

STATE OF MICHIGAN Ruth Johnson, Secretary of State DEPARTMENT OF STATE Lansing

December 6, 2017

## CHALLENGE DEADLINE ESTABLISHED FOR INITIATIVE PETITION SPONSORED BY PROTECTING MICHIGAN TAXPAYERS

An initiative petition proposing to repeal the Prevailing Wage Act, 1965 PA 166, was filed with the Secretary of State on November 3, 2017 by Protecting Michigan Taxpayers.

The Board of State Canvassers has established a uniform deadline for challenging signatures sampled from an initiative, constitutional amendment or referendum petition to elapse at 5:00 p.m. on the 10<sup>th</sup> business day after copies of the sampled signatures are made available to the public. (See minutes of November 8, 2013 meeting of the Board of State Canvassers.)

Please be advised that copies of the signatures sampled from this initiative petition were made available for release to the public on December 6, 2017. Therefore, the deadline to submit challenges to this petition will elapse at 5:00 p.m. on December 20, 2017.

Please contact the Bureau of Elections at (517) 373-2540 if you wish to purchase a copy of the sampled signatures for the petition.