

Resolution on Opposing the Proposed Weld County Elected Official Salaries

Whereas the Weld County elected officials have chosen to offer their time and skills to the residents of Weld County as public servants;

Whereas the Weld County elected officials are currently compensated at a rate similar to other counties in the state;

Whereas the Weld County elected officials are currently compensated at a rate nearly double the average annual wage of County residents of \$42,023¹;

Whereas the County residents have experienced no significant changes in personal income since the last salary increase of the Weld County elected officials; and

Whereas the Weld County Council proposed a salary increase for Weld County elected officials; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the American Constitution Party of Weld County:

1. stresses the Weld County Council to consider that the County residents expect elected officials to be public servants and not highly compensated elitists;
2. calls the Weld County Council to consider that the Weld County elected officials should not be compensated more than the other counties in the State;
3. urges the Weld County Council to consider not compensating Weld County elected officials at a level far surpassing the tax payers themselves;
4. encourages the Weld County Council to be aware we consider the proposed salary increases of up to 37.5% to be exorbitant; and
5. requests the Weld County Council to abandon and not adopt their own proposal.

¹ source: <https://www.co.weld.co.us/assets/c88682A241c8B23c0837.pdf>

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