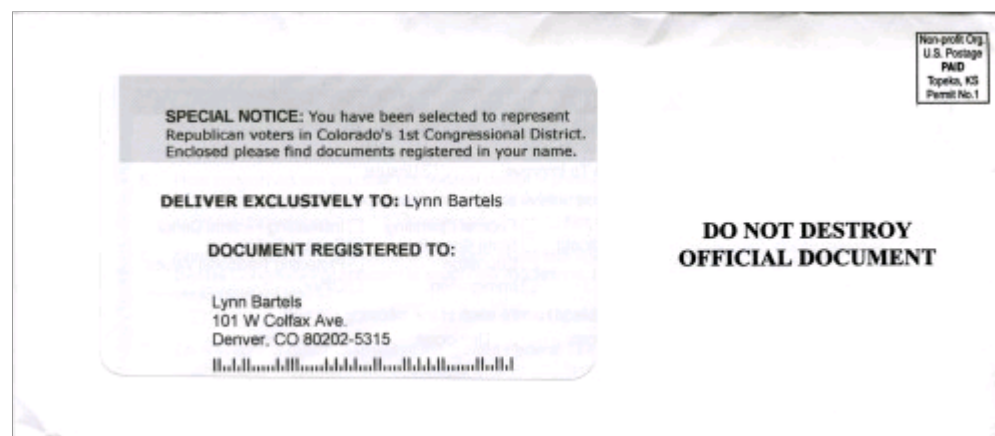


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## How can Colorado post offices be closing when the GOP mail keeps coming?

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[1][Lynn Bartels](#) [2]

A survey from the [Republican National Committee](#) [3].

I finally checked my work mailbox this week, only to find a slew of letters and invites from right-leaning causes. Nothing from the left.

Here's a sample:

**CATO INSTITUTE** [4], which wants me to join: “Dear Friend ... I promise not to insult your intelligence with a lot of capital letters and exclamation points. The issues that we’re confronting are far too serious for that — because right now, our heritage of liberty is under assault as never before.”

**THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION’S** [Wayne LaPierre](#) [5], who wants me to buy a set of books about liberty: “You can’t Lose! ... You should take me up on this private offer RIGHT NOW; every word in The Federalist rings true today, like a bell — a Liberty Bell!”

**REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE**, which is surveying voters in CD 1: It asks a bunch of questions, some loaded, including whether I generally identify myself as a 1) conservative Republican, 2) independent voter who leans Republican, 3) moderate Republican, 4) Tea Party member and 5) liberal Republican. I checked 4 and 5 to confound them.

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