

City of Tacoma

Memorandum

TO:

Doris Sorum, City Clerk

FROM:

Elizabeth A. Pauli, City Attorney

SUBJECT:

Initiative Petition - 15 Now Tacoma

DATE:

December 5, 2014

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Pursuant to City Charter Section 2.19, the attached Petition, received November 25, 2014, has been reviewed with the Petitioner and is found to be proper in terms of form and style.

Attached herewith is the true and concise statement of the measure to be filed with the Clerk's Office as the official ballot title for City of Tacoma Special Election Initiative No. 1, pursuant to City Charter Sections 2.19(c) and (d).

EAP/bn Attachments

CITY OF TACOMA SPECIAL ELECTION – INITIATIVE NO. 1 MINIMUM WAGE REQUIREMENTS

Initiative No. 1 concerns establishing a minimum wage for the City of Tacoma.

This measure would require employers of a certain size to pay employees who work in the City of Tacoma, or maintain, report to, or are supervised from, an office in the City, an hourly wage of not less that fifteen dollars (\$15.00), adjusted annually by the rate of inflation. This measure would also create a citizen commission to monitor the City's administration and enforcement of the minimum wage requirements, and make violation a crime.

| Should this measure be | € | enacted into law? |
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