

Young Democrats of Mesa State College

Resolution No. 05-10

A RESOLUTION OPPOSING AMENDMENT 63 ON THE NOVEMBER 2, 2010 GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

Amendment 63 is an initiated ballot measure to amend the Colorado Constitution. It has been certified for consideration by the voters of the State of Colorado during the November 2010 election.

Amendment 63 would affect Article II, Section 32 of the Colorado Constitution adding a new section, Section 32. The section would stop federal intervention on health care.

- Amendment 63 would take away health care coverage to minor's with pre-existing conditions.
- Amendment 63 would lead to an unnecessary strain on the legal system by opening up several lawsuits.
- Amendment 63 would remove any option to Universal Health Care.
- Amendment 63 would not only tie the hands of the federal government, but could eventually lead to the state government being in the same position.

After consideration, the Young Democrats (Mesa State College branch) has determined that Amendment 63 would be detrimental to people of the State of Colorado.

The Young Democrats (Mesa State College branch) recognizes the citizens of Colorado need access to health care options, but we also believe that the insurance companies place a hardship on people with pre-existing medical issues that the Federal Health Care Plan can fix.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Young Democrats (Mesa State College branch), unanimously voted amongst those at the September 29, 2010 meeting, to **oppose** Amendment 63, and to make it a part of our platform to **oppose** Amendment 63. We urge Democrat voters, along with all voters, to defeat the measure for the reasons stated.

Dated this 29th day of September 2010.

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Attest:

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