FINAL DETERMINATION OF PETITION SUFFICIENCY

REFERENDUM PETITION – <u>REF2022.06</u>

Two (2) signature pages bearing **28** signatures for referendum petition serial number **REF2022.06** have been refused for filing in this office as provided by law.

A total of **4,750** of the signatures included on the remaining **396** petition sheets were found to be eligible for further review.

From those eligible, a **5**% random sample was drawn utilizing the sample matrix provided by the office of the Arizona Secretary of State.

Of the total random sample of **238** signatures, a total of **75** signatures were invalidated by the office of the Maricopa County Recorder resulting in a failure rate of **31.51** percent.

After subtraction of the invalidated signatures and reduction by the failure rate, the actual number of remaining signatures for the noted referendum is **3,202**, which is equal to or in excess of the minimum **2,134** legally required to place a referendum measure on the **May 16, 2023 Special Election** ballot.

(see attached Recorder Certification received 12/21/2022 1:12 PM)

The number of valid signatures filed with this petition, based on the random sample, equals at least one hundred percent of the minimum required.

Date: 12/23/2022 11:45 am

The City Clerk has notified the Mayor that a sufficient number of signatures has been filed and that the referendum shall be placed on the ballot in the manner provided by law.