

June 29, 2016

Barry Clegg, Chair  
Minneapolis Charter Commission  
c/o Casey Carl  
Minneapolis City Clerk  
350 S 5<sup>th</sup> St, Room 304  
Minneapolis, MN 55415

Chair Clegg,

With this letter, the Vote for 15 MN committee submits a citizen's petition to place an Amendment to the Minneapolis City Charter on the November 8, 2016 ballot. The petition is being submitted this day in person at City Hall to City Clerk Casey Carl. We are proposing an amendment to the City Charter to require employers to pay a minimum wage of \$10 per hour starting in 2017, which shall be phased up to \$15 per hour by 2020 for employers with 500 or more employees, and up to \$15 per hour by 2022 for employers with fewer than 500 employees.

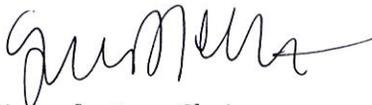
We are submitting 2,066 petition pages, assembled and filed as one instrument, in accordance with the process set forward in MN Statute 410.12 and MN Rules Chapter 8205. We believe this petition to contain the signatures of around 20,000 Minneapolis registered voters.

The appropriate contact for all matters relating to the verification and processing of this petition is:

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We look forward to working with the Charter Commission and the City Clerk's Office in any way we can, to assure a timely and fair process that honors the desire of the voters who signed this petition, and to allow Minneapolis voters to express their opinion of this Amendment at the polls this coming November. Thank you to all of you for your service, and for the work you do to assure that change can come through democratic processes.

Sincerely,



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