

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

DEPARTMENT: Municipal Clerk

AGENDA DATE: October 4, 2011

CONTACT PERSON NAME AND PHONE NUMBER: Richarda Duffy Momsen
(915) 541-4128

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: All

SUBJECT:

APPROVE a resolution / ordinance / lease to do what? **OR AUTHORIZE** the City Manager to do what? Be descriptive of what we want Council to approve. Include \$ amount if applicable.

The submission of certified recall petitions for Mayor John F. Cook, City Representative Susie Byrd, District 2, and City Representative Steve Ortega, District 7, in accordance with City Ordinance # 008066.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

Discussion of the what, why, where, when, and how to enable Council to have reasonably complete description of the contemplated action. This should include attachment of bid tabulation, or ordinance or resolution if appropriate. What are the benefits to the City of this action? What are the citizen concerns?

Ordinance #008066 states that when the petitions are found sufficient the City Clerk shall submit them without delay, and the City Council, in the event the officers fail to resign shall order that the recall elections be held at the next permitted election date under the laws of Texas.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

Has the Council previously considered this item or a closely related one?

Yes, the City Clerk presented a recall petition for Representative Paul Escobar, District 6, on January 13, 2004.

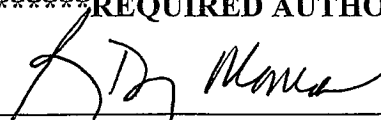
AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

How will this item be funded? Has the item been budgeted? If so, identify funding source by account numbers and description of account. Does it require a budget transfer?

Until the election is called this item has no budgetary impact beyond the staffing cost involved in verifying the petition.

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

DEPARTMENT HEAD:



(If Department Head Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

Information copy to appropriate Deputy City Manager

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CITY CLERK'S CERTIFICATE



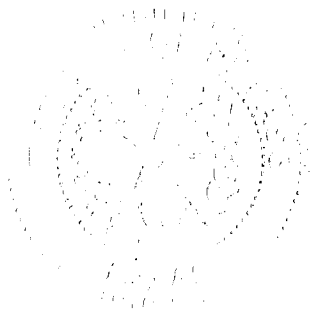
Whereas on July 18, 2011, a notice of intent to file a recall petition for Mayor John Cook of the City of El Paso was received by the City Clerk;

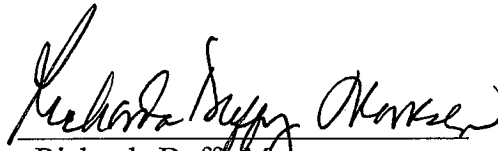
Whereas on September 15, 2011 a recall petition consisting of 796 pages was received by the City Clerk;

Whereas after examination of such recall petition, the City Clerk makes the following certification pursuant to Ordinance # 008066;

The recall petition has been signed by the requisite number of qualified electors, having been signed by 9,556 qualified electors in the City of El Paso.

Certified this 22nd day of September, 2011.




Richarda Duffy Momsen
City Clerk



Two Civic Center Plaza
El Paso, TX 79901
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John F. Cook

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Susie Byrd

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Carl L. Robinson

District 5
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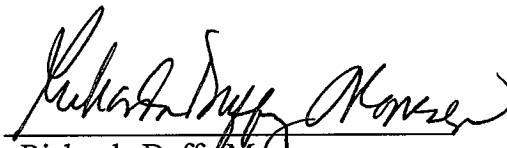
Whereas on July 18, 2011, a notice of intent to file a recall petition for Susie Byrd, District 2 was received by the City Clerk;

Whereas on September 15, 2011 a recall petition consisting of 98 pages was received by the City Clerk;

Whereas after examination of such recall petition, the City Clerk makes the following certification pursuant to Ordinance # 008066;

The recall petition has been signed by the requisite number of qualified electors, having been signed by 744 qualified electors in District 2.

Certified this 22nd day of September, 2011.



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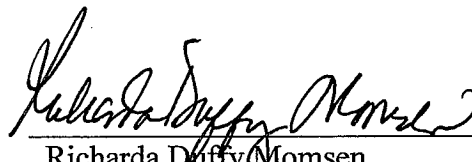
Whereas on July 18, 2011, a notice of intent to file a recall petition for Steve Ortega, District 7 was received by the City Clerk;

Whereas on September 14, 2011 a recall petition consisting of 99 pages was received by the City Clerk;

Whereas after examination of such recall petition, the City Clerk makes the following certification pursuant to Ordinance # 008066;

The recall petition has been signed by the requisite number of qualified electors, having been signed by 755 qualified electors in District 7.

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