

Timeline for Constitutional Initiative

Related to the Election and Petition Process

Submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval for circulation	Monday, September 18, 2023
Earliest date the law allows Secretary of State to approve the petition title	Monday, September 25, 2023
Latest date by which the Secretary of State must provide the petition title	Wednesday, September 27, 2023
Date that Secretary of State supplied Sponsoring Committee with petition title for petition along with a listing of corrections for the petition's format	Wednesday, September 27, 2023
Date that Sponsoring Committee returned petition to Secretary of State for review	Wednesday, September 27, 2023
Date that Secretary of State approved petition for circulation	Wednesday, September 27, 2023
Deadline for submitting petition signatures to the Secretary of State (120 days before the election at which the measure is to appear on the ballot <u>or</u> one year from the date the petition is approved for circulation)	<p style="text-align: center;">2024 Primary Election – Prior to midnight on February 12, 2024</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2024 General Election – Prior to midnight on July 8, 2024</p> <p style="text-align: center;">One year from date petition was approved for circulation –September 27, 2024</p>
Number of signatures needed to place measure on ballot.	31,164
Contact person for the sponsoring committee	<p>Lydia Gessele Chairperson 631 32nd Ave NE Chasley, ND 58423 Lydiar.gessele@protonmail.com 701-341-0976</p>