

# Clear the Bench Colorado

Returning accountability to our judicial system...

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Colorado's Supreme Court is out of control...

Recent rulings by Colorado's Supreme Court – the "most partisan in the nation" – have demonstrated their contempt for the very Constitution they are sworn to uphold.

**DID YOU KNOW** that *you* have the *right* to vote the rascals out?

It's true – even Supreme Court justices in Colorado **ARE** accountable to the people. In 2010, **FOUR** of the current Colorado Supreme Court justices **NEED YOUR APPROVAL** to be retained on the bench.

**DON'T GIVE IT TO THEM!** Ditch the Mullarkey Majority - Vote "**NO**" on these unjust justices! **Justices Michael Bender, Alex Martinez, Nancy Rice and Chief Justice Mary Mullarkey**

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## About CTBC

*Clear The Bench Colorado* is a grassroots movement to hold Colorado's Supreme Court justices accountable to the Colorado Constitution and to the people of Colorado.

The four justices subject to retention by voters in the next election (2010) have repeatedly violated their oath to uphold our Constitution and the rights of the citizens of Colorado - it is time for them to go. Chief Justice Mary Mullarkey, justices Michael Bender, Alex Martinez, and Nancy Rice have betrayed the trust of the people of Colorado, neglecting the proper judicial function of *upholding* the law in favor of *imposing* their partisan political will.

Colorado *can do* better - Colorado **NEEDS** better.

**Clear The Bench Colorado** is an unincorporated nonprofit association under the Colorado Uniform Unincorporated Nonprofit Association Act, §7-30-101, registered to serve as an action organization within the meaning of Section 527 of the Internal Revenue Code. For additional information contact the officers at [info@clearthebenchcolorado.org](mailto:info@clearthebenchcolorado.org)

## Clear the Bench- Resolution for Precinct Caucuses

At some point on the agenda at your caucus, the Chair will ask if anyone has a resolution they would like to submit. It is at that point that you can request consideration of the Clear the Bench resolution (below). If the resolution is supported by your precinct, it will be referred to the County Assembly. If the resolution is passed by the County Assembly it will be referred to the State Assembly, for consideration in the Colorado GOP Platform. Below is resolution text that you could bring.

Resolved:

Given the importance of upholding the rule of law by judges who respect the Constitution and interpret laws, not make them- the Colorado Republican Party strongly advocates a "NO" vote on the retention of Justices Michael Bender, Alex Martinez, Nancy Rice and Chief Justice Mary Mullarkey in the November 2010 elections, and supports and endorses the efforts of Clear the Bench Colorado in raising awareness of, and advocating for, this important issue.