



2015 PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

October 24, 2015 Election

The four (4) constitutional amendments that will be on the ballot for the **October 24, 2015** election are listed below.

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Proposed Amendment No. 1

Act No. 473, *Senate Bill No. 202, Regular Session, 2015, by Senator Adley*

“Do you support an amendment to rename the Budget Stabilization Fund to the Budget and Transportation Stabilization Trust; to authorize the mineral revenue base to be increased every five years; to create the Budget Stabilization Subfund as a subfund in the Trust, to be funded with mineral revenues until reaching a maximum balance of five hundred million dollars, to be appropriated and used when the state has a deficit; to create the Transportation Stabilization Subfund as a subfund in the Trust, to be funded with mineral revenues until reaching a maximum balance of five hundred million dollars, to be appropriated and used for planning, design, construction, and maintenance connected with the state highway program, with twenty percent dedicated for use by the Louisiana Intermodal Connector Program; and to provide for the interruption of deposits into the Budget Stabilization Subfund and the Transportation Trust Subfund the year that the state has a deficit and the following year with the resumption of deposit of mineral revenues in the Budget and Transportation Stabilization Trust thereafter?”

(Amends Article VII, Section 10(D)(2)(d), 10.3(A)(introductory paragraph) and (A)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (b), and 10.5(B); adds Article VII, Section 10.3(A)(2)(c))

Proposed Amendment No. 2

Act No. 471, *House Bill No. 618, Regular Session, 2015, by Representative St. Germain and Representative Armes*

“Do you support an amendment to authorize the investment of funds for a state infrastructure bank to be used solely for transportation projects?”

(Amends Article VII, Section 14(B))

Proposed Amendment No. 3

Act No. 472, *House Bill No. 518, Regular Session, 2015, by Representative Stokes*

“Do you support an amendment to allow any legislation regarding the dedication of revenue, rebates, and taxes to be considered during a fiscal legislative session?”

(Amends Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b))

Proposed Amendment No. 4

Act No. 470, *House Bill No. 360, Regular Session, 2015, by Representative Chaney and Senator Thompson*

“Do you support an amendment to specify that the ad valorem property tax exemption for public lands and other public property shall not apply to land or property owned by another state or a political subdivision of another state?”

(Amends Article VII, Section 21(A))