CERTIFICATE OF SUFFICIENCY OF INITIATIVE PETITION

I, Rosalia A. Butler, City Clerk of the City of Pomona, County of Los Angeles, State of California, hereby certify that:

The petition entitled "AN INITIATIVE MEASURE PROPOSING TO REDUCE THE RATE OF THE CITY OF POMONA TRANSACTIONS AND USE (SALES) TAX FROM 0.75% TO 0.5% AND TO EXTEND THE TAX BY REPEALING THE MARCH 31, 2029 SUNSET" was filed with the City Clerk Department on December 21, 2022 by John Mendoza.

That said petition contains signatures purporting to be signatures of qualified electors of the City of Pomona, California;

That attached to this petition at the time it was filed, was an affidavit purporting to be the affidavit of the person(s) who solicited the signatures;

That after the proponents filed this petition and based on the County of Los Angeles Registrar of Voters' Signature Verification Certificate, I have determined the following facts regarding this petition:

1.	Total number of signatures filed by proponent raw count (preliminary)	<u>1,844</u>
2.	Total number of signatures verified:	<u>1,844</u>
	Number of signatures found sufficient:	<u>1,527</u>
	Number of signatures found insufficient:	<u>317</u>
5.	Number of signatures insufficient because of duplication:	<u>37</u>
6.	Total number of signatures required (5% x 22,251-votes for Gov. in 2022)	<u>1,113</u>

Based on the above, the petition is deemed to be sufficient.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City of Pomona, California this 16th day of August, 2023.

Rosalia A. Butler, MMC

City Clerk

City of Pomona