



PUBLIC NOTICE

REFERENDUM FOR ORDINANCE 2022-031A

As required by R.C. 731.29, the City has received and reviewed Petitions for a Referendum of City of Fairlawn Ordinance 2022-031A, which were filed with the Clerk of Council on July 6, 2022. Pursuant to R.C. 731.29, the petitions were transmitted to the Summit County Board of Elections to determine the number of electors of the City who signed the petition. The Board of Elections responded with a statement received by the City on July 21, 2022, which found that there were valid signatures of 307 electors on the petitions. A copy of the statement from the Board of Elections is attached.

Pursuant to the above-cited statute, in order to be placed on the ballot, the petitions for referendum must be signed by ten percent of the number of electors who voted for governor at the most recent general election for the office of governor. Based on the information received from the Board of Elections, this would require 368 signatures of electors.

Therefore, as Clerk of Council for the City of Fairlawn, I find that the Petitions for a Referendum for Ordinance 2022-031A are not sufficient and valid for a Referendum for Ordinance 2022-031A to be placed on the ballot on November 8, 2022.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tonja K. Caldwell".

Tonja K. Caldwell, MMC
Clerk of Council
City of Fairlawn

Summit County Board of Elections

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July 20, 2022

Tonja Caldwell, MMC
Clerk of Council
City of Fairlawn
3487 S. Smith Rd.
Fairlawn, OH 44333

Dear Tonja,

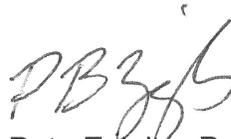
Our office has completed the signature verification process for the Referendum Petitions re: Ordinance 2022 – 031A.

We verified 406 Signature/lines and found 307 to be valid.

Sincerely,



Lance Reed, Director



Pete Zeigler, Deputy Director

Summit County Board of Elections
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470 GRANT STREET
AKRON, OHIO 44311

Petition: 220704

Type: Issue

Jurisdiction: City/FAIR

1 Receipt with 26 Parts

26 Valid Parts

0 Invalid Parts with

0 Circulator Count and 0 Lines Used

Detail of Invalid Signatures:

2 - INVALID:NR - Jurisdiction - Signer is out of area

2 - INVALID: Lined out

31 - INVALID:NR - Not Registered

5 - INVALID: Early - Date precedes collection

41 - INVALID:NG - Not Genuine - Sig does not match

1 - INVALID:DUP - Duplicate - Signed before

4 - INVALID:NRA - Not Registered Address

13 - INVALID: Blank Line

99 - Total Invalid Signatures

Status: C - PENDING - Awaiting Sig Verify

Description: REFERENDUM - FAIRLAWN - ORDINANCE 2022-031A

Number of Required Signatures: 1000

Number of Valid Signatures Confirmed: 307

Circulator Signature Count: 391

Verified Signature Count: 406

Receipt: 001

Filing Date: 7/18/2022

Start Date: 6/21/2022

End Date: 7/18/2022

26 Valid / 0 Invalid Circulator Count: 391 Actual Count: 407 Valid Count: 307 Invalid Count: 100