Colorado Water Congress Board Resolution
Proposition DD

The Colorado Water Congress supports Proposition DD, Authorize and Tax Sports Betting.

Proposition DD Purpose
Proposition DD legalizes sports betting in Colorado and imposes a 10% tax on it. A small portion of the revenue from the tax will be used to regulate and enforce gaming, but most of the proceeds – 93% in all – will be used to fund priorities in the Colorado Water Plan.

Colorado Water Congress Statement of Support
Proposition DD caps revenues at $29 million annually and it is estimated to generate an average of $14.9 million annually in the first five years going toward priorities identified in the Colorado Water Plan to protect our water resources at a time when it’s critical to act. Colorado’s expected growth will require continued investment in our water systems and this modest contribution is a good first step toward securing our water future. The Colorado Water Congress urges our elected and appointed officials to prioritize Colorado’s water future when considering its annual budget.