

VAIL ELECTION HISTORY OF BALLOT QUESTIONS - 2000

Election Date	Ballot Questions	For	Against	Notes																					
11.6.2001	<p>REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION: Council Candidates and 1 Question on Charter Amendment</p> <p><u>Question 1</u> Shall the charter of the Town of Vail, Colorado, be amended to change Article V, initiative and referendum, to change the language that refers to ordinance; expanding and extending referendum from ordinance to council action, which includes an Ordinance, Resolution or Motion, and extending certain deadlines</p> <p><u>COUNCIL MEMBERS:</u></p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Diana M. Donovan</td> <td>4 yr term</td> <td>611 votes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dick Cleveland</td> <td>4 yr term</td> <td>607</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ludwig Kurz</td> <td>4 yr term</td> <td>607</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Bill Jewitt</td> <td>2 yr term</td> <td>475</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Galen Aasland</td> <td></td> <td>457</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clark B. Brittain</td> <td></td> <td>277</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Luc Pols</td> <td></td> <td>192</td> </tr> </table>	Diana M. Donovan	4 yr term	611 votes	Dick Cleveland	4 yr term	607	Ludwig Kurz	4 yr term	607	Bill Jewitt	2 yr term	475	Galen Aasland		457	Clark B. Brittain		277	Luc Pols		192	256	675	<p>Total ballots cast: 923 (770 at polls, 163 absent) Registered Voters: 3074</p> <p>FAILED</p> <p>Mayor: Ludwig Kurz Mayor Pro Tem: Rod Slifer</p> <p>7 CANDIDATES</p>
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REFERENDUM 2D

SHALL THE TOWN OF VAIL DEBT BE INCREASED \$50,080,000 WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF \$95,610,000 AND SHALL TOWN TAXES BE INCREASED \$3,830,000 ANNUALLY AND BY WHATEVER ADDITIONAL AMOUNTS AS ARE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER FROM THE LEVY OF THE TAXES DESCRIBED HEREIN FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A CONFERENCE CENTER SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING LIMITS:

- THE TAX INCREASE SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY THE LEVY OF A TOWN LODGING TAX AT THE RATE OF 1.50% AND AN INCREASE IN THE TOWN SALES TAX RATE FROM 4.00% TO 4.50%;
- THE LODGING TAX SHALL BE LEVIED ON THE PRICE PAID FOR THE RENTING OR LEASING OF LODGING FOR LESS THAN THIRTY CONSECUTIVE DAYS.
- THE INCREASED SALES TAX SHALL APPLY TO ALL TRANSACTIONS THAT THE TOWN'S EXISTING SALES TAX APPLIES TO EXCEPT FOR THE SALES OF FOOD FOR HOME CONSUMPTION;
- THE INCREASE IN THE SALES TAX AND THE LODGING TAX SHALL TERMINATE WHEN THE DEBT IS PAID IN FULL;
- SUCH DEBT SHALL BE EVIDENCED BY THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS PAYABLE FROM THE TAXES AUTHORIZED BY THIS QUESTION AND OTHER TOWN REVENUES AS THE COUNCIL MAY DETERMINE; SUCH BONDS TO BE SOLD IN ONE OR MORE SERIES ON TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND WITH SUCH MATURITIES AS PERMITTED BY LAW AND AS THE TOWN COUNCIL MAY DETERMINE, INCLUDING PROVISIONS FOR REDEMPTION OF THE BONDS PRIOR TO MATURITY WITH OR WITHOUT PAYMENT OF A PREMIUM;

AND SHALL THE PROCEEDS OF SUCH DEBT AND TAXES AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH PROCEEDS AND REVENUES BE COLLECTED AND SPENT AS A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION?

11.4.2003	REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION: Council Candidates	For	Against	Notes
	<p><u>COUNCIL MEMBERS:</u></p> <p>Kent Logan 4 year term 766 votes Rod Slifer 4 year term 708 votes Kim Ruotolo 4 year term 681 votes Greg Moffet 2 year term 486 votes Bill Jewitt 435 votes Mark Gordon 401 votes Paul Rondeau 291 votes David McDougall 167 votes</p>			<p>Total ballots cast: 1,111 (958 at the polls, 153 absent) Registered Voters: 3,587 Active: 2,365 Inactive: 1,122</p> <p>Mayor: Rod Slifer Mayor Pro Tem: Dick Cleveland</p> <p>8 CANDIDATES</p>

01.27.2004	SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION: Fill Vacancy of Council Member Ludwig Kurz - Term ending November, 2005 <u>COUNCIL MEMBERS:</u> Farrow Hitt 227 votes Mark Gordon 174 votes Lou Meskimen 154 votes	For	Against	Notes: Total ballots cast: 555 (506 at polls, 49 absent) Registered Voters: 4,151 Active: 2,454 Inactive: 1,697 3 CANDIDATES
11.08.2005	REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION: Council Candidates Mark Gordon 4 year term 687 votes Farrow Hitt 4 year term 646 votes Greg Moffet 4 year term* 623 votes Kevin Foley 2 year term 620 votes Diana M. Donovan 579 votes Dick Cleveland 560 votes Robert H. Aikens 557 votes Kristy Slack 226 votes Scott Pittman 146 votes Election Ballot questions: Question #1: SHALL TOWN OF VAIL DEBT BE INCREASED \$7,640,000 WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF \$16,685,000 AND SHALL TOWN TAXES BE INCREASED \$1,950,000 ANNUALLY IN THE FIRST FULL YEAR OF COLLECTION AND BY WHATEVER ADDITIONAL AMOUNTS AS ARE RAISED ANNUALLY THEREAFTER FROM THE LEVY OF AN ADDITIONAL LODGING TAX OF NOT MORE THAN 1.5% (WHICH WILL RESULT IN A TOTAL LODGING TAX IMPOSED BY THE TOWN OF NOT MORE THAN 3.0%) TO FINANCE, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN A CONFERENCE CENTER SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING LIMITS OR CONDITIONS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IF THIS QUESTION IS APPROVED BY THE VOTERS, THE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE DEBT PURSUANT TO THIS QUESTION TOGETHER WITH THE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE DEBT PURSUANT TO QUESTION 2B APPROVED BY THE VOTERS ON NOVEMBER 5, 2002 WILL TOTAL \$57,700,000 WITH A REPAYMENT COST OF \$112,295,000; AND • IF THIS QUESTION IS APPROVED BY THE VOTERS, THE SUNSET FOR THE LODGING TAX AND SALES TAX LEVIED PURSUANT TO 2002 QUESTION 2B IS REPEALED AND SUCH TAXES AND THE LODGING TAX LEVIED PURSUANT TO THIS QUESTION SHALL NOT TERMINATE UNTIL TERMINATED BY LEGISLATIVE ACTION BY THE TOWN; AND • IF THIS QUESTION IS NOT APPROVED BY THE VOTERS, THE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE DEBT PURSUANT TO 2002 QUESTION 2B SHALL TERMINATE IMMEDIATELY AND THE AUTHORITY TO LEVY 	For	Against	Notes Total ballots cast: 1, 356 (809 at polls; 547 absent/early) Registered Voters: 3,800 Active: 3,106 Inactive: 694 9 Candidates Mayor – Rod Slifer Mayor Pro – tem – Farrow Hitt Failed
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	<p>TAXES PURSUANT TO 2002 QUESTION 2B SHALL TERMINATE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2006, AND THE TOWN COUNCIL SHALL EITHER REFUND ANY REMAINING REVENUES FROM SUCH TAXES PURSUANT TO SUCH REFUND METHODOLOGY AS THE TOWN COUNCIL DETERMINES OR SUBMIT A QUESTION TO THE VOTERS ON HOW SUCH REVENUES SHALL BE USED; AND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • THE LODGING TAX AND SALES TAX LEVIED PURSUANT TO 2002 QUESTION 2B AND THE 1.5% LODGING TAX AUTHORIZED PURSUANT TO THIS QUESTION ARE CURRENTLY ANTICIPATED TO BE SUFFICIENT TO PAY DEBT SERVICE ON THE BONDS AND APPROXIMATELY \$1,500,000 ANNUALLY TO PAY THE COSTS OF OPERATING AND MAINTAINING THE CONFERENCE CENTER; AND • IN ORDER TO FINANCE, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN THE CONFERENCE CENTER, THE TOWN COUNCIL MAY LEVY, INCREASE OR DECREASE THE LODGING TAX APPROVED BY THIS QUESTION FROM TIME TO TIME SO LONG AS IT DOES NOT EXCEED THE RATE OF 1.5% ; AND • THE COUNCIL EXPECTS THAT THE RATE OF THE LODGING TAX APPROVED BY THIS QUESTION TO BE IMPOSED BEGINNING IN 2006 WILL BE APPROXIMATELY .79%; PROVIDED THAT THE ACTUAL RATE WILL BE DETERMINED BASED UPON THE SALE OF THE DEBT AUTHORIZED BY THIS QUESTION AND 2002 QUESTION 2B; AND • SUCH LODGING TAX SHALL BE LEVIED ON THE PRICE PAID FOR THE RENTING OR LEASING OF LODGING FOR LESS THAN THIRTY CONSECUTIVE DAYS; AND • SUCH DEBT SHALL BE EVIDENCED BY THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS PAYABLE FROM THE LODGING TAX AUTHORIZED BY THIS QUESTION AND THE LODGING TAX AND SALES TAX AUTHORIZED IN 2002 QUESTION 2B; SUCH BONDS TO BE SOLD IN ONE OR MORE SERIES ON TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND WITH SUCH MATURITIES AS PERMITTED BY LAW AND AS THE TOWN COUNCIL MAY DETERMINE, INCLUDING PROVISIONS FOR REDEMPTION OF THE BONDS PRIOR TO MATURITY WITH OR WITHOUT PAYMENT OF A PREMIUM OF NOT MORE THAN THREE PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT SO REDEEMED; AND • THE PROCEEDS OF SUCH DEBT AND TAXES AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH PROCEEDS AND REVENUES BE COLLECTED AND SPENT AS A VOTER APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE UNDER ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION? <p>Question No. 2:</p> <p>SHALL THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF VAIL, COLORADO, BE AMENDED TO ELIMINATE THE EXCLUSIVITY OF THE VAIL MUNICIPAL COURT'S JURISDICTION OF ALL CASES ARISING UNDER THE ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN?</p>	604	583	PASSED
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07.11.2006	<p>SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION:</p> <p>Shall Ordinance No. 5, Series 2006, an Ordinance</p>	For	Against	Notes:
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