

MARIJUANA REFORM INITIATIVE – ICT

Petition to the Governing Body of the City of Wichita, Kansas

Whereas the public interest of the City of Wichita, Kansas, is best served in reducing the penalty for first offense conviction for possession of thirty-two (32) grams or less of marijuana, and/or drug paraphernalia related thereto, by persons twenty-one (21) years or age or older, to an infraction with a fine not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00); and, the public interest of the City of Wichita, Kansas, is best served if persons subject to complaint of the aforementioned are provided with summons or notice to appear, without arrest, and that no subsequent conviction thereto shall be recorded as a misdemeanor;

Therefore Section 5.26.040 of the Municipal Code of the City of Wichita, Kansas, shall be repealed in its entirety and the substitute provisions set forth in MARIJUANA REFORM INITIATIVE - ICT, as available, shall be adopted by the City of Wichita, Kansas. To such extent that Charter Ordinance No. 122 must be further revised, repealed, amended or otherwise modified in order to implement said initiative, the City Council of the City of Wichita, Kansas, is requested to take such legislative action as may be necessary, reasonable or prudent. The City Council of the City of Wichita, Kansas, is further requested to take such other policy change or legislative action as may be necessary, reasonable or prudent to implement and codify the purpose and intent hereof.

I, the undersigned, a qualified elector of the City of Wichita, Kansas, request that the following proposed ordinance, without alteration, be passed or referred to a vote the electors pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 25-3601 of the Kansas Statutes:

Shall the following be adopted?

AN ORDINANCE REDUCING THE PENALTY FOR FIRST OFFENSE CONVICTION FOR POSSESSION OF THIRTY-TWO (32) GRAMS OR LESS OF CANNABIS SATIVA L., OTHERWISE KNOWN AS MARIJUANA, AND/OR DRUG PARAPHERNALIA RELATED THERETO, BY PERSONS TWENTY-ONE (21) YEARS OR AGE OR OLDER, TO AN INFRACTION WITH A FINE NOT TO EXCEED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00).

I have personally signed this petition. I am a registered elector of the State of Kansas and of the City of Wichita, Kansas, and my residence address is correctly written after my name.

	DATE	SIGNATURE	PRINTED NAME	PRINTED ADDRESS	CITY
0	01/01/XX	<i>Jane B. Doe</i>	Jane B. Doe	123 S Main, Apt 0	Wichita
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State of Kansas }
County of Sedgwick } ss:

I am the circulator of this petition and I am qualified to circulate this petition and I personally witnessed the signing of the petition by each person whose name appears thereon. I believe the statements made herein and that each signature appended to the paper is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be.

Signature of Circulator_____
Circulator's Residence address

Signed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 2014 , by _____.

Circulator Print Name_____
Notary PublicMy appointment expires:
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