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**BOULDER GREEN LEADERS OPPOSE AMENDMENTS 60 & 61 and
PROPOSITION 101**

Amendments 60 & 61 and Proposition 101 slated for the Colorado State Ballot this November have been generating a lot of interest because of their potential negative impacts on local governments, school districts, non-profits and small businesses. Projected impacts include a loss of 72,000 jobs, a 50% reduction in school revenue from taxes, 8,000 teachers let go, and eliminating the means for basic infrastructure projects like bridges, schools, airports, and more.

The board of the Boulder Green Building Guild was elected by over 300 Boulder County businesses in the green building industry. Our board feels strongly that these measures will have a ripple effect that will negatively impact our members and the community at large. Because of these impacts on our members, a majority of whom have already been negatively affected by the recession, Guild Board members would like to hereby recommend a NO votes on Amendments 60 & 61 and Proposition 101.

About BGBG

The Boulder Green Building Guild (BGBG) is an association of building professionals dedicated to promoting healthier, resource-efficient homes and workplaces. Since 2004 the non-profit organization has grown to over 600 members. They strive to advance the craft of green building; support members' environmentally responsible endeavors; provide effective volunteer opportunities; and be the focal point for communication on green building. Their vision is to empower people to build healthy, resource-efficient communities. For more information on membership, events and involvement go to www.bgbg.org

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