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**Statement of Intent
Petition for Denver Charter Amendment**

We, the undersigned registered electors of the City and County of Denver, Colorado, pursuant to C.R.S. §31-2-210 and C&R Election Rule 8.3 hereby file this *Statement of Intent* to circulate a petition for a Charter amendment.

The following five (5) registered electors of the City and County of Denver hereby intend to circulate and will be responsible for circulating and filing the petition to amend the Denver Charter:

1. The following five (5) registered electors of the City and County of Denver shall constitute the Petitioners' Committee:

Name	Address	Phone Number

(Name and email address of the primary contact for the Petitioners' Committee)

2. The Charter Amendment full text shall be as follows: (State amendment in full in the space provided or attach typewritten copy to this page in no less than eight point font..)

The proposed Charter Amendment is sought to be submitted at:

_____ The next regular election on _____.

Or:

_____ A special election with an approximate date of _____.

(See C.R.S. §§ 31-2-210(1)(a)(III) & (IV) and 31-2-210(4).)

STATE OF COLORADO
CITY AND COUNTY _____

Subscribed and sworn to me on this _____ day of _____,

[SEAL]

My commission expires: _____
(Signature of Notary Public)

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Instructions to Circulators Petition for Denver Charter Amendment

1. How To Circulate a Petition

- A. A *Charter amendment petition* may consist of multiple petition sections. There must only be one circulator for each petition section.
- B. Each petition section is bound in a blue manuscript cover and contains: A) Petitioners' Statement of Intent, B) name and address of at least three members of Petitioners Committee, C) full text of Charter Amendment, D) statement whether this to be submitted to a regular or special election (with approximate date, an *Instructions to Circulators* page, E) several numbered *Signature Pages* that contain a Warning section at the top of each page, and F) an *Affidavit of Circulator* page.
- C. Read the Warning in this petition section to be aware of who may sign this petition and other legal restrictions on signers of this petition.
- D. A petition section may not be left unattended on a counter or desk for voters to sign.

2. Who May Sign a Petition

- A. Signers must be residents of the City and County of Denver and registered to vote in Denver.
- B. Notaries may not notarize a petition section they have signed.

3. How To Sign a Petition. Signers Must:

- A. Print clearly.
- B. Use blue or black ink. Do not use ditto marks (“”) to provide information on a signature line.
- C. Fill out every required field completely, date it and sign it in the presence of the circulator.
- D. Sign their own signature and print their own legal name in the same manner as the person is registered: last name, first name, and middle initial. (For example: Mary Doe, not Mrs. John Doe)
- E. Use the residence address where they reside and are registered to vote, including street name and street number, city or town and county. Post office boxes may not be used as a place of residence.
- F. Place their initials on all minor corrections. If a major correction is required, the signer should cross out the entire pair of lines containing the error and use the next pair of blank lines.
- G. Not sign for another signer. However, any person **except the circulator** may assist a signer who has limited literacy or is physically unable to write the required information on the petition. The signer must make his or her mark in the signature space and the person giving assistance must provide their signature and a statement that assistance was given. This statement must be provided on the petition immediately following the name of the elector who received assistance.

4. What To Do After Petition Section is Completed

- A. Do not disassemble petition sections. If the original staples are removed, all names on the section are disqualified.
- B. A petition section does not have to be completely filled for the listed names to be valid.
- C. The *Affidavit of Circulator* must be properly signed and notarized. Do not sign or date your *Affidavit of Circulator* until in the presence of the notary.
- D. No additional signatures may be collected after the *Affidavit of Circulator* is notarized. Any subsequent signatures are invalid.
- E. All petition sections must be filed with the Elections Division at one time.

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Denver Elections
Division

Affidavit of Circulator

Petition for Denver Charter Amendment

I, _____, being duly sworn
(Circulator's Printed Name)

on oath depose and say that I have read and understand the laws governing the circulation of petitions; that

1. I was a citizen of the United States, and at least 18 years of age at the time this petition section was circulated and signed by the listed electors;
2. I personally circulated this section of the petition;
3. All signatures on this petition section were affixed in my presence;
4. Each signature hereon is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be;
5. To the best of my knowledge and belief, each of the persons signing this petition section was, at the time of signing, a registered elector of the City and County of Denver;
6. I have not paid and will not in the future pay and that I believe that no other person has paid or will pay, directly or indirectly, any money or other thing of value to any signer for the purpose of inducing or causing the signer to affix the signer's signature to the petition.

(Signature of Circulator) (Date)

(Circulator's Permanent Residential Address)

(Circulator's Temporary Colorado Residential Address, if applicable)

STATE OF COLORADO
CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

Subscribed and sworn to me on this:

[SEAL]

_____ day of _____, _____.

My commission expires: _____.

Signature of Notary Public