



STATE OF MICHIGAN
BUREAU OF ELECTIONS
LANSING

**Board of State Canvassers
February 11, 2022**

**Delta Township Hall
7710 West Saginaw Highway, Lansing, MI 48917
10:00 am.**

Agenda

1. Consideration of the meeting minutes for approval (January 19, 2022).
2. Consideration of the form of the initiative petition submitted by Unlock Michigan (Unlock II).
3. Consideration of the form of the initiative petition submitted by Secure MI Vote.
4. Consideration of the form of the initiative petition submitted by Raise the Wage.
5. Consideration of the form of the constitutional amendment submitted by Reproductive Freedom for All.
6. Consideration of the 100-word summary of purpose of the initiative petition submitted by Michiganders for Fair Lending (Michiganders for Fair Lending II). The summary of purpose as drafted by the Director of Elections is as follows:

Initiation of legislation amending the Deferred Presentment Service Transaction Act, 2005 PA 244, MCL 487.2121, 487.2122, 487.2152, 487.2153, and 487.2160, and adding MCL 487.2160a to: rename the law the "Limit Interest Rates and Fees on Payday Loans Act"; describe deferred presentment service transactions as "payday loans" and licensees as "payday lenders"; prohibit service fees on these loans that are above an annual percentage rate of 36 percent, and require a consumer warning of the maximum rate; deem transactions that exceed this rate void and unenforceable; and provide powers to the Attorney General to enforce and penalize attempts to evade the Act's requirements.

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7. Consideration of the form of the petition submitted by Michiganders for Fair Lending II.
8. Consideration of the 100-word summary of purpose of the constitutional amendment submitted by MI Right to Vote (A). The summary of purpose as drafted by the Director of Elections is as follows:

Constitutional amendment to: make the deadline to submit petition signatures for a voter-initiated referendum to approve or reject a law 6 months after its enactment, instead of 90 days after legislative session; allow referendums on laws with funding

appropriations; require petition signatures for voter-initiated laws be submitted 120 days before election day; require that petition signatures for voter-initiated laws and referendums be counted, on a statewide basis, 60 days before election day, and be determined valid if gathered within 2 years of filing; eliminate legislature's power to approve voter-initiated law without governor's ability to veto; require 3/4 vote for legislature to reenact laws rejected by referendums.

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9. Consideration of the form of the petition submitted by MI Right to Vote (A).
10. Consideration of the 100-word summary of purpose of the constitutional amendment submitted by MI Right to Vote (B). The summary of purpose as drafted by the Director of Elections is as follows:

Constitutional amendment to: establish fundamental right to vote; require 2 weekends of in-person absentee voting; require absentee-ballot drop boxes; provide voters right to receive absentee-ballot applications without requesting them; require absentee applications and ballots be accepted without postage; provide voter right to show identity with photo ID or signature; allow officials to begin counting absentee ballots 7 days before election day; prohibit laws imposing undue burden on voting, laws banning donations to fund elections; laws requiring ID to vote absentee or social-security number to register, laws allowing recording of voters, and laws discriminating against election challengers; require legislature to fund elections.

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11. Consideration of the form of the petition submitted by MI Right to Vote (B).
12. Consideration of the 100-word summary of purpose of the constitutional amendment submitted by Promote the Vote 2022. The summary of purpose as drafted by the Director of Elections is as follows:

Constitutional amendment to: provide fundamental right to vote without unreasonable burden; require military or overseas ballots be counted if postmarked by election day; provide voter right to show identity with photo ID or signed statement; provide voter right to single application to vote absentee in all elections; require state-funded postage for absentee applications and ballots; require state-funded absentee-ballot drop boxes; provide that only election officials may conduct post-election audits; require 9 days of early in-person voting; allow donations to fund elections, which must be disclosed; require canvass boards to certify election results based only on the records of votes cast.

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13. Consideration of the form of the petition submitted by Promote the Vote 2022.

14. Consideration of the 100-word summary of purpose of the initiative petition submitted by Michigan Initiative for Community Health. The summary of purpose as drafted by the Director of Elections is as follows:

Initiation of legislation amending the Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.7403, 333.7404, 333.7451, and adding MCL 333.7462, to: reduce the maximum penalty for possessing non-prescribed drugs from felony to misdemeanor; prohibit prosecution for minuscule amounts of drugs found on paraphernalia; describe psychedelic plants and mushrooms as natural plants and mushrooms; decriminalize production and use of these plants and mushrooms; provide exemptions from penalties for sale, provision, and supervising use of these plants and mushrooms for medical and religious purposes.

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15. Consideration of the form of the petition submitted by Michigan Initiative for Community Health.
16. Other business that may be presented to the Board for consideration.

A person who wishes to address the Board may do so by signing up to speak at the individual meeting. Persons addressing the Board are allotted three minutes. In addition, members of the public may submit written comments via email to MDOS-Canvassers@Michigan.gov.

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