How to get involved

- 1) Attend the Bi-weekly We Are The Change webinars: Join us on April 1 @ 5:15
- 2) And tell us what you want to learn more about: Click here for survey
- 3) Send an action alert right now! Click here to email your legislator

Bills of Interest

HB21-1119: Suicide Prevention, Intervention, & Postvention

Concerning lowering the suicide rate by enhancing care for persons affected by suicide, and, in connection therewith, broadening Colorado's focus to include suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention.

<u>HB21-1131:</u> Cooperative Electric Associations Governance Requirements West Slope Sponsor: Rep. Marc Catlin

Concerning governance requirements for cooperative electric associations.

SB21-087: Agricultural Workers' Rights Bill

Concerning agricultural workers' rights.

Authorizes agricultural employees to organize and join labor unions; engage in protected, concerted activity; and engage in collective bargaining;

Removes the exemption of agricultural labor from state and local minimum wage laws; Allows for overtime pay of agricultural employees for hours worked in excess of 40 hours per week or 12 hours in one day;

Grants agricultural employees meal breaks and rest periods throughout each work period, consistent with protections for other employees; + more

SB21-131: Protect Personal Identifying Information Kept By State

Concerning measures to protect personal identifying information kept by state agencies. (This bill is brought to us by our allies at the Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition specifically with the intention to protect our immigrant population)

HB21-1194: Immigration Legal Defense Fund

Concerning creation of the immigration legal defense fund, and, in connection therewith, making an appropriation.

HB21-1071: Ranked Choice Voting In Nonpartisan Election

Concerning allowing the use of ranked choice voting in nonpartisan elections.

HB21-1103: Media Literacy Implementation

West Slope Sponsors: Don Coram and Barabara McLachlan

Building media literacy, or how to tell fake news from real news, into elementary and secondary education.

HB21-1117: Local Government Authority Promote Affordable Housing Units

Concerning the ability of local governments to promote the development of new affordable housing units pursuant to their existing authority to regulate land use within their territorial boundaries.

SB21-006: Human Remains Natural Reduction Soil

West Slope Sponsor: Matt Soper

Concerning the conversion of human remains to basic elements within a container using an accelerated process, and, in connection therewith, making an appropriation.

HB21-1085: Secure Transportation Behavioral Health Crisis

West Slope Sponsor: Julie McCluskie

Concerning secure transportation for an individual in behavioral health crisis.

SB21-173: Rights in Residential Lease Agreements

Reforms rights related to residential rental agreements

SB21-180: Recycling and Composting Enterprise Grant Program

Concerning efforts to

increase recycling in Colorado

HB21-1232: Standardized Health Benefit Plan Colorado Option

West Slope Sponsors: Sen. Kerry Donovan & Rep. Dylan Roberts

Concerning the establishment of a standardized health benefit plan to be offered in Colorado.

SB21-012: Former Inmates With Fire Service Experience

West Slope Sponsors: Sen. Kerry Donovan & Rep. Dylan Roberts

Concerning measures to create opportunities for persons who acquire experience in wildland fire services through the inmate disaster relief program.