

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. HJ0010

Distribution of excess funds.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Miller, D., Baker, Edwards, McOmie, Simons and Tipton and Senator(s) Peck

A BILL

for

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing to authorize the Legislature
2 to distribute to the citizens of this state surplus tax
3 monies determined to be in excess of the amounts necessary
4 for the support of current operations of government.

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6 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING,
7 two-thirds of all the members of the two houses, voting
8 separately, concurring therein:

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10 **Section 1.** The following proposal to amend Article
11 16, Section 6 is proposed for submission to the electors of
12 the State of Wyoming at the next general election for
13 approval or rejection to become valid as a part of the
14 Constitution if ratified by a majority of the electors at
15 the election:

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1 **Article 16, Section 6. Loan of credit; donations**
2 **prohibited; works of internal improvement; distribution to**
3 **citizens.**

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5 Neither the state nor any county, city, township, town,
6 school district, or any other political subdivision, shall
7 loan or give its credit or make donations to or in aid of
8 any individual, association or corporation, except for
9 necessary support of the poor or as otherwise provided in
10 this constitution, nor subscribe to or become the owner of
11 the capital stock of any association or corporation, except
12 that funds of public employee retirement systems and the
13 permanent funds of the state of Wyoming may be invested in
14 such stock under conditions the legislature prescribes. The
15 state shall not engage in any work of internal improvement
16 unless authorized by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the people.
17 The legislature may distribute to the citizens of this
18 state, on a per capita basis, surplus tax monies determined
19 to be in excess of the amounts necessary for the support of
20 current operations of government.

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22 **Section 2.** The following statement shall be endorsed
23 on the foregoing proposed amendment by the Secretary of
24 State:

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2 The adoption of the proposed amendment will authorize the
3 legislature to distribute surplus tax monies to the
4 citizens of this state on a per capita basis.

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(END)