

Time Line for Constitutional Initiative

Relating to the elections in which a qualified elector may vote.

(as of July 6, 2018)

Submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval for circulation	May 14, 2018
Earliest date the law allows Secretary of State to approve the petition title	Monday, May 21, 2018
Latest date by which the Secretary of State must provide the petition title	Wednesday, May 23, 2018
Date that Secretary of State supplied Sponsoring Committee with petition title for petition along with a listing of corrections for the petition's format	Tuesday, May 22, 2018
Date that Sponsoring Committee returned petition to Secretary of State for review	Wednesday, May 23, 2018
Date that Secretary of State approved petition for circulation	Wednesday, May 23, 2018
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;">2018 General Election – Prior to midnight on Monday, July 9, 2018</p> <p style="text-align: center;">One year from date petition was approved for circulation – Thursday, May 23, 2019</p>
Number of Signatures needed to place measure on ballot.	26,904
Date petitions were submitted to Secretary of State	July 6, 2018
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	August 10, 2018
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