



South Suburban PARKS AND RECREATION

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South Suburban Parks and Recreation to Ask Voters for Additional Funding through Ballot Initiative 4C

South Suburban Park and Recreation District is asking voters for additional funding through a ballot initiative (South Suburban 4C) for a two-mill, ten year, property tax increase. Ballots will be mailed to homes in mid-October and must be returned by 7 pm on Tues., Nov. 4 to the respective county. The South Suburban ballot question will be included on the same mail ballot for the congressional and gubernatorial election. Because this is a coordinated election, residents will receive their ballot in the mail from Arapahoe, Douglas or Jefferson County, not directly from South Suburban.

The Ballot Question provides that South Suburban would use the funding for general operations and other purposes including:

- * Protect and enhance the High Line Canal Trail, the South Platte River Trail (Mary Carter Greenway) and other local trails;
- * Repair, maintain and improve existing parks, recreation facilities and playgrounds;
- * Replace outdated mechanical equipment with new energy saving systems including solar energy; and
- * Save water by replacing aging and inefficient irrigation systems in parks and using non-treated water where feasible.

For additional information, please visit www.sspr.org or contact Executive Director David Lorenz at davidl@ssprd.org or 303-798-5131.

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