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## GLENDALE REJECTS SALES TAX INITIATIVE PETITIONS

**Glendale, Ariz.** — Today the Glendale City Clerk’s Office rejected the initiative petitions seeking to amend the City Charter provision related to the city’s transaction privilege (sales) tax levy. The proponents of this ballot initiative claim that it would reverse the City Council’s June 12<sup>th</sup> decision to enact a temporary sales tax increase. The city found that the initiative effort failed to comply with several critical aspects of the state statutes pertaining to initiative petitions. Most importantly, the description of the initiative text that appeared on all of the petitions was inaccurate and misleading to the voters who signed the petitions.

A copy of the letter sent to the organizers of the initiative is attached to this statement.

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