

# Amendment 49



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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

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**BALLOT TITLE:** ALLOWABLE GOVERNMENT PAYCHECK DEDUCTIONS

## **Summary of Measure**

Amendment 49 limits the types of payroll deductions that can be offered by public employers in Colorado, including the state, counties, municipalities, school districts, and special districts. It takes effect only if approved by voters at the 2008 general election.

## **Summary of Assessment**

Eliminating certain paycheck deductions will not significantly affect state or local government spending. Although there are costs associated with establishing new paycheck deductions, there is little or no cost associated with modifying payroll systems to stop existing paycheck deductions. Therefore, Amendment 49 is assessed as having no fiscal impact.