



Doug Lamborn (R)

Lamborn Leads Democrat in CD 5 Race

Latest poll shows 17 point gap, discredits Denver Post survey

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Colorado Springs, CO: Over the weekend, the Colorado Springs Gazette newspaper reported the results of a recent poll that shows Republican State Senator Doug Lamborn with a 17 percentage point lead over Democrat challenger Jay Fawcett.

The poll, conducted by Basswood Research and released to the media by Club for Growth, a tax reduction and limited government advocacy group supporting Lamborn for Congress, revealed Lamborn has 49% of the vote, Fawcett 32% and 19% undecided. The margin of error is +/- 5.66%.

This recent poll, provided to Lamborn for Congress by the Gazette and the Wall Street Journal (see attached), also states, "Lamborn holds comfortable leads within every age group, every income level group, and among both male and female voters. Lamborn has a large lead among Republican voters, 70%-15%, and runs just about even among Independent voters, 35%-36%."

Also of note, the poll states that 60% of district voters have an unfavorable opinion of Democrats in Congress.

The poll also helps to highlight the flawed and skewed nature of a recent Denver Post poll that erroneously showed Lamborn and Fawcett tied at 37% each with 26% undecided. Experts have since discredited the Denver Post poll for its defective methodology.

"Regardless of all the speculation, I know the only poll that really counts is the one on Election Day, so we will keep working hard through November 7th to mobilize our supporters," stated State Senator Doug Lamborn.

"One thing is clear in all the polls -- district voters have little to no interest in electing a liberal Democrat like my opponent to Congress. Rather, they want someone like me with proven conservative experience who they know they can trust and count on," concluded Lamborn.

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