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RE: Charter Amendment Petition

Dear County Executive Elrich and County Council President Katz:

Attached please find a copy of my letter of March 13, 2020 to Mr. Ficker concerning the Montgomery County Board of Elections' verification of his Petition for Charter Amendment. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

BY: Margaret Jurgensen
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Attachment

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via e-mail robinficker@msn.com and U.S. Mail

Robin Ficker, Esquire
16711 Barnesville Road
Boyd's, Maryland 20841

RE: Charter Amendment to Limit Property Tax

Dear Mr. Ficker:

The Montgomery County Board of Elections has completed processing your Charter Amendment Petition. I am writing to provide you with my office's Petition certification results, as required by Md. Code Ann., Election Law Art., §6-208 – Certification of petition process.

Please be advised that the Petition contained more than the requisite ten thousand (10,000) signatures necessary to place the question on the 2020 General Election ballot. See Constitution of Maryland, Article XIA, §5 Amendments to Charter. I am attaching the Petition Processing Statistics Report that gives a break down of accepted and rejected signatures.

Please be advised that pursuant to Md. Code Ann., Election Law Art., §6-210, a person aggrieved by this determination may file a Petition for Judicial Review "by the 10th day following the determination." A copy of the determination is being posted on our website.

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Should you have any questions, please contact our Board counsel, Kevin Karpinski. Mr. Karpinski can be reached 410-727-5000.

Sincerely yours,



Margaret Jurgensen
Election Director

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Attachment

Petition Type : Charter Amendment
Petition Title : Petition to Limit Property Tax Show Summary only :Checked

Petition Summary

Total number of lines	:	15606
Total Page Numbers	:	3144
Total no of Signatures Processed	:	15606
Total no of Signatures Unprocessed	:	0
Total Accepted Signatures	:	13520
Total Rejected Signatures	:	2086
No of Required Signatures	:	10000
Percentage of Required Signatures Accepted	:	100

Accepted Signatures by Reasons

Valid Name County Transfer	:	1
Valid New Address	:	153
Inactive Voter Valid New Address	:	11
Valid Name	:	13313
Inactive Voter OK	:	42
Total Accepted Signatures	:	13520

Rejected Signatures by Reasons

Duplicate Name	:	273
Signature Issue	:	364
Not Registered	:	1030
Date Issue	:	3
Invalid New Address	:	128
PAGE - Circulator Issue	:	105
Name Standard	:	183
Total Rejected Signatures	:	2086