

From: [Fern Johnson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 1:31:43 AM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

I am respectfully requesting you to please post the final title and explanation for this Initiated Constitutional Amendment to repeal real property taxes and replace them with a "retail transaction" tax, on or before the end of business, Wednesday, October 29.

Thank you for your continued service to the people of South Dakota.

Respectfully,

Fern Johnson
Rapid city, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [stephani Reinhardt](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 2:11:22 AM

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Respectfully,

stephani Reinhardt
marion, South Dakota
County: turner

From: [Tim Bradeen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 4:34:08 AM

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Respectfully,

Tim Bradeen
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Jo Norton](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 6:53:10 AM

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Respectfully,

Jo Norton
Hurley, South Dakota
County: Turner

From: [Connie Jacobs](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 7:10:50 AM

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Respectfully,

Connie Jacobs
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Kristy Newport](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 7:25:33 AM

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Respectfully,

Kristy Newport
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Sharon Kroontje](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 7:52:00 AM

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Respectfully,

Sharon Kroontje
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Grant Dather](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 8:05:49 AM

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Respectfully,

Grant Dather
SIOUX FALLS, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Ryan Wermager](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 8:07:50 AM

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Respectfully,

Ryan Wermager
Hot Springs, SD
County: United States

From: [Ann Schultz](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 8:16:36 AM

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Respectfully,

Ann Schultz
Menno, South Dakota
County: Yankton

From: [Stuart Cvrk](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 8:42:59 AM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

Greetings! Respectfully request that you please post the final title and explanation for this Initiated Constitutional Amendment to repeal real property taxes and replace them with a "retail transaction" tax on or before the end of business, Wednesday, October 29.

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Respectfully,

Stuart Cvrk
Springfield, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Jesse Ham](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 9:00:03 AM

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Respectfully,

Jesse Ham
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Charles Gregory](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 9:38:39 AM

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Respectfully,

Charles Gregory
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Karen Haigh](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 10:10:30 AM

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Respectfully,

Karen Haigh
Wessington, South Dakota
County: Hand

From: [Brian Gill](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 10:11:07 AM

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Respectfully,

Brian Gill
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Penningtonn

From: [Gayle McLeod](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 10:12:36 AM

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Respectfully,

Gayle McLeod
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Rita Wentzel](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 12:38:19 PM

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Respectfully,

Rita Wentzel
Parker, South Dakota
County: Turner

From: [David Spier](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 1:40:17 PM

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Respectfully,

David Spier
Platte, South Dakota
County: Charles Mix

From: [Nancy Sulhoff](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 2:32:56 PM

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Respectfully,

Nancy Sulhoff
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: 57702

From: [Troy Diede](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 4:24:35 PM

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Respectfully,

Troy Diede
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Peter Shore](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 4:33:26 PM

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Respectfully,
Peter Shore

Peter Shore
Brookings, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Gary Sokolow](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 6:02:40 PM

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Respectfully,

Gary Sokolow
Vermillion, South Dakota
County: Clay

From: [Lorretta Jangula](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 6:15:22 PM

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Respectfully,

Lorretta Jangula
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Kari Black](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Sunday, October 26, 2025 6:54:52 PM

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Respectfully,

Kari Black
Tea, South Dakota
County: Turner

From: [Trissa VanRoekel](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Trissa VanRoekel
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Traci Meyerink](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Traci Meyerink
Brandon, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Wendy Dose](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Wendy Dose
Lennox, South Dakota
County: Lincoln

From: [Kathryn Perun](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Kathryn Perun
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Walter Rasmussen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Walter Rasmussen
Summerset, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Anthony Rhodes](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Anthony Rhodes
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Cindy Cooke](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Cindy Cooke

Cindy Cooke
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Meade County

From: [Dale Buse](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Dale Buse

Dale Buse
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Meade County

From: [Julie Rhodes](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Julie Rhodes
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Joyce Willoughby](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Joyce Willoughby
Parker, South Dakota
County: Turner

From: [Nathan Smith](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Nathan Smith
Hermosa, South Dakota
County: Custer County

From: [Clint Clark](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Clint Clark
Morristown, South Dakota
County: Corson

From: [Cheryl Rasmussen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 6:39:12 AM

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Cheryl Rasmussen
Summerset, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Jayne Meinerts](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 7:26:04 AM

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Respectfully,

Jayne Meinerts
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Usa

From: [Laura Barner](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Laura Barner
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Trudy Valenzuela](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Trudy Valenzuela
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Lucy Muir](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 8:10:29 AM

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Respectfully,

Lucy Muir
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: FallRiver

From: [Megan Tschetter](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 8:19:47 AM

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Respectfully,

Megan Tschetter
Hartford, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Derrick Adams](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 8:34:00 AM

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Respectfully,

Derrick Adams
Harrisburg, South Dakota
County: Lincoln

From: [Gabrielle Nielsen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Gabrielle Nielsen
Madison, South Dakota
County: Lake

From: [Lynn Huber](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 10:37:27 AM

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Respectfully,

Lynn Huber
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Greta Hill-Campbell](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Greta Hill-Campbell
Omaha, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Cathy Getty](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 10:42:52 AM

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Respectfully,

Cathy Getty
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Donald Campbell](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Donald Campbell
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Philip Nelson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 12:03:48 PM

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Respectfully,

Philip Nelson
Piedmont, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Clay Runyan](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 1:10:20 PM

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Respectfully,

Clay Runyan
Spearfish, South Dakota
County: Lawrence, Meade & Minnehaha

From: [Hope Mahaffy](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 1:13:12 PM

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Respectfully,

Hope Mahaffy
Spearfish, South Dakota
County: Lawrence

From: [Loretta McNair](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 1:19:54 PM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

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Thank you for your continued service to the people of South Dakota.

Respectfully,

Loretta McNair
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Susan Bender](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 1:35:55 PM

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Respectfully,

Susan Bender
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River County

From: [Kimberly Moir](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 1:37:45 PM

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Respectfully,

Kimberly Moir
Hit Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Courtney Odegard](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 1:41:25 PM

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Respectfully,

Courtney Odegard
Fort Thompson, South Dakota
County: Buffalo

From: [Dan Richer](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 1:54:21 PM

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Respectfully,

Dan Richer
Hill City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Deborah Garcia](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 2:19:14 PM

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Respectfully,

Deborah Garcia
Hot springs, South Dakota
County: 57747

From: [Amanda Felizardo](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 2:34:35 PM

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Respectfully,

Amanda Felizardo
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer County

From: [Warren Kroontje](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 3:37:38 PM

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Respectfully,

Warren Kroontje
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Rick Weible](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:02:08 PM

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Respectfully,

Rick Weible
Elkton, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Lisa Giannini](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:09:58 PM

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Respectfully,

Lisa Giannini
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Angel Haskell](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:12:17 PM

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Respectfully,

Angel Haskell
HOT SPRINGS, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Edwin Cutler](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:14:50 PM

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Respectfully,

Edwin Cutler
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Donna Cutler](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:22:02 PM

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Respectfully,

Donna Cutler
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Peg Sperlich](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:27:25 PM

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Respectfully,

Peg Sperlich
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Fred Steffen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:28:42 PM

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Respectfully,

Fred Steffen
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Jonathon Klempel](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:37:40 PM

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Respectfully,

Jonathon Klempel
Buffalo, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Chad Haskell](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 4:45:11 PM

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Respectfully,

Chad Haskell
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Lorelee Roth](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 5:00:16 PM

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Respectfully,

Lorelee Roth
Hill City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Lydia Greenfield](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 5:38:02 PM

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Respectfully,

Lydia Greenfield
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Barb Schneider](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 6:01:16 PM

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Respectfully,

Barb Schneider
Onida, South Dakota
County: Sully

From: [Angie Meyers](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 6:53:18 PM

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Respectfully,

Angie Meyers
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Kiera Hill](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 7:08:31 PM

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Respectfully,

Kiera Hill
Spearfish, South Dakota
County: Lawrence

From: [Jim Eschenbaum](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 7:29:36 PM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

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The citizens should have the right to vote on this, because in South Dakota, Under God The People Rule.

Thank you for your continued service to the people of South Dakota.

Respectfully,
Jim Eschenbaum

Jim Eschenbaum
Miller, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Rick Prentice](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 7:43:05 PM

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Respectfully,

Rick Prentice
Wessington, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [MeLisa Elijah](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 9:20:39 PM

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Respectfully,

MeLisa Elijah
Arlington, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Cindy Menning](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 10:34:58 PM

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Respectfully,

Cindy Menning
Flandreau, AdSouth Dakota
County: Moody

From: [Karen Anderson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Monday, October 27, 2025 11:58:47 PM

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Respectfully,

Karen Anderson
Harrisburg, South Dakota
County: Lincoln

From: [Dave Assman](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 9:11:47 AM

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Respectfully,

Dave Assman
Mission, South Dakota
County: Todd

From: [Frederick Steffen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 9:31:37 AM

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Respectfully,

Frederick Steffen
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Clyde Graumann](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 9:38:21 AM

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Clyde Graumann
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Kelburn Koontz](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Kelburn Koontz
Hermosa, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Debra Legge](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 9:59:10 AM

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Respectfully,

Debra Legge
Rapid city, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Tara Koontz](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 10:01:18 AM

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Respectfully,

Tara Koontz
Hermosa, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Clinton Haigh](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Clinton Haigh
Wessington, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Edward Harvey](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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VP

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Respectfully,

Edward Harvey
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Charles Piper](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I 2support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 10:55:55 AM

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Respectfully,

Charles Piper
Hisega, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Ginger Sladky](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Regarding the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 11:30:22 AM

Dear Honorable Marty Jackley,

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Respectfully,

Ginger Sladky
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Ann Rowe](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 1:30:03 PM

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Respectfully,

Ann Rowe
Brookings, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Kim Allen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Kim Allen
Oral, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [John Green](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 3:57:29 PM

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Respectfully,

John Green
Oral, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Michele RUHOFF](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 4:05:18 PM

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Respectfully,

Michele RUHOFF
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall river

From: [Faye Baker](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 4:18:09 PM

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Respectfully,

Faye Baker
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [William Cowan](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 4:25:01 PM

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Respectfully,

William Cowan
Hill City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Stephanie Westinghouse](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 4:29:45 PM

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Respectfully,

Stephanie Westinghouse
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Kellee Walton](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 4:46:55 PM

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Respectfully,

Kellee Walton
Smithwick, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Mary Cichanowski](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 4:48:35 PM

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Respectfully,

Mary Cichanowski
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Tony Fischesser](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Abolish Property Taxes Receipt Tax
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 5:19:05 PM

I believe the **RECEIPT TAX** is the best way to replace property taxes. It relieves the property taxes burden on the elderly and those with minimal income. It will let them to continue to live in the homes or ranches that they and family have lived in for many years. It also protects first time homeowners that are just starting a family and want the security that in 5 years or so, they won't have to sell, because their property taxes are unaffordable.

It also spreads the cost of what the property tax pays for over ALL the people that use those resources.

I have lived in 3 states and property taxes are always an issue. In Ohio they allowed gaming boats and the proceeds went to education. They eliminated the education part of our taxes. Eventually our property taxes went up each year and we then were paying more without the education part.

In Indiana, what you paid for your house is the value of your house, not what the assessor said it was. It could only raise your taxes 1% per year.

Both of those options did not work very well, because "someone" was making the decisions. The **RECEIPT TAX** eliminates the "someone" in determining your taxes. Everyone pays and it is affordable to all.

I FULLY SUPPORT THE RECEIPT TAX DECISION !

Tony Fischesser
Custer, SD 57730
ttfo@mail.com
513 405 2064 – Cell
605 673 2117 - Land Line

From: [Dan Ronken](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 5:23:45 PM

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Respectfully,

Dan Ronken
Vale, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Denise Breitenbach](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 5:39:38 PM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

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Respectfully,

Denise Breitenbach
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Jeremy Walla](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 5:41:37 PM

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Respectfully,

Jeremy Walla
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Jodi Purdy](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 6:06:27 PM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

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Respectfully,

Jodi Purdy
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Michael Bridwell](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 6:07:47 PM

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Michael Bridwell
Hill City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Glenda Wiliams](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Glenda Wiliams
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: USA

From: [Janine Paulette](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Janine Paulette
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Jason Roach](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 6:32:24 PM

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Jason Roach
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Constance Wellington](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 7:20:53 PM

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Constance Wellington
Custee, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Amanda Watkins](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 8:33:15 PM

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Respectfully,

Amanda Watkins
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Heather Baxter](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Heather Baxter
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Andrew Bahm](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 9:13:11 PM

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Respectfully,

Andrew Bahm
Yankton, South Dakota
County: Yankton

From: [Marlon Blodgett](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 10:04:35 PM

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Respectfully,

Marlon Blodgett
Rapid city, South Dakota
County: Pennington County

From: [John Gines](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 10:21:24 PM

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Respectfully,

John Gines
Box Elder, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Mary Arlington](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] IF Transaction Tax Replaces Property Tax
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 1:16:20 AM

Attorney General Jackley,

I ask of you to ensure that if the transactional tax replaces property taxes then, simultaneously, all existing lessors will be required to *reduce* rent by the amount that is currently attributed to the specific property's property tax bill. As lessors (aka leasing businesses, landlords, property management companies) currently operate, the amount they need to cover their property tax bill is part of the overall retail or office or business or residential rent payments.

Without such a requirement, the state would be taxing every lessee (aka those who rent) through the new transactions, while their lessors could continue to collect the existing lease agreement income *from which property tax would no longer be obligated*.

Without such a specific mandate, I sincerely doubt all South Dakota landlords would actually reduce their rental income by the amount they're no longer paying out on property tax.

I have no idea how our state would enforce and ensure that every lessor reduces rent equitably but, without such a condition, this South Dakotan lessee and lessor will relocate to a state that doesn't essentially inspire double taxation.

Respectfully,

Mary Arlington

From: [Mia Gehm](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Abolish property taxes
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 7:37:24 AM

Dear Attorney General Jackley,

I would like to see this constitutional amendment go to public vote in 2026. I think a bill like this would be good for South Dakota's so please let the people vote and majority decide on this issue.

Mia Gehm
Kingsbury County

Sent from my iPhone

From: [luke Kretschmar](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Proposed 2026 Initiated Constitutional Amendment to Repeal Property Taxes
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 8:15:48 AM

Dear Marty Jackley

I am writing to express my concern about taxing property as though any increase in value were realized income. Taxing unrealized gains is unfair because it treats paper increases in value the same as actual income — even though no money has changed hands. Homeowners don't "earn" a rise in assessed value; it's not spendable cash, and yet we're expected to pay more in taxes each year as if we did.

This approach punishes people for simply owning property, especially retirees or long-term residents who may be asset-rich but cash-poor. A fair tax system should be based on real, realized income — not hypothetical value. I strongly support exploring alternatives, such as a consumption-based or sales tax system, that tie taxation to actual spending and income rather than ownership.

Thank you for your time and for considering the fairness and sustainability of our state's tax structure.

Sincerely,

Luke Kretschmar

24830 Sylvan Lake Rd., Custer SD 57730

Sent from my iPhone

From: debra.l.elliott@gmail.com
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Property Tax Ballot Item
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 9:11:07 AM

Dear A.G. Jackley,

I support giving voters the option to address property tax reduction with this ballot item. Please advance this issue forward so that voters will have a chance to give their say at the ballot box next November.

Debra Elliott
Butte County
10924 Country Club Rd
Belle Fourche, SD 57717

From: [Jeff Christians](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Repeal property taxes
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 9:15:40 AM
Attachments: [JC \(1\) \(1\).png](#)

This is an excellent proposal, and I am in favor of it. I pay almost 40,000 a year just on 2 39-unit apartment buildings I am a partner in. We could lower rents and make it more affordable for people. Thank you for all your hard work to make sure this happens.

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 South Dakota, Arizona

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From: [Scott Johnson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] No more property taxes
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 9:29:39 AM

Please move forward with the repealing of the Property Taxes and replace with the newly proposed Retail Transaction Tax.

From: [Phil & Janet Jensen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Transaction fee
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 11:11:35 AM

I absolutely support this transaction fee program and support the initiated measure to bring this to a vote of the people to place it in our constitution.

PhilJensen

From: [Kelly Kenser](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Proposed 2026 Initiated Constitutional Amendment to Repeal Property Taxes
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 11:16:24 AM

I think this is an outstanding idea! This would eliminate bickering about property appraisals and eliminate the need for the property assessors office. All South Dakotan's would foot the bill for government, not just property owners. This seems like the most fair way of funding our government. My wife and I will sign the petition and vote in favor of it!

Kelly Kenser
38312 124th Street
Aberdeen, SD 57401

From: [matt.smith](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Transaction Tax Constitutional Amendment
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 11:26:37 AM

Mr. Jackley,

I appreciate the work you and your team did. I believe you encapsulated the intention of this constitutional amendment to the heart of it.

From lecturing and debating across the state we have found that the majority of people, especially after voicing their concerns, love this plan. They have recognized what Ronald Reagan said is true, a rising tide raises all ships.

Thank you for your help, it's greatly appreciated, and I hope this gets to see the light of day so it may be tested in the marketplace of ideas.

Sincerely,

Matt Smith

Hermosa, SD

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From: [KC Bunch](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Thank you for this legislation...
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 11:54:24 AM

Mr. Jackley,

As my husband and I approach retirement years and having worked a lifetime to have our home to enjoy in that time, this legislation (if on the ballot and passed) would remove the worry of losing our home to the un-American, unconstitutional tax on our property!
It is our firm belief that the tourists and those who travel to our state to shop should share the burden of paying for our roads to be serviced, for education, etc.

Thank you for giving this legislation the opportunity to get out in front of South Dakotans!

Sincerely,
Wendell and KC Bunch
8214 Blucksberg Mtn Rd
Sturgis, SD 57785
605.209.5622

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KC Bunch
605.209.5622

From: [Matt Smith](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 2:54:57 PM

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Respectfully,

Sincerely,

Matt Smith
Hermosa, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Joshua Muller](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 3:18:15 PM

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Joshua Muller
Box Elder, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Marty Hofer](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Marty Hofer
Onida, South Dakota
County: Sully

From: [Cassi Bunch](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Cassi Bunch
Sturgis, South Dakota
County: Meade

From: [Debra Elliott](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Debra Elliott
Belle Fourche, South Dakota
County: Butte

From: [MeLisa Elijah](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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MeLisa Elijah
Arlington, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Mike Sulhoff](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Mike Sulhoff
rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Samuel Smith](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Samuel Smith
Hermosa, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Lace Holt](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Lace Holt
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Lincoln

From: [David Tommeraasen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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David Tommeraasen
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Yulia Surma](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Yulia Surma
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Bill Fleshner](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Bill Fleshner
Sioux falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Elizabeth Kastle](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Elizabeth Kastle
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Clayton Rentschler](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Clayton Rentschler
Flandreau, SD
County: Clayton Rentschler

From: [Rich Konechne](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Rich Konechne
Hartford, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Gloria Rayman](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Gloria Rayman
Sslem, South Dakota
County: McCook

From: [Amber Werdel](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Amber Werdel
Ree Heights, South Dakota
County: Hand

From: [Jim Eschenbaum](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Jim Eschenbaum
Miller, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Patrick Foley](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Respectfully,

Patrick Foley
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Lincoln

From: [John Kunnari](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Respectfully,
John C. Kunnari

John Kunnari
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [William Wood](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

William Wood
Newell, South Dakota
County: Butte

From: [Mary Mairose](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Mary Mairose
Kimball, South Dakota
County: Brule

From: [Chris Bagshaw](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] South Dakotan AGAINST proposed amendment to eliminate property taxes in SD.
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 9:00:02 PM

Mr. Jackley,

I have several concerns the way this amendment is written.

-The homeowner WILL see relief with no property taxes, while renters will be at the mercy of their landlord to pass property tax savings along to their tenants.

While the concept of rents being cheaper is great in theory, it will likely not happen...

-Homeowners have more space and ability to store things than renters do.

This requires a renter to make more purchases of smaller amounts throughout the month due to lack of space.

If a renter is making "receipted" purchases twice as often as a homeowner, they will be paying double the tax as the homeowner.

As you can see, with no guaranteed relief for renters AND renters likely having more receipted purchases every month, the majority burden of revenue will be unfairly shifted to tenants while the majority of relief will only cover homeowners.

I have already addressed these concerns with the sponsors of this amendment. They responded saying my concerns were unfounded and not true.

I did not know where else to voice my concerns.

Thank you so much for taking the time to read and hopefully respond to my email

-Chris Bagshaw

Proud South Dakotan, Proud American

From: [April Anderson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

April Anderson
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Dan Ronken](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Thursday, October 23, 2025 10:52:19 PM

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Respectfully,

Dan Ronken
Vale, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [William Clayton](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

William Clayton
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Sam Clikeman](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Constitutional Amendment Comments - Retail Transaction Tax
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 9:44:12 AM

Office of the Attorney General,

I am writing these comments in opposition to the proposed Constitutional Amendment for the imposition of a Retail Transaction Tax.

While a reduction in property tax is a necessary pursuit, this proposal is not the way to go about it. A Retail Transaction Tax will be regressive towards lower income South Dakotans and small businesses. It does seem fair on its face to apply a tax to any transaction, but we'll punish those who make smaller purchases due to need or due to style of business. The math makes it an easy fish to catch, but the cost is much higher to any of the smaller businesses and income families in SD.

For small businesses that rely on a steady stream of customers making smaller purchases (e.g. restaurants, independent retailers, other hospitality) this will create even higher prices for their services than already occurs with larger corporate businesses. Customers will be more likely to save their purchases up to make one larger purchase at a corporate store who can provide more segments of items. The small businesses that create culture in our state already have to compete on everything but price against larger companies, now that will become an even higher bar to cross. With the majority of hospitality providing products/services at a low cost/high transaction rate; they will be the ones to suffer their businesses. Please remember that culture and our small businesses work to make SD special, not large corporate entities that are merely profit centers. Walmart doesn't add to our culture, your local grocer does.

For lower income families and individuals, they already have to make more frequent smaller purchases to accommodate their daily needs. If they can save up \$300 to go to the grocery store, they'll pay an additional .05% tax; if they can only save up \$50 at a time, they will pay an additional 3.0% tax over the same dollar amount. This is very regressive towards those who do not spend as much in one sitting. Finally those that have the least to spend and only buy necessary goods, they will pay substantially more of the tax burden than those that can afford to buy a \$60,000 vehicle.

As a small business owner (in independent hospitality and retail), I strongly oppose this and will help in any way to see this measure abandoned. I am free for additional comment and questions.

Thank you for your time,
Sam Clikeman
Owner
Big Lost Meadery and Brewery
sclikeman@biglostmeadery.com

From: [Diana Page](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 9:46:18 AM

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Thank you for your continued service to the people of South Dakota.

Respectfully,
Diana Page

Diana Page
Brookings, South Dakota
County: South Dakota

From: [Gerald Page](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 9:47:02 AM

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Respectfully,
Gerald Page

Gerald Page
Brookings, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Angie Maras](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 9:53:35 AM

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Respectfully,

Angie Maras
Hartford, South Dakota
County: Minnehaha

From: [Natalie Watson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 9:55:18 AM

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Respectfully,

Natalie Watson
Brookings, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [jane payfer](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 10:17:24 AM

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Respectfully,

jane payfer
Brookings, South Dakota
County: jane payfer

From: [Trista Willert](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 11:01:53 AM

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Respectfully,

Trista Willert
Brookings, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Freedom Works](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Transaction Tax Support
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 11:15:00 AM

Dear Attorney Generals Office,

I figured out my yearly receipts. I will pay slightly more by a transaction tax than property taxes. I am willing to pay more in a transaction tax vs the thought of one bad drought, lightening strike, fire, tornado, sickness and the threat of losing my business, farm, and home property (all 3 classes) when I cannot pay an illegal forced tax on property I already worked hard to pay for. This is a straight forward transparent tax. Not only that, the millions of visitors to our state will be paying a minute \$1.50 per a transaction tax that will easily add up to millions. This will take a huge amount of the burden from the citizens of this state. This new taxation system will encourage spending into our economy. An economic professor spoke at one of the Mueller's and Smith's presentations that I held at Saint Onge to learn about this plan. This economic professor explained how our economy would boom. I agreed with him. It will also damper socialism in our state and force better budgets and spending. Imagine a farmer investing in that new shed or corrals. Imagine that business owner hiring more employees. Imagine more home improvements. Imagine the supplies and lumber purchased for improvements. This will create a chain reaction that is beyond our projections! The lumber industry will benefit from new fence posts to post frame buildings and improvements. The chain reaction will benefit existing industries. We can do this! Let's get this done and lead the way. SD economy will be the envy of all states. Let's reverse the wrongs that were done. I remember my folks advocating and appealing unfair taxation on agriculture based on market value sales through the 80s, 90s, and 2000s. It did improve based on production yet the state based it on soils instead of what they actually were producing. The NRCS soils book stated it was never for taxation purposes. My soils are not correct on my property. The NRCS agrees with me yet they won't change it on their soil maps. I am paying for crop production that I do not produce for livestock animal units in West river that has different amounts of moisture vs east river. <https://extension.sdstate.edu/sites/default/files/2022-07/P-00235-03.pdf> This formula tax manipulation is not an honest nor transparent taxation system upon agriculture. My smaller house should not be valued by the rich mansions moving into Lawrence Co. My small business 30 yr rental property should not be valued in comparison to market value of the new big wig rental properties coming into this county. It's not an honest taxation system. Instead it is based on unrealized gains to which is wrong.

Sincerely,
Kate Crowley Johnson

From: [Kelsey Bowman](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 11:25:14 AM

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Respectfully,

Kelsey Bowman
Brookings, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Janii White](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 11:36:34 AM

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Respectfully,

Janii White
Aurora, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Lynette Auch](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 11:51:09 AM

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Respectfully,

Lynette Auch
Lesterville, South Dakota
County: Yankton

From: [Sarah Bauder](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 12:05:30 PM

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Respectfully,

Sarah Bauder
Scotland, South Dakota
County: Bon Homme

From: [beth stallman](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 12:24:06 PM

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Respectfully,

beth stallman
Hartford, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Christopher Patton](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 12:32:08 PM

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Respectfully,

Christopher Patton
Yankton, South Dakota
County: Christopher Patton

From: [Ivan Yoder](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 12:33:16 PM

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Respectfully,

Ivan Yoder
Brookings, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Sarah Smith](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 1:29:53 PM

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Respectfully,

Sarah Smith
Hermosa, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Pamela Berendsen](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 1:57:04 PM

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Respectfully,

Pamela Berendsen
Yankton, South Dakota
County: Yankton

From: [Stacey Nickels](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Stacey Nickels
Yankton, South Dakota
County: Yankton

From: [Gretchen Weible](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Gretchen Weible
Elkton, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Cory Condon](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 3:06:47 PM

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Respectfully,

Cory Condon
Box Elder, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Tonya Pierson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Friday, October 24, 2025 3:23:38 PM

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Respectfully,

Tonya Pierson
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Bill Anderson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Bill Anderson
Plankinton, South Dakota
County: Aurora

From: [Tammie McKenzie](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Tammie McKenzie
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Fall River

From: [Marsha Linville](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Marsha Linville
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: Custer County

From: [Krystina CONWAY](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Krystina CONWAY
Viborg, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Carrie Morrison](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Carrie Morrison
Brookings, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Kristi Chamley](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Kristi Chamley
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Jackie Binder](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Jackie Binder
169 Clark Trail, South Dakota
County: Yankton

From: [Gail Stackelhouse](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Gail Stackelhouse
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Robert Adams](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Robert Adams
Custer, South Dakota
County: SD

From: [Sheldon Stackelhouse](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Sheldon Stackelhouse
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Kevin Hofer](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Kevin Hofer
Onida, South Dakota
County: Sully

From: [Matt Conway](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Matt Conway
Viborg, South Dakota
County: Yankton

From: [Carrie Thompson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Carrie Thompson
Elkton, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [Louis Morales](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
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Respectfully,

Louis Morales
Hot Springs, South Dakota
County: FallRiver

From: [Lori Gjording](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Lori Gjording
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Lori Gjording](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Lori Gjording
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Lori Gjording](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Lori Gjording
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer

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Lori Gjording
Custer, South Dakota
County: Custer

From: [Lyle Bowes](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 3:06:04 AM

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Respectfully,

Lyle Bowes
Brookings, South Dakota
County: Brookings

From: [John Geib](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

John Geib
Belle Fourche, South Dakota
County: Butte

From: [Kevin English](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
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Respectfully,

Kevin English
Sioux Falls, SD
County: Lincoln

From: [Kristy Lantz Newport](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Replace property taxes in SD with a retail transaction tax
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 7:31:33 AM

Mr. Jackey,

I am writing to encourage the constitutional amendment to replace SD property tax with a retail transaction tax. I understand this retail transaction tax would earn more than enough money to replace property taxes. We owner-occupiers would no longer bear the burden of property taxes in this state - a burden shifted upon us by the Ag PAC, which has long enjoyed much more favorable rates than we do. Everyone who shops SD merchants would contribute and I believe our coffers would fill quickly. Please, please get this done!

Respectfully,

Kristy Lantz Newport
27134 Wind Cave Rd
Hot Springs, SD 57747
605-890-2488

From: [Celeste Niece](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 8:21:49 AM

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Respectfully,

Celeste Niece
13030 Sonquist Ln, South Dakota
County: Usa

From: [Richard A](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Cc: [Richard A](#)
Subject: [EXT] Commenting On Initiated Constitutional Amendment Concerning Porperty Tax
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 8:28:48 AM

Dear Mr. Jackley:

Thank you for this opportunity to comment and for your service to us, the People of South Dakota.

We think you have a rare opportunity to put forth this bill abolishing property taxes, in effect, increasing the freedom of your constituents in this already well-run State. We are from Illinois (enough said) and bought our property here in the Black Hills back in 2006 for our retirement years. We've been permanent residents for over a decade, now, and are just thrilled with South Dakota. But after the pandemic, our property taxes skyrocketed. For the first and only time, we felt the terrible anxiety that we would have felt back in Illinois... that we'd be taxed out of our home.

We do NOT mind paying taxes because we understand that that is how we run our state. I am a retired police officer from Illinois... I was paid through taxes. However, we don't feel that it is moral that a state can take away our home if we cannot afford to pay an assessed value. If we can't afford to buy something in retail, then so be it, we don't buy that item. But to lose our homes to the government smacks of socialist states like that of Illinois.

Mr. Jackley, this is a well-run state and we do NOT mind paying taxes like we did in Illinois where there was so much waste. But PLEASE shift the taxation away from our homes and property so that we can live free of fear from the State taking our homes.

Most Respectfully,

Richard and Becky Amundsen
24560 Saddleback Drive
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From: [Linda Aylward](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 8:45:24 AM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

I am respectfully requesting you to please post the final title and explanation for this Initiated Constitutional Amendment to repeal real property taxes and replace them with a "retail transaction" tax, on or before the end of business, Wednesday, October 29.

Thank you for your continued service to the people of South Dakota.

Respectfully,

Linda Aylward
Arlinton, South Dakota
County: Kingsbury

From: [Thomas Aylward](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 8:49:28 AM

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Thomas Aylward
Arlington, South Dakota
County: Kingsbury

From: [Ben Simonds](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] I support the constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes.
Date: Saturday, October 25, 2025 8:55:49 AM

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Respectfully,

Ben Simonds
Rapid City, South Dakota
County: Pennington

From: [Susan Johnson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Transaction Tax
Date: Sunday, October 19, 2025 8:52:34 AM

I appreciate the effort put into this topic.

Here is how I read this:

People who can afford to:

- own a home
- buy a second home to use as a VRBO and rake in more money
- own commercial properties and apartments
- farmers and ranchers, from family owned to corporate operations

...No longer pay property taxes.

People who live in apartments, trailer parks and rentals who can't afford to buy a home, will now pay a transaction fee so that those listed above who made - in some cases income producing real-estate purchases, no longer pay real-estate taxes.

Instead, that person currently paying \$8,000 in real-estate taxes might fork out \$3,500 per year in transaction fees. And the person with a large family, living in an apartment, might fork out the same in transaction fees to lift the tax burden on property owners.

What will this tax shift do to:

- Affordable housing?
- The quality of education?
- Childcare?
- Housing demand /sprawl in high demand areas?
- County governments?

We need to take a much broader, longer-range look at the issues facing SD and then figure how to pay the bill. We've been down this "piecemeal" road before when you lowered the tax on food by a ridiculously, non-noticeable amount.

Let's instead, create a plan...

1. to make our schools the best in the nation
2. to change the calculations on real-estate taxes (for example, rentals and VRBOs should be calculated at a higher rate than non-income producing properties. Or reduce real-estate taxes on single-family, owner-occupied homes, which would allow more first-time homeowners and seniors to get into the market).
3. to consolidate county governments
4. to remove exemptions off the sales tax formula

Susan
605-920-1144

From: [Jeff West](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Property tax elimination
Date: Sunday, October 19, 2025 4:49:22 PM

Currently disabled persons receive an exemption on property taxes. The proposed initiative to eliminate property taxes would have a negative effect on the income of those people.

Is there a proposal to offset this loss of income?

Jeff West
605-651-0713

From: [Cory Allen Heidelberg](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Public comment on draft explanation for Proposed Initiated Amendment to Repeal Property Taxes
Date: Sunday, October 19, 2025 6:51:03 PM

To the Attorney General:

I have reviewed the draft explanation, posted to your official website Friday, of the Proposed 2026 Initiated Constitutional Amendment to Repeal Property Taxes and Replace Them with a "Retail Transaction" Tax. I have found two grammatical errors.

1. The first two sentences incorrectly use semicolons. Semicolons have two proper uses: separating two logically related independent clauses within a sentence, and separating complicated items—i.e., items containing commas—in a list of three or more things. Neither of the first two sentences meet either of these criteria; neither of these sentences require semicolons. Both sentences will read correctly and clearly if you replace all semicolons in the text with commas.
2. In the first sentence, the grammatical subject, "real property", does not agree in number with the verb, "are taxed". "Are" may sound right following the examples of real property—"land, homes, rental properties, and commercial buildings"—but that entire phrase, beginning with "like", only describes the grammatical subject of the sentence. Remove that descriptive phrase, and you can hear the disagreement: "Currently, real property... are taxed...." Please replaced "are" with "is".

With these corrections, the first two sentences should read as follows:

Currently, all real property, like land, homes, rental properties, and commercial buildings, is taxed according to a formula set by state law that accounts for the value of the property and its use. Those taxes are collected by the county treasurers and distributed to the counties, cities and towns, school districts, and other political districts, like road or drainage districts, in the county.

Thank you for considering these corrections.

Cory Allen Heidelberg
Dakota Free Press

[I can provide additional contact information if you request it by e-mail; however, I decline to include a phone number or e-mail in this comment, because I do not want to include such personal information in a document that will be made public.]

From: [Nathan Sanderson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Retail Transaction Tax Constitutional Amendment - Comments
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 9:56:46 AM

Good Morning,

Please see the suggested revisions below to the draft ballot explanation regarding the proposed constitutional amendment to repeal real property taxes and replace them with a "retail transaction" tax. The first revised explanation includes the current language with inserts and strikethroughs; the second is a "clean" version of the proposed revised language (exactly 200 words).

A few notes:

Paragraph 1: Some tightening of the language and a few clarifying tweaks that local units of government, not state government, are the sole recipient of property tax dollars (this is often misunderstood by voters).

Paragraph 2: The term "scheme" has a negative connotation, "structure" is a more appropriate term; while the retail transaction tax will not replace sales taxes, such a tax may in fact "impact" them.

Paragraph 2/3: The current process starts with local units of government setting their budgets for the upcoming year, then property taxes are levied to generate exactly the revenue needed to cover those expenses. The proposed amendment moves to a model based on an estimate of the revenues that would be generated, and it also does not provide the framework for funds distribution (currently local property taxes generate funds for use in the areas where the taxes are collected; in the new approach, funds would be collected by the state and then distributed to local units of government). This is a fundamental difference in approach and is essential for voters to know. (This provision [state collects the money, then it's distributed to the local political subdivisions] is expressly contemplated in the amendment itself: Section 8, last sentence, "The Legislature shall establish, by law, the manner in which the moneys from the tax required by the section are distributed to political subdivisions of this state for their ordinary and capital expenses.")

Title: An Amendment to the South Dakota Constitution to repeal real property taxes and replace them with a "retail transaction" tax.

Explanation: Currently, all real property, like land; homes; rental properties; and commercial buildings, are taxed according to a formula set by state law ~~that accounts for the value of the property and its use. Those Property taxes are collected by the county treasurers and distributed to the counties; municipalities cities and towns; school districts; and other local political districts, like road or drainage districts, in the county. Those Property taxes funds are fund the majority of the yearly budgets for those these local entities. State government does not collect or spend any property tax dollars.~~

This Amendment seeks to repeal this property tax ~~scheme~~ structure and replace it with a

tax "on each retail transaction." For each "retail transaction" of \$15 or more, a flat tax of \$1.50 is assessed. For each "retail transaction" less than \$15, a 10% tax is assessed. The amount of a "retail transaction" is based on the its "final purchase price" of the transaction. Revenues are collected by the state for distribution to local entities. This Amendment does not replace ~~or impact~~ the assessment or collection of sales and use taxes or excise taxes.

This Amendment requires the Legislature to create, a designated fund for collecting and depositing these retail taxes; ~~The Legislature must also create a system for retailers to collect and submit the assessed taxes; and a mechanism for determining how many~~ dollars each local entity will receive.

- This Amendment will ~~need~~ require legislative or judicial clarification.

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

-Nathan

Nathan Sanderson, Ph.D.

Executive Director

South Dakota Retailers Association

sanderson@sdra.org

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From: [William O. Lukens](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Comments on Initiated Constitutional Amendment Concernin Property Tax
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 10:16:15 AM

Honorable Attorney General Marty Jackly,

I have reviewed the submitted Constitutional Amendment to repeal property taxes. I support this Constitutional Amendment and provide the following as a basis for my support:

1. I have calculated an estimated personal impact of the retail transaction tax, which would be somewhat less than \$2000 per year, compared to the \$9766.24 I paid in property taxes in 2025 for 2024.
2. I am an Alderman in Hot Springs, and therefore get input and comments from various citizens regarding property tax impact on them.
 - a. These impacts include rental property owner/manager that is forced to move from their primary residence in order to rent it so they can generate additional income to pay their taxes.
 - b. Another local individual was forced to sell a significant portion of "family land" in order to stay in their home on the remainder of the property.
 - c. Retirees that have moved to the area because they like the conservative climate versus the more liberal political area they came from are finding the rising property taxes a greater challenge to their retirement income.
3. In my opinion, the RECEIPT TAX applies a tax to the people that actually use the services of a community or county and is an equitable distribution of that burden while it protects home and property owners from losing assets they have worked hard to acquire and maintain.

Again, I fully support this amendment as I believe it will protect our current residents and also serve as a catalyst for growth in our State.

Sincerely,
William O. Lukens
312 Meadowlark Drive
Hot Springs, SD
605-440-3563

From: [Alison Reynolds](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Retail tax to abolish prop tax
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 10:17:34 AM

As a retail store owner this tax option is a disaster. I do not support placing this burden on consumers, especially at a 15.00 threshold. Imagine you don't own a home because you can't afford to, you buy shoes for 3 kids at Walmart and it costs you 1.50 extra per pair because you didn't buy all 3 on the same transaction.

What defines a retail sale? Math books? Tires? Glasses, Medicine?

This plan requires a new agency so more money spent on government agencies. More paper work for the retailer. Economic harm to stores and tourists.

Think about it, you buy a 15.00 pair of socks, now add 6.5 tax And 1.50 = 17.00. Or you try to save money by buying 10 pairs at one time to save the 1.50 per individual purchase. Small store owner doesn't have large volume of 10 socks in one size, customer goes to Walmart or online.

The plan harms small business and harms those who don't own a home and hurts low income people.

Who did the math on this plan?

If people don't buy much retail in a given year then what?

I can honestly say this will finish off our store on Main St., Sturgis.

Other options could be luxury tax on items over a certain threshold for example cars, boats, airplanes over 50,000.

Fixed prop tax for people over 65. Or differed prop tax until time of sale for over 65 with low income.

Minimum corporate tax on companies with a profit.

Please do not move forward with this retail tax idea.

From: [Loeschke, Gene](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Replace property tax with transaction tax
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 2:18:35 PM
Attachments: [Outlook-hnb0q3ia](#)

Good Afternoon,

My name is Gene Loeschke. I am the Director of Equalization in Brown County.

The proposal under LRC Comments states that properties in Tax Increment Finance districts would pay property taxes.

The proposal listed at AG Draft does not include Tax Increment Financing.

I have an issue either way. If TIF districts do get a tax bill, then they would be the only residential properties in a municipality to receive tax bills. The point of TIFs is to help in development, and in many cases, help new homebuyers get their first home. Brown County has 26 active TIFs. 14 of those are primarily made up of owner-occupied residential property. If our goal is to help new homeowners buy homes, then this would be detrimental to that goal. Also, this would undermine any of these new developments that happen to have obtained tax increment financing, as it would deter people from building there.

On the other hand, if we are removing tax bills from TIF districts also, then I have the problem where I have 26 active TIFs that obtain money for development, sold lots and never really had to pay their loan back. The loan is then repaid by all of us outside of the new development, and the developer just got free money. These districts are in place for up to 20 years.

The next issue is special districts. Fire districts, road districts, sanitary districts, watershed districts all are districts where the property owners have chosen to tax themselves to have that service. We have 2 lakes in the county. One has a sanitary district for which it collects taxes. The other does not. If the second lake could suddenly be receiving money for its sewer system without increasing their own tax burden, don't you think they would request that pretty quickly? We had a new watershed district just come onto the books in 2024. We have another subdivision that is currently looking at taxing themselves to address some of their road concerns. They very well may create a tax district for 2026. They almost certainly will if they can get that district and collect that money without raising their own property taxes.

I certainly have questions as to whether the \$1.50 receipt fee will be able to cover all that is promised.

Thank you,

Gene Loeschke, CAA
Director of Equalization



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From: [jwhite407](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Comments on proposed 2026 initiated constitutional ammendment to repeal property taxes
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 2:58:49 PM

Greetings,

After having read the clear language explanation in the press release, and the proposed changes in language to the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, I felt the need for more clarification.

In reviewing the clear language in the press release, and actual language, the most that can be charged is \$1.50. This tax will only occur when said property is sold or transferred. If the property is sold for \$15,000.00, \$50,000.00, or \$5 million, the complete and total tax is \$1.50. Not \$1.50 per \$1000.00 paid.

As a home/land owner, I would no longer pay the bi-annual bill I currently receive from Lincoln County.

I don't see anything in the clear language of the press release, or actual language that provides for a County to establish a real property tax and levy it upon property owners.

Currently, my Lincoln County taxes help pay for the Sheriff's Office and our schools in the Harrisburg School District. If the yearly property taxes are repealed and replaced with the transfer tax, only when property is sold, how can we expect our Sheriff's Office and school district to continue services at their current level? Any insight you can provide, or information I'm not properly grasping be explained, that would be great! I look forward to reading your explanation and the legal consequences that this may cause, on or before October 27th, 2025.

Respectfully,

Jill White

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

From: [Gary Saenz](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Abolish property tax proposed amendment
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 3:03:21 PM

Honorable Marty Jackley,

Please expedite this Constitutional Amendment so it may qualify for the next state election. I wholeheartedly support property tax relief for the citizens of South Dakota.

Respectively,

Gary Saenz

From: [Susan Saenz](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Proposed Constitutional Amendment to Repeal Property Tax
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 3:19:44 PM

Good afternoon,

I am writing to support the proposed amendment to repeal property taxes in South Dakota and replace them with a retail transaction tax. This amendment would spread the cost of running our state across the population as well as sharing the infrastructure (roads) costs with the multitude of tourists that use our infrastructure.

I kindly request that you expedite this initiated amendment to the Constitution of South Dakota.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Susan K. Saenz
24645 Magnuson Rd.
Hermosa, SD 57744-5101

From: [Robert Mammenga](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Initiated measure to repeal property taxes
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 3:25:03 PM

Marty,

The explanation should include an example for representative South Dakotans to compare their tax burden. Will the average tax payer pay more or less tax with this proposal? Obviously renters, who do not currently pay property taxes, will see an increase and that should be clearly explained.

The explanation should also include an analysis of the amount of taxes the proposal would generate as compared to the existing tax scheme so voters can make an informed decision on the impact this proposal would have. Voters should be made aware before voting if the proposal (is) / (is not) revenue neutral as compared to the existing tax scheme.

An example of comparative tax burden:

For a South Dakotan that rents property and does not pay property taxes, this measure would increase their tax burden to \$150/month or \$1,800/year assuming 100 retail transactions a month.

The median property tax paid by South Dakotans who pay property taxes is between \$1,800 and \$2,500 per property. This measure would likely decrease the amount of tax paid by property owners assuming less than 100 retail transactions per month were made.

An example of taxing analysis:

Based on 2024 data, there were a total of “X number” of retail transactions above \$15 which, based on this proposal would have generated \$WXYZ M. Additionally, in 2024, there were a total of “Y number” of retail transactions under \$15 which based on this proposal would have generated \$WXYZ M.

Total property tax collected in 2024 under the existing tax scheme was \$1,788M.

Thank you,
Bob Mammenga
Piedmont, SD

From: [Sarah Smith](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Constitution Amendment to Repeal Real Property Tax and Replace with Retail Transaction Tax
Date: Monday, October 20, 2025 8:06:26 PM

Dear Attorney General Marty Jackley,

I am in favor of this plan to repeal property taxes. I believe this plan will help many South Dakotans keep their homes especially older people on a fixed income, allow for massive economic growth in South Dakota's economy, and allow younger people to be able to buy a home. This plan takes away the tax burden for every citizen who pays property taxes including businesses, renters, and homeowners. It is a simple plan to replace the property tax money and still keep the same income for each county budget. I hope this gets placed on the ballot for 2026; it will be a huge relief for so many South Dakotans.

Thank you,
Sarah Smith
Hermosa, SD Custer County
605-389-3148
sarahdsmith13@gmail.com

From: [Alyssa Mueller](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: RE: [EXT] Draft Explanation on PT
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 8:22:32 AM

Dear ATG Office,

The language is great on the new PT proposal and change to our Constitution!

Thank you!

Anna Mueller

From: [Leanne Olson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Proposed retail tax to remove property tax
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 8:46:33 AM

Gov. Noem said in a speech at the RNC when she was on the campaign trail that she reduced the SD tax. She didn't say by how much, which was convenient because it wasn't by much. My budget didn't even notice, honestly.

Now we're being told the property tax will be removed and a retail tax will be brought in to replace it. Sounds wonderful, and theoretically would save this household approximately \$1k.

BUT..... is there verbiage stating the property tax won't ever come back? If it did, then we have sales and retail and property tax and in the end, just paying even more.

Thank you.

Leanne Olson
605-484-0841

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From: [L. Bufford](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Repealing Property Taxes
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 11:34:30 AM

Will non-owner occupied properties be exempt from property taxes?

Will property owned by out of state investors, rental properties, apartments and corporate business properties be required to pay property taxes?

Will family farm and ranch lands be exempt but large corporate farms be required to pay property taxes?

Will the retail tax include hotels, businesses for amusement? Restaurants, fast food? Does it exclude any type of "retail"?

I saw a provision to raise the retail tax 5% on a yearly basis if there is a shortfall, correct?

Is there any loopholes that would allow property taxes to be reinstated while retaining the retail tax?

Thank you,

Linda Bufford
1220 Baldwin St
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Sent from my Galaxy

From: [Jane Lukens](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Comments on Initiated Constitutional Amendment Concernin Property Tax
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 1:11:01 PM

Honorable Attorney General Marty Jackly,

I have reviewed the submitted Constitutional Amendment to repeal property taxes. I support this proposed Constitutional Amendment.

A friend here was forced to sell a significant portion of “family land” in order to stay in their home on the remainder of the property.

Retirees that have moved to the area because they like the conservative climate versus the more liberal political area they came from are finding the rising property taxes a greater challenge to their retirement income.

In my opinion, the RECEIPT TAX applies a tax to the people that actually use the services of a community or county and is an equitable distribution of that burden while it protects home and property owners from losing assets they have worked hard to acquire and maintain.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Jane M. Lukens
312 Meadowlark Dr.
Hot Springs, SD
208-755-9502

From: [Mark J Sperlich](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Comment on Constitutional Amendment to abolish Property Taxes
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 2:10:34 PM

Dear Attorney General,

I find the proposed amendment on abolishing property taxes an excellent proposition. This is a win win for everyone. This does not cut the revenue everyone receives but replaces its source. It takes the burden off the shoulders of fixed income home owners to pay up or become homeless. It also makes buying a home for first time and young home owners much more affordable. The economic impact will be very positive. I think the infrastructure to collect and distribute the funds is partially in place since all business are already paying into to the state sales taxes. The county does not enjoy foreclosure on tax delinquent property and selling them. Having to pay every year to keep your home that you already paid for is really un-American and an embarrassment to a free county. I hope this passes.

Sincerely

Mark and Peg Sperlich

From: [Jerry and Diana Page](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Comments in favor of a retail transaction tax to replace property tax
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 3:09:14 PM

Dear Attorney General Jackley,

I am writing in support of the retail transaction tax to replace property tax. I have attended a forum and I feel this is a good route to replace property tax money. My husband and I are both retired and on fixed incomes. We live in an older modest home on a lake and the values keep rising hence so does our property taxes. We're being forced to pay for unrealized gains.

We can't control what we're being assessed however we can control our retail spending.

In a town where we shop a pillow tax was applied a decade ago to transactions at hotels and entertainment which I believe has brought significant resources to the town and no one complains that I've heard of. I feel the math has been worked and reworked by the authors over several years to get to this point.

I and my husband support this transaction tax.

Thank you,
Jerry and Diana Page
Brookings, SD

From: [laurie trygstad](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] comment on proposed property tax appeal
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 7:49:38 PM

Hello,

I would like to comment on the proposal.

“repeal South Dakota’s property tax system set forth in the state constitution and replace it with a tax on each retail transaction. For each retail transaction of \$15 or more, a flat tax of \$1.50 would be assessed. For each retail transaction less than \$15, a 10% tax would be assessed.”

1. I like it- just need more details to be able to vote on it.
2. The flat tax should not be on basic grocery items and have that exemption built into it . It can be on pre made deli items
3. with the current repeal of property tax there needs to be a safeguard so it’s not brought back and then people have a property tax AND this flat tax.
4. How will this tax get distributed to the community public schools that rely on current property tax
5. Will schools still be able to issue bonds that homeowners have to pay?
6. Will non profits have to pay this tax?
7. What about online sales? tax should be included on this also.
8. There can be an increased amount on entertainment items or a greater flat tax- such as hotel rooms, tourism etc
9. This hopefully will create less homelessness. It’s hard for seniors to pay for a house and then the taxes increase more than what their mortgage was when they were able to work.

off subject but make weed legal and lets tax that also. Use it for teacher pay

Laurie Trygstad
5414 S LedgeStone
Sioux Falls, SD 57108

From: [Gwyneth Fastnacht](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Property tax repeal
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 9:06:39 PM

Draft Explanation Released For Proposed 2026 Initiated Constitutional Amendment to Repeal Property Taxes

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Friday, October 17, 2025

Wouldn't this approach put unfair burden on lower income levels? They got less money but pay same taxes. They'd pay a larger percent if their income on taxes than people with high incomes. Correct?

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Janii White](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT]
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 2025 9:55:34 PM

I feel this needs to be considered.. I am tired of our property taxes that are going through the roof..

From: [Trevor Krog](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Abolish property taxes
Date: Wednesday, October 22, 2025 8:13:25 AM

I fully support this measure and am confident that I speak on behalf of all of my family and neighbors and coworkers as well when I say, please get this passed. No one should have to carry the burden of paying for their property after they have already paid for their property. That is not what land ownership or private property rights mean. Thank you very much.

Trevor Krog
1718 Santee Trail
Brookings, SD 57006

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Brant Annette](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Tax Bill question(s)
Date: Wednesday, October 22, 2025 9:16:27 AM

Sounds like a good plan on the surface.

I have a few questions.....

How will this get implemented as a start off program?

What happens to those who are currently delinquent? (some may be in the midst of tax deed proceedings)

What happens to third party certificate holders?

Will it include special assessment for municipalities too?

How and when will the counties get their money?

How will the budgeting processes work for the individual counties?

Note: As a reminder, Administration Offices with the county will be relocating to 900 Concourse Drive, Rapid City, SD 57703 before the end of the year. Watch for details throughout the next several months by way of public service announcements updates. Our PO Box will still be current.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,

Annette Brant

Pennington County Treasurer

130 Kansas City Street Ste 250

Rapid City, SD 57701

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From: [Kenny Konechne](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] ballot measure to replace property taxes
Date: Wednesday, October 22, 2025 10:18:34 AM

I think this is the greatest idea I've ever seen. One who owns property should not have to pay rent on it every year and take a chance of losing it if they can pay their property taxes that keeps going up. This is a far better plan. Please get this out so we can get it on the ballot. Let the people speak,

Kenny Konechne
36596 254th st
Kimball SD 57355

From: [Shon Morris](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Repeal Property Tax
Date: Wednesday, October 22, 2025 2:29:10 PM

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to express my support for a constitutional amendment to repeal the property tax in South Dakota. The concept of property rights is fundamental and is a moral issue as much as economic. The elimination of the property tax would be replaced with another funding source. More importantly, people could actually truly own their home and property without the government serving as a landlord via the collection of property taxes. It is not just that citizens of South Dakota must continue to pay the government (or any entity) to continue to enjoy property that has been lawfully purchased.

Thank you.

Shon Morris
Volga, SD

From: [Mike Mueller](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Draft for title and explanation of ICA repealing property taxes
Date: Friday, October 17, 2025 1:34:12 PM

Honorable Attorney General Marty Jackley,

Julie and I have thoroughly read your draft title and explanation that succinctly explains this Initiated Constitutional Amendment. We believe you have captured both the intent and spirit of this amendment for "We the People" of South Dakota for tremendous tax relief.

The affordability of buying a home and the benefit of keeping one's home and property now can be a reality without the threat of a tax lien - this is FREEDOM. Even renters should benefit since they pay property taxes through their rent.

This replacement revenue will provide full funding for the "property tax portion" of all political subdivisions as they are funded now.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Mike Mueller and Julie Frye-Mueller

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From: jehayward@aol.com
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Property tax relief
Date: Friday, October 17, 2025 4:30:23 PM

Thanks so much for this proposal. Hopefully it will soon be law.

Jim Hayward
Pennington County
Rapid Valley

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From: [Elizabeth Sommer](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Property Taxes
Date: Friday, October 17, 2025 8:20:06 PM

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October 17, 2025

The Honorable
Marty J. Jackley
Attorney General of South Dakota

Dear Attorney General Jackley,

I am writing to support the proposed Amendment to repeal real property tax and replace them with a "retail transaction" tax.

My husband and I are seniors and find the current system of collecting taxes burdensome. Earlier this year we applied for the property tax assessment freeze for the elderly, but were refused because our income was just a little over the annual income requirement. We would greatly appreciate the change in tax collecting.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth Sommer

From: [James Jacobson](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Potential ballot measure to replace property taxes with transaction tax
Date: Saturday, October 18, 2025 7:02:46 AM

Good morning-

After reading the proposed AG explanation for the proposed ballot measure on replacing property taxes with a transaction tax, it's not clear to me what's the definition of a "retail transaction."

Is it limited to the purchases of goods, such as food, clothing, appliances, automobiles, etc. or does it include other commercial transactions subject to sales tax, such as professional services? Is there a definition of "retail transaction" somewhere in state statute, administrative law, or legal precedent, or will this be open to interpretation by the legislature or courts?

Best regards,

James Jacobson
1308 S Phillips Ave
Sioux Falls, SD 57105
(605) 376-4098

From: [Ken Griffith](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Comment on retail transaction fee
Date: Saturday, October 18, 2025 8:14:31 AM

Please allow the transaction fee to be put on the ballot. I feel this is a grand idea and fair method to replace property taxes. Thank you for doing this, And your time!

Ken Griffith

1900 west 23 rd Ave, Mitchell SD, 57301

From: [Larry Armin](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] My concerns
Date: Saturday, October 18, 2025 10:12:13 AM

I'm a senior citizen. My health forced me away from my (owned) home and in to an apartment. Property taxes are factored into my apartment's rent by the landlord.

If property taxes are eliminated, I doubt the landlord will reduce my rent accordingly. So, I'll be paying the landlord for expenses that no longer exist. This proposal should require landlords and similar to reduce rents. I'll also be paying the retail transaction costs, further burdening my fixed income.

This "retail transaction" tax sounds a lot like a "value-added tax" or VAT, similar to those of England.

Frankly, I believe this idea to be ridiculous.

Larry Armin
5100 S Graystone Avenue, Unit 406
Sioux Falls, SD (Lincoln county)

From: [Todd Ball](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Property tax ballot proposal
Date: Saturday, October 18, 2025 12:07:33 PM

This proposal is absolutely ridiculous, it clearly favors the wealthy and punishes the less well off there by greatly reducing their purchasing power. Someone that buys a \$10,000 wedding dress isn't going to be affected at all by another \$1.50 fee. A less well off person looking to buy their kids a doll for Christmas now has to cough up an extra \$1 on that \$10 toy. I myself am neither in the extremely poor bracket, nor the wealthy bracket, but I can see that the proposal is absolute garbage.

As a property owner I have no issue with Property Tax, but I do have issue with the valuation process. A true just and fair law on property tax would be to charge people what they paid period. If you refinance then you'd pay the taxes on the higher value between the original price and the refinanced price (since you are effectively selling the house to yourself). If a person is "gifted" a home such as back when Extreme Home Makeover was redoing houses, then at the time of completion the house would be evaluated to fair market value and taxes on that. In more layman's terms the valuation for property taxes should only change when ownership changes to fair market value or purchase price depending on how the home is acquired.

That is the proper way to handle property taxes. If someone thought their house was worth the purchase price when buying conventionally, then they'd have no valid argument to being taxed at that value.

We need to encourage people to be responsible, the ballot proposal affectively does the opposite and is just going to amplify a separate problem and be even worse in the long run.

As far as state revenue is concerned, the state can pretty much know ahead of time what their income will be when they have a set valuation so they can learn to be responsible as well in their spending, instead of the pointless and reckless wasting of funds they have become accustomed to.

Sincerely,

Todd Ball

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From: [Heather](#)
To: [ATG Ballot Comments](#)
Subject: [EXT] Article XI Amendment
Date: Saturday, October 18, 2025 8:27:21 PM

Dear Attorney General Jackley,

Thank you for this opportunity to end a violation of our U.S. Constitution (16th Amendment), regarding unconstitutional property taxes. People are being taxed out of their homes while also causing senior citizens who have owned their homes for decades to move out due to being taxed on unrealized gains. This is an excellent opportunity to, "Under God the People Rule." Allow the people of SD to choose if this is best for them! I appreciate your title and comment on the posted material.

God Bless,

Heather Baxter