



CERTIFICATE OF SUFFICIENCY OF INITIATIVE PETITION

I, Jannette Goodall, City Clerk of the City of Austin, Texas, hereby certify that:

The initiative petition proposing an ordinance captioned "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 13-2 RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES (TNCs)" was filed with the City Clerk on January 19, 2016.

At the time of filing, the petition was comprised of 9,344 pages containing 26,320 signatures.

In accordance with the City of Austin Charter and state law, the number of signatures required for a sufficient initiative petition is 5% of the qualified voters of the city or 20,000, whichever number is the smaller.

Based on verification against the voter registration rolls obtained from Travis County and Williamson County, I have determined the following facts regarding this petition:

The raw-count number of signatures filed with the petition was 26,320. The City Charter and state law require that the minimum number of valid signatures needed for it to be certified as a sufficient petition is 19,765 (5% of the 395,303 qualified voters in Austin's full-purpose jurisdiction). The Texas Election Code authorizes the use of random sampling to verify petitions of large size, and the City has used the same random sampling method since 2002. Under that method, and in accordance with law, 25% of the total number of submitted signatures on this petition were verified, which equates to a sample size of 6,580.

Based on the analysis of the random sample results, it has been determined that the petition meets the requirement for the minimum number of signatures of valid voters, based on the required minimum of 19,765. Of the 6,580 submitted sample lines checked under the sampling method, 153 of the sample lines were disqualified on account of bearing signatures of persons not on the voter list (113), or of being duplicate signatures of registered voters who signed more than once (27), or for other reasons (13). The remaining 6,427 sample lines were validated as bearing signatures of qualified voters.

Based on the above, the petition is determined to be sufficient.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City of Austin on this the 2nd day of February, 2016.




Jannette Goodall, City Clerk
City of Austin, Texas