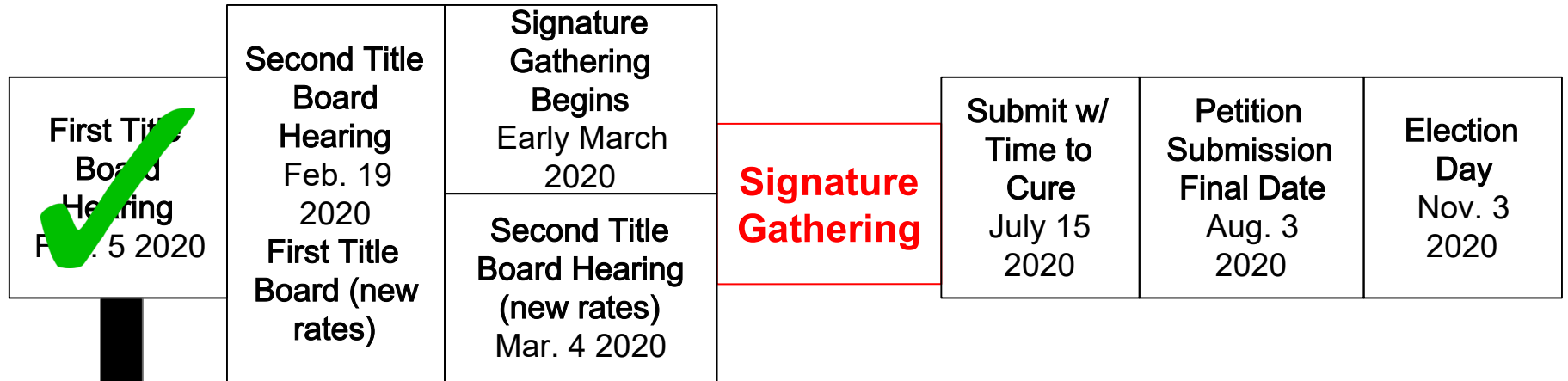
Policy Input Tool 2.0

If you haven't shared the
tool yet...

Vision2020co.org → “input”

The survey will be live through Thursday February 20, 2020.

Vision 2020 Timeline



All 17 measures were granted title. You can see them on our website (news) or by visiting the secretary of state's website.

Variation 1: Tax Table

Table A

Bracket	Proposed Marginal Rate	Current Marginal Rate	Difference
Below \$250k	4.63%	4.63%	0%
250-500	7.25%	4.63%	2.62%
500-1m	8.50%	4.63%	3.87%
1m+	9.85%	4.63%	5.22%
Possible Revenue Generated	\$2.5billion		

Fiscal Note:
Estimated revenue raised is \$2.5 billion.

Variation 1: Tax Table

Table B

Bracket	Proposed Marginal Rate	Current Marginal Rate	Difference
Below \$250k	4.58%	4.63%	-0.05%
250-500	7.25%	4.63%	2.62%
500-1m	8.50%	4.63%	3.87%
1m+	9.85%	4.63%	5.22%
Possible Revenue Generated	\$2.4billion		

Fiscal Note:
Estimated revenue raised is \$2.4 billion.

Variation 1: Tax Table

Table C

Bracket	Proposed Marginal Rate	Current Marginal Rate	Difference
Below \$250k	4.58%	4.63%	-0.05%
250-500	7.00%	4.63%	2.37%
500-1m	7.75%	4.63%	3.12%
1m+	8.9%	4.63%	4.27%
Possible Revenue Generated	\$1.9billion		

Tiered Tax Structure that lowers the tax rate for income under \$250,000 (4.58%) and raises rates on income above \$250,000, higher income rates are slightly lower than Table A and B. Estimated revenue raised is \$1.9 billion.



Messaging from Orgs outside of p - 12 education:

Key Points:

- Right now, the rich **pay less** of their income in taxes than the rest of us. That's not right.
- **Despite our booming economy, many Coloradans feel left behind.** 62% of us feel we're not benefiting from our state's unprecedented economic growth.
- Our roads, bridges, and transit systems need to be modernized in order to keep up with population growth, but **we can't afford to pay for necessary improvements.**
- The opioid and methamphetamine epidemics are a challenge that businesses, educators, health care, faith communities, and public agencies must work together to combat. **But without adequate public resources for treatment, mental health care, and community-based prevention, these epidemics will continue to cause unacceptable suffering.**
- Right now, public health agencies **can only provide 61% of the resources** needed for basic community protections like clean water and immunizations.
- In December of 2019, the EPA **lowered the air quality status** of Denver and 8 other counties from "moderate" to "serious." We need a tax code that is flexible enough to address the needs of our changing environment.

Colorado is the only state in the country where lawmakers can't make tax policy, which means we haven't been able to raise the revenue necessary to meet these needs. To raise the money we need, we have to ask the people.

Together Colorado

The role of good government

The role of our government is to protect and support our communities.

We have to ask ourselves if TABOR does that: Does it help our government work for all people and does it create more opportunities for all Coloradans to live a dignified life? The short answer is no.

By exercising our role as owners of our democracy, we can transform our government to prioritize the voice of all Coloradans, not just those at the top.

One Colorado



Colorado Consumer
Health Initiative

What to expect from fiscal reform in 2020

On February 5, the state Title Board received over a dozen fiscal reform initiatives from [Vision 2020](#), a statewide network that works to find commonsense solutions to address our fiscal challenges. CCHI is proud to be a Vision 2020 member, and to work with organizations and individuals who are committed to update our outdated tax code. Our state's fiscal challenges have a direct impact on Colorado's ability to reform our health care system (read about [the fiscal knot our new reinsurance program is facing](#)).



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As a member of the Vision 2020 network, we're excited to announce 17 measures aimed at tax reform were heard by the Colorado Title Board and given titles. 2020 is the year to fix our upside-down tax code! [#copolitics](#)



Colorado Consumer Health Initiative

NWCOG

Vision 2020

[Vision 2020](#) is a network of organizations and individuals across Colorado who are working to update Colorado's tax code to better serve the needs of communities across the state. As part of this effort, they are asking for feedback on possible ballot measures. This [online survey](#) asks for your thoughts on the measures Vision 2020 is testing and gives you the opportunity to rank your preferences. Your input will inform the decision about which measure will appear on the November 2020 ballot. That decision will be made in mid February.

The Bell Policy Center:

[Quick facts](#)

The Bell Policy Center
February 6 at 10:46 AM · 🌐

2020 is the year to fix our state's broken tax code.

How did we get here?

1992
Voters Pass TABOR

Colorado has grown significantly since 1992, which means we're stretching our already thin resources even thinner - and we can't raise the money we need to provide adequate public services for everyone who calls our state home

What did that do?

What's Next?

VISION 2020

- Repeal Article X, Section 20
- Replace Article X, Section 20
- Raise Revenue



Thank you!

Input Survey:

vision2020co.org/input

Questions? Contact us at
info@vision2020co.org

How to Get Involved:

- **Vision 2020 Info Hour**

(Registration link on Vision 2020 Events page) Every Wednesday at 5:00 pm and Friday 11:30 am

- **Share**

Invite others to share their input or learn more by attending a webinar.

- **Volunteer**

Sign up on our website!

Questions? Contact us at info@vision2020co.org