



STATE OF MICHIGAN
RUTH JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING

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**RECALL PETITIONS APPROVED FOR CIRCULATION
BY THE BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS
2017 – 2018**

1. Recall petition submitted on January 5, 2017 by Quincy Murphy against Governor Rick Snyder, approved by the Board of State Canvassers on January 19, 2017. The reasons for recall printed in the heading of the petition are as follows:

Because Governor Richard D. Snyder stated in parts of the Michigan State of the State transcript on January 19, 2016 “Government failed you: Federal, state, and local leaders by breaking the trust you placed in us. I am sorry most of all that I let you down. You deserve better. You deserve accountability; you deserve to know the bucks stops here with me.”

2. Recall petition submitted on April 12, 2017 by Robert Davis against State Senator Bert Johnson, 2nd District, approved by the Board of State Canvassers on April 26, 2017. The reasons for recall printed in the heading of the petition are as follows:

On April 11, 2017, a federal grand jury indicted State Senator Bert Johnson for allegedly hiring a “ghost employee” that received compensation from the State of Michigan for work she did not perform.