

Manny Rutinel Voted With Socialists In The Colorado Legislature To Legalize Heroin And Fentanyl Injection Sites In Public Places.

On April 5, 2024, Rutinel Voted Yes On HB24-1028 Which Authorized “Overdose Prevention Centers.” “The bill specifies that the governing body of a municipality, which includes a city, town, and city and county, may authorize the operation of an overdose prevention center within the municipality's boundaries for the purpose of saving the lives of persons at risk of preventable overdoses.” (HB24-1028, [Roll Call Vote](#), Passed: 37-18-0-10; Rutinel Voted Yes, 4/5/24; [CO Leg](#), Accessed 7/1/26)

Rutinel Sponsored HB24-1028. (HB24-1028, [CO Leg](#), Accessed 7/1/26)

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(HB24-1028, [CO Leg](#), Accessed 7/1/26)

“Overdose Prevention Centers Provide Space For Individuals To Use Controlled Substances.” “The bill permits the governing board of a municipality to authorize overdose prevention centers within their boundaries. Overdose prevention centers provide space for individuals to use controlled substances under the supervision of healthcare professionals or other trained staff that can provide life-saving treatment during an overdose, and other harm reduction services.” (Fiscal Notes, [HB24-1028](#), 5/21/24)

On April 5, 2024, Andrew Boesnecker, Elizabeth Epps, Javier Mabrey, And Lorena Garcia Voted Yes On HB24-1028. (HB24-1028, [Roll Call Vote](#), Passed: 37-18-0-10; 4/5/24; [CO Leg](#), Accessed 7/1/26)

Mabrey And Epps Have Been Members Of The Democratic Socialists Of America. “Come join Denver's largest socialist organization for a Town Hall with newly elected state representatives (and DSA members) Elisabeth Epps & Javier Mabrey. Special guests from NEWR will also be present to represent the campaign for Ordinance 305 from this recent election's ballot.” (“Denver DSA Town Hall ft. Elisabeth Epps, Javier Mabrey & NEWR,” [Action Network](#), Accessed 7/1/26)

In June 2022, DSA Fort Collins Confirmed That Boesnecker Was A Member Of The Group. “He is a DSA member and our chapter occasionally has meetings with him (in addition to other local electeds). We didn't endorse in 2021 because he was elected through the local Dems to fill a vacancy. We are starting our endorsement process for Nov 2022 soon!” (@DSAFortCollins, [X](#), 6/21/22; Archived 6/22/22)

Haloxazolam	2771	IV	N	
Heroin	9200	I	Y	Diacetylmorphine; diamorphine
Hydrocodone	9193	II	Y	Dihydrocodeinone

(“Controlled Substances,” [Drug Enforcement Agency](#), 6/25/26)