Half-cent sales tax
decision Tuesday

Rapid City voters go to the polls Tuesday to decide whether to extend the present half-cent city sales tax that is paying off Rushmore Plaza Civic Center.

The tax is scheduled to end April 1, 1996, but supporters of the extension say it should be continued to help pay for a variety of civic improvements.

Opponents say extending the tax is handing the city a blank check to spend.

A “yes” vote will extend the tax and a “no” vote will end the tax in the spring of 1996.

Polls will be open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Here are Rapid City’s polling places:

- Ward 1, Precinct 1: Pennington County Courthouse, 315 S. Joseph St.
- Ward 2, Precinct 2: South Junior High School, 2 Indiana St.
- Ward 3, Precinct 3: Grandview School, 390 Grandview Drive.
- Ward 4, Precinct 4: North Junior High School, 1901 N. Maple Ave.
- Ward 5, Precinct 1: Hurric Man School, 522 Amnisty St.
- Ward 5, Precinct 2: South Junior High School, 1901 N. Maple Ave.
- Ward 5, Precinct 3: North Junior High School, 1901 N. Maple Ave.
- Ward 5, Precinct 4: North Junior High School, 1901 N. Maple Ave.
- Ward 5, Precinct 5: National Guard Armory, Range Road.
- Ward 5, Precinct 6: South Canyon School, 218 Northway Lane.
- Ward 5, Precinct 7: Pennington County Auditor’s office at 394-3543.

Handicapped or elderly voters should contact the city finance office at 394-3543 for special assistance or polling place accessibility.