

Statewide Initiative Usage

Number Of Initiatives	Number Passed	Number Failed	Passage Rate
39	25	14	64%

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Year	Measure Number	Type	Subject Matter	Description	Pass/Fail
1918	N/A	IDS	Alcohol Regulation	Providing for statewide prohibition.	Passed
1922	N/A	IDS	Legal	Divorce law	Failed
1934	N/A	IDS	Animal Rights	Bounties on predatory animals.	Passed
1936	N/A	IDS	Welfare	Relative to old age pensions.	Failed
1938	N/A	IDS	Animal Rights	To pay bounties on predatory animals.	Failed
1944	N/A	IDS	Welfare	Relative to old age pensions.	Passed
1952	N/A	IDS	Labor	Right-to-work law.	Passed
1954	N/A	IDS	Labor	To repeal the right-to-work law.	Failed
1956	N/A	DA	Labor	Prohibit "right-to-work laws."	Failed
1956	N/A	IDS	Labor	To repeal the right-to-work law.	Failed
1956	N/A	IDS	Education	Relating to the question of public school financing.	Failed
1958	N/A	DA	Initiative and Referendum	To amend Sec. 3, Art. 19 of the Constitution which would make the requirements to commence and carry through an initiative more strict.	Passed
1960	N/A	DA	Administration of Government	Require the legislature to meet in regular session once each 2 years, in odd-numbered years, instead of once each year.	Passed
1962	N/A	DA	Initiative and Referendum	Make changes to the state's initiative and referendum laws.	Passed
1968	N/A	DA	Gaming	Repeal prohibition on establishing a lottery.	Failed
1978	6	DA	Taxes	Limit property taxes.	Passed
1980	6	DA	Taxes	1978 Measure 6 - Limit property taxes. 2nd vote as required by law	Failed
1980	8	DA	Taxes	Exempt household goods from taxation.	Passed
1980	9	DA	Taxes	Exempt food from taxation.	Passed
1982	12	IDS	Utility Regulation	Protection of public utilities customers.	Failed
1982	8	DA	Taxes	1980 Measure 8 - Exempt household goods from taxation. 2nd vote as required by law.	Passed
1982	9	DA	Taxes	1980 Measure 9 - Exempt food from taxation. 2nd vote as required by law	Failed
1984	12	DA	Taxes	Limit tax increases, all levels of government.	Failed
1988	9	DA	Taxes	Prohibit a state personal income tax.	Passed

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1990	6	IDS	Taxes	Net profit tax, franchise fee for corporations.	Failed
1990	9	DA	Taxes	1988 Measure 9 - prohibits a state personal income tax. 2nd vote as required by law.	Passed
1994	10	DA	Campaign Finance Reform	Defines and limits campaign contributions.	Passed
1994	11	DA	Taxes	Require a 2/3 vote in the legislature and a majority vote by referendum for any tax increase.	Passed
1994	8	DA	Term Limits	Term limits on judges and state legislature 12/12.	Passed
1994	9	DA	Term Limits	Term limits on Congress 6/12.	Passed
1996	10	DA	Campaign Finance Reform	Campaign contributions limits. 2nd vote as required by law.	Passed
1996	11	DA	Taxes	Amends constitution to require a 2/3 vote of the legislature to increase taxes. 2nd vote as required by law.	Passed
1996	17	DA	Term Limits	Informed Voter Law.	Passed
1996	9A	DA	Term Limits	Term limits on state legislature 12/12.	Passed
1996	9B	DA	Term Limits	Term limits on judges. (Question 9 was split into two questions, by court order) 2nd vote as required by law.	Failed
1998	17	DA	Term Limits	Informed Voter Law.	Passed
1998	9	DA	Drug Policy Reform	Would let adults on the advice of physicians use marijuana for curing or relieving pain in a number of illnesses such as cancer and AIDS.	Passed
2000	2	DA	Civil Rights	Ban of same sex marriage	Passed
2000	9	DA	Drug Policy Reform	Would let adults on the advice of physicians use marijuana for curing or relieving pain in a number of illnesses such as cancer and AIDS. 2nd vote as required by law.	Passed