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Of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry

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Dear Brothers and Sisters:

As a member of Pipefitters Local 208 and as a voter who is registered as an "Unaffiliated" you have a unique role to play to help elect our next Colorado Governor. Local 208 is asking you to get involved to make sure the voice of our members is heard in the June 26th Colorado Primary Election. **For the first time in history you will be allowed to cast a ballot in the Democratic OR Republican Primary Election.** Unaffiliated voters like you will be mailed BOTH a Democratic and Republican ballot. **However, you will only be able to vote for candidates on ONE party ballot. If you return two ballots none of your votes will count.**

How you vote is always your choice as an American, but Local 208 has researched the candidates for Governor and evaluated them based on their support on issues most important to Local 208 members. **That is why Pipefitters Local 208 has endorsed Jared Polis for Governor. We are recommending that our members support Jared Polis on the Democratic Party Primary ballot and November General Election.**

As Governor, Jared will work with trades union leaders and members like you to:

- Support massive infrastructure investments in Colorado to put our members to work.
- Ensure Colorado properly enforces our state labor laws to protect hard workers like us that play by the rules.
- Reform our procurement system to promote contractors like ours that pay strong wages and benefits, pensions and training through a bona fide registered apprenticeship program.
- Be a champion of collective bargaining rights of workers and will oppose all efforts to weaken the labor movement and take away our rights.

Now more than ever we need champions for working families that will stand-up for union Pipefitters and the building trades. We have also included a list of other candidates endorsed by your local union for your consideration. You have likely already been sent a ballot by mail. If you need to check your registration, find a ballot drop-off location or to request a replacement mail ballot go to <http://www.justvotecolorado.org> or call 1-866-OUR-VOTE.

Please return your ballot no later than p.m. on Tuesday June 26th and remember that in order to support Jared Polis for Governor you must fill out and return only your Democratic Primary ballot.

In Solidarity,

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