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APPLICATION FOR SERIAL NUMBER  
Initiative or Referendum Petition  
A.R.S. § 19-111

<p>The undersigned intends to circulate and file an initiative or a referendum petition and hereby makes application for the issuance of an official serial number to be printed in the lower right-hand corner of each side of each signature sheet of such petition. Attached hereto is the full text, in no less than eight-point type, of the measure intended to be initiated or referred at the next general election.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initiative <input type="checkbox"/> Referendum
	Date of Application <u>06/27/2022</u>
	Signatures Required <u>39</u>
	Deadline for Filing <u>7/11/2022</u>
	Serial Number Issued <u>I-22-04</u>

Enter a description of no more than two hundred words of the principal provisions of the proposed law or measure that will appear in no less than eight-point type on the face of each petition signature sheet to be circulated.

A citizen initiative to amend town code 30.015, "Town Council Generally" to require a supermajority vote (three quarters) of the council members instead of a simple majority vote on a loan for non-point source project, and other water or sewer loans for town owned utilities from WIFA (Water Infrastructure Finance Authority) or any other source. This is necessary because current state law (ARS 9-571, C., 2) doesn't require the citizens vote to approve such council actions on a WIFA loan of towns our size.

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Committee Name\*

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OFFICIAL TITLE  
AN INITIATIVE MEASURE  
AMENDING TOWN CODE 30.015 BY AMENDING PARAGRAPH (D) MAJORITY RULE TO ADD SUPER MAJORITY  
REQUIREMENT  
TEXT OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Be it enacted by the people of the Town of Dewey-Humboldt

§ 30.015 TOWN COUNCIL GENERALLY. (amended)

(A) Number and term. The elected officials of the town shall be seven Councilmembers (including the Mayor) who shall constitute the Town Council. Councilmembers shall serve four-year, staggered terms as provided by state law. Each Councilmember shall continue in office until the assumption of duties of office by his or her duly elected and sworn successor. Councilmembers elected in 2011 or appointed to fill the term of a Councilmember elected in 2011 shall serve until the assumption of duties by Councilmembers elected in the Fall 2014 election. Councilmembers elected in the Spring 2013 election shall serve until the assumption of duties by Councilmembers elected in the Fall 2016 election.

(B) Any form of action permissible. The corporate powers of the town shall be vested in the Council and shall be exercised only as directed or authorized by law. All powers of the Council shall be exercised by ordinance, resolution, order, or motion.

(C) No artificial limit. The Town Council has the power, in the name of the town, to do and perform all acts and things appropriate to a municipal corporation and the general welfare of its inhabitants, which are not specifically prohibited by the constitution, the town ordinance or state or federal laws.

(D) Majority rule. The Council acts as a body. Policy is established by majority vote. EXCEPT THAT A SUPER-MAJORITY (THREE QUARTERS) VOTE IS REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL BEFORE THE TOWN IS ALLOWED TO ENTER INTO A FINANCIAL LOAN REPAYMENT AGREEMENT WITH THE WATER INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCE AUTHORITY (WIFA), OR ANY OTHER SOURCE; TO CONSTRUCT, ACQUIRE, OR IMPROVE A WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY, A DRINKING WATER FACILITY, OR A NONPOINT SOURCE PROJECT. IN ALL OTHER MATTERS, a decision of the majority binds the Council to a course of action. The Council majority may be a majority of the quorum of the Council.

(E) No special powers. No Councilmember has extraordinary powers beyond those of other members (except as may otherwise be provided in state law). All members, including the Mayor, have equal powers.

(F) One office. No member of the Council is permitted to hold any other town office or town employment (except as may otherwise be provided in the town ordinance).

(G) Assumption of office. Immediately prior to assumption of the duties of office, each Councilmember shall sign the Council Code of Ethics and take and subscribe to the oath of office. The oath shall be given by the Town Magistrate or by the Town Clerk. Councilmembers of the town shall assume the duties of office at the first regular meeting of the Council in December next following the date of the primary or general election at which the Councilmembers were elected. Assumption of an elected office will result in the automatic resignation of all other town offices, elected or appointed.

(Ord. 09-49, passed 4-7-2009; Am. Ord. 13-97, passed 6-4-2013; Am. Ord. 14-106, passed 6-3-2014)