

## Senate District 3

Have you had a chance to sign the petition that invests in our public schools and local communities?

We need more signatures to put *Great Schools, Thriving Communities* on the ballot. It will **raise \$1.6 billion for public education** and help us get closer to the national average.

- All Colorado students will benefit, including those who are most vulnerable
- Funds full-day kindergarten
- It will also **improve our tax code by making it more fair and more sustainable.**
  - Creates a graduated income tax structure that would result in all Coloradans paying a more similar percentage of their incomes into state and local taxes
  - Provides property tax relief to farmers, ranchers and business property owners who have been carrying a larger burden with property taxes
  - Addresses the loss in local share for school districts by locking in property tax rates at what is currently third lowest in the nation

### Local Benefit to Senate District 3 Region:

School District	Reduction in 2018-19 funding compared to 2009-10	GSTC Funding	Mills required to raise the same amount through MLO election	Amount raised by 1 mill
Pueblo City 60	-\$13.1 million	\$26.7 million	26.4	\$1,011,898
Pueblo Rural 70	-\$7.0 million	\$14.4 million	20.8	\$693,120

