

## City of Tacoma City Attorney's Office - City Clerk's Office

June 9, 2015

Honorable Mayor Strickland and Members of the City Council

SUBJECT: "15 Now Tacoma Minimum Wage Initiative Petitions"

Please be advised that the Pierce County Auditor has found that the petitions entitled "Establish A Minimum Wage Ordinance for the City of Tacoma" contained the necessary 3,160 signatures which have been verified as to sufficiency. In accordance with City Charter Section 2.19 (i) the number of signatures represents 10 percent of the total number of votes cast in the last election for the office of the Mayor (November 2009).

Attached is a copy of the letter from Julie Anderson, Pierce County Auditor, confirming the number of valid signatures on the petitions. I have also included a copy of the initiative petition filed in this office and a copy of the sections from the City Charter relating to the initiative petition process and amendments to the City Charter.

In accordance with Section 2.19 of the City Charter of the City of Tacoma, I submit this matter to you.

Respectfully submitted,

Doris Sorum City Clerk

**Attachments**