



INFORMATION FOR VOLUNTEERS
from the
HOWARD JARVIS TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION

Frequently Asked Questions about Collecting Signatures

Are copies of the petition available online for download?

No, unfortunately there is no “print at home” option for this petition. Because the entire text of the initiative must be presented to each voter who signs it, the petition is multiple pages long and has been carefully reviewed for precise compliance with the law by our attorneys. Signatures on home-printed copies *could jeopardize qualification of the initiative*. Please be sure everyone signs an official petition. If you need more copies, just call us: 916-444-9950 or 213-384-9656.

Can I print extra copies of the signature page?

No, only the complete, pre-printed petition may be signed. Signatures on extra pages will not count.

Why is the petition so long?

By law, any time a change to the constitution is proposed in an initiative, the petition must have the complete section of the constitution printed on the petition, not just the sentences that would change.

Can I set up a table in front of a supermarket or in a strip mall?

Possibly. Always ask permission from the store owner or manager, or the mall owner or manager. If they have any questions about the signature-gathering effort, you’re welcome to invite them to call us and we’ll be happy to talk with them. Our Sacramento office number is 916-444-9950, and the number of the L.A. office is 213-384-9656.

Can you connect me to other volunteers in my area?

Give us a call and we’ll try to do that! Our Sacramento office number is 916-444-9950, and the number of the L.A. office is 213-384-9656.

Do you have yard signs?

Not yet. We will print yard signs after the measure qualifies for the November 2022 ballot and we know the proposition number.

Can you send me more materials such as pens, flyers and table banners?

Sure! Call us. Our Sacramento office number is 916-444-9950, and the L.A. office is 213-384-9656.

Can someone from Howard Jarvis speak to my group on a Zoom call or in person?

Absolutely, as our schedules permit. Send an email to info@hjta.org with details or call us, 916-444-9950 or 213-384-9656.

How many signatures do we need, and what's the deadline?

The initiative needs 997,139 valid signatures of registered voters to qualify for the November 2022 ballot, so we estimate that we will have to collect **1.3 million signatures** to be sure that we make it (signatures will be disqualified if they're duplicates, in the wrong county, not from a registered voter, or not accompanied by the voter's correct address). All signatures **MUST** be turned in to county officials by April 29, 2022, but we will need time to process and sort the petitions by county, so please mail back all signed petitions to us **NO LATER than April 15**.

Where should I return the signed petitions?

Mail them to:

Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association
921 11th Street, Suite 1201
Sacramento, CA 95814

Who should I call if I have questions?

You can call us at HJTA directly, any time you have a question. Our Sacramento office number is 916-444-9950, and the number of the L.A. office is 213-384-9656.

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