A voter who has signed a petition, and who subsequently wishes to withdraw their name, may do so by filing a written request for the withdrawal with the appropriate elections official. The written request must include the voter’s name, residence address, and signature, and must be filed in the elections official’s office prior to the date the petition is filed or in the case of a statewide Recall Special Election, within 30 business days of the Secretary of State certifying the petition.

A voter may complete and submit the following information to the Registrar of Voters to withdraw their name from an initiative or referendum petition they have signed.

I have signed the initiative or referendum petition indicated below and hereby request my name be withdrawn from the petition.

Title of Petition: ________________________________________________________________

Name of Voter: ________________________________________________________________

Residence Address of Voter: _____________________________________________________

Signature of Voter: _________________________________  Date:_____________________

Per Election Code 103, the written request must be filed prior to the day in which the petition is filed to have the signature withdrawn from the petition. Per Election Code 11108(b), the written request must be filed within 30 business days of the Secretary of State’s notice of sufficient numbers of signatures to initiate a statewide recall.

Questions

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