

Election: 2020 RTD Referendum, Compost Referendum and Student Government Elections
Results by Question

2020 RTD Referendum: “Shall the students of the Auraria Campus (the Community College of Denver, Metropolitan State University of Denver, and University of Colorado Denver at the Downtown Denver Auraria Campus) authorize the Board of Directors of the Auraria Higher Education Center to assess each institution a student fee not to exceed \$131.00 per student per semester including the established institutional collection fee, from August 17, 2020 through August 16, 2021, for the purpose of establishing an extension of the College Pass Program (Student Bus and Light Rail Pass)?” For more information, please visit:

<https://www.ahec.edu/auraria/board/student-advisory/rtd-collegepass-compost-referendums/faqs>

Total Voters:**32963**

Choice	Votes	Percentage
YES - I want to Continue the RTD College Pass Program for another year	1499	87
NO - I want to Stop the RTD College Pass Program	227	13

“Shall the students of the Auraria Campus (the Community College of Denver, Metropolitan State University of Denver, and University of Colorado Denver at the Downtown Denver Auraria Campus) authorize the Board of Directors of the Auraria Higher Education Center to assess each institution a student fee increase of \$3 per student, per semester, for an expansion of the current Auraria Sustainable Campus Program’s fee of \$5.58, to primarily fund the addition of composting services and the enhancement and ongoing maintenance of waste diversion among campus buildings and exterior spaces? The new total ASCP fee amount of \$8.58 per student, per semester, would take effect beginning in the fall of 2020. The fee may be adjusted each year thereafter for inflation by the Auraria Board of Directors without a student referendum. The inflation rate shall be defined as the rate of change in the consumer price index for urban wage earners for the Denver-Boulder-Greeley area as reported by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.” For more information, please visit:

<https://www.sustainableauraria.org/compostref>

Total Voters:**32963**

Choice	Votes	Percentage
YES - I do want to expand the Composting program on the Auraria Campus	1200	70
NO - I do not want to expand the composting program on Auraria Campus.	526	30

MSU Denver Student Body President

Total Voters:**18552**

Choice	Votes	Percentage
Braeden Weart	247	34
Alaura Ward	469	64
Write-In	13	2

MSU Denver Student Body Vice President

Total Voters:**18552**

Choice	Votes	Percentage
Stephanie Braun	477	66
Braeden Weart	234	32

Write-In 13 2

MSU Denver Student Trustee
Total Voters: **18552**

Choice	Votes		Percentage
Alaura Ward	611	96	
Write-In	25	4	

MSU Denver Student Advisory Committee to the Auraria Board (SACAB)
Total Voters: **18552**

Choice	Votes		Percentage
Dominique Perez	377	36	
Stephanie Braun	135	13	
Maryan Issack	208	20	
Birungi Balijahe	311	30	
Write-In	11	1	

MSU Denver Student Senators
Total Voters: **18552**

Choice	Votes		Percentage
Stephanie Braun	594	95	
Write-In	30	5	

The following question is intended to understand the opinion of the student body on changing smoking policy and WILL NOT alter the current smoking policy of the campus: “Would you support changing the smoking policy of the Auraria campus to create a smoke-free environment? (including vaping and e-cigarettes)

Total Voters: **37726**

Choice	Votes		Percentage
YES - I support a smoke-free Auraria Campus	1207	70	
NO - I do not support changing the Auraria Campus Smoking Policy	507	30	