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Zero Arrests in Douglas County after Massive "No Kings" Protests

Thousands attended protests in Parker and Castle Rock DA Brauchler applauds law enforcement for keeping the rallies peaceful

Castle Rock, CO – June 16, 2025. Thousands of demonstrators gathered in Parker and Castle Rock on Saturday as part of the national "No Kings" rallies. Despite the large crowds, the events remained entirely peaceful, with zero arrests reported in Douglas County- a sharp contrast to protest in Denver, where at least 36 people were detained.

23rd Judicial District Attorney George Brauchler praised both the demonstrators and local law enforcement. "We fully support the constitutional right to peacefully assembly," said Brauchler. "The fact that there were no arrests is a testament to the professionalism of our law enforcement and the respect shown by protestors. Unlike our counterparts north of County Line, we won't tolerate law breakers."

Castle Rock Police Chief Jack Cauley says he was proud of his team's work over the weekend- a sentiment echoed by Parker Police Chief Jim Tsurapas. "With the Parker Days Festival taking so many Town resources, we're grateful the No Kings protest unfolded without any issues," said Tsurapas. "We appreciate the public's cooperation and commitment to keeping both events safe and respectful."

Douglas County Sheriff Darren Weekly added "We're grateful to everyone who exercised their First Amendment rights responsibly. Our role is to ensure public safety while protecting the rights of all individuals, and we remain committed to doing both."

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