



TO: Wendy Fowler, Acting City Clerk
FROM: Elizabeth A. Pauli, City Attorney *EAP*
SUBJECT: Initiative Petition – Save Our Water – The People’s Right to Water Protection Ordinance
DATE: March 17, 2016

Pursuant to City Charter Section 2.19, the attached Petition, received March 11, 2016, 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 General Election Initiative No. 6, pursuant to City Charter Sections 2.19(c) and (d). The Petitioners will be adding the ballot title to the petition form.

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Attachments

**CITY OF TACOMA
CITIZENS' INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 6**

City of Tacoma Citizens' Initiative Measure No. 6 concerns requiring a public vote for large-volume water service. If enacted, this measure would require all applications for water permits for one million gallons or more of water use per day to be placed on the ballot at the next general election for voter approval at the expense of the applicant. The measure provides that voter approval requirements will supersede conflicting state and federal laws and regulations.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

Yes

No