

City Clerk Department

June 3, 2014

Jesse Arreguin 1528 Henry Street Berkeley, CA 94709

Subject: Certificate of Sufficiency – Downtown Community Benefits Initiative

Dear Mr. Arreguin:

The Alameda County Registrar of Voters has completed the signature verification of the above named initiative petition. Using the random sample signature verification process, the petition is found to have a sufficient number of valid signatures of qualified registered voters in the City of Berkeley.

The certificate of sufficiency from the Registrar of Voters is attached for your records. The City Council will take action on the petition at a future meeting date. We will notify you when it has been scheduled for Council action.

If you have any questions, please contact me at <a href="mailto:mnumainville@cityofberkeley.info">mnumainville@cityofberkeley.info</a> or 981-6900.

Sincerely,

Mark Numainville

City Clerk

cc: Christine Daniel, City Manager Zach Cowan, City Attorney

## REGISTRAR OF VOTERS CERTIFICATE TO PETITION

I, **Tim Dupuis**, Registrar of Voters for the County of Alameda, State of California, hereby certify that an Initiative Entitled. City of Berkeley Downtown Community Benefits, was filed with the Berkeley City Clerk within the statutory time limit and forwarded to this office for verification on May 22, 2014, and

The petition contained 3,717 unverified signatures; and

In accordance with Section 93 of the Berkeley City Charter, it was determined that the total number of votes cast for all candidates for Mayor at the November 2012 General Municipal Election was 52,750, the requisite number of signatures required to qualify this initiative is 5% of 52,750 or 2,638.

I have examined, or caused to be examined, signatures on the petition pursuant to California Elections Code sections 9211 and 9115, and

Have determined that the petition contained <u>443</u> valid signatures of qualified registered voters in the City of Berkeley based on the random sample examination set forth in section 9115 and the formula prescribed by the California Secretary of State; and

That this number represents 123% of the total number of signatures needed to qualify the initiative therefore;

The petition is found to be sufficient to require the City Council of the City of Berkeley to take the appropriate action specified in the California Elections Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF; I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this <u>2nd</u> day of June 2014.

Tim Dupuis Registrar of Voters County of Alameda

State of California