

**Time Line for Statutory Initiative Relating to  
the establishment of personalized vehicle plates for volunteer emergency responders  
(as of July 9, 2018)**

Submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval for circulation	<b>Friday, February 2, 2018</b>
Earliest date the law allows Secretary of State to approve the petition title	<b>Friday, February 9, 2018</b>
Latest date by which the Secretary of State must provide the petition title	<b>Tuesday, February 13, 2018</b>
Date that Secretary of State supplied Sponsoring Committee with petition title for petition along with a listing of corrections for the petition's format	<b>Monday, February 12, 2018</b>
Date that Sponsoring Committee returned petition to Secretary of State for review	<b>Wednesday, February 21, 2018</b>
Date that Secretary of State approved petition for circulation	<b>Wednesday, February 21, 2018</b>
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)	<b>2018 General Election – Prior to midnight on Monday, July 9, 2018</b>  <b>One year from date petition was approved for circulation – Thursday February 21, 2019</b>
Number of Signatures needed to place measure on ballot.	<b>13,452</b>
Date petitions were submitted to Secretary of State	<b>July 9, 2018</b>
Date by which Secretary of State must pass upon the sufficiency of the signatures to place question on the ballot for the November 6, 2018, statewide election	<b>August 13, 2018</b>
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