



TOWN OF DEWEY-HUMBOLDT
2023-2024 ELECTION
SIGNATURE REQUIREMENTS

Updated based off the
2022 Election Results

CANDIDATE PETITIONS

Pursuant to ARS §16-322, no less than **5%** and no more than **10%** of the total number of votes cast for Mayor in the last preceding election at which a Mayor was elected.

Office	Total Votes Cast	Minimum/Maximum Signatures Required
Mayor	1,123 (August 2022)	57 (5% Minimum) 113 (10% Maximum)
Councilmember	1,697 (November 2022)	85 (5% Minimum) 170 (10% Maximum)

INITIATIVE PETITIONS

Pursuant to AZ Constitution Art. 4, Part 1, Sec. 1 (8) and ARS §19-143, **15%** of the total number of ballots cast at the most recent Town-wide Election.

Proposition Type	Total Ballots Cast	Minimum Signatures Required
Initiative	1,697 (November 2022)	255

REFERENDUM PETITIONS

Pursuant to AZ Constitution Art. 4, Part 1, Sec. 1 (8), **10%** of the total number of ballots cast at the most recent Town-wide Election.

Proposition Type	Total Ballots Cast	Minimum Signatures Required
Referendum	1,697 (November 2022)	170

RECALL PETITIONS

Pursuant to AZ Constitution Art. VIII, Part 1, Sec. 1; the number of qualified electors equaling **25%** of the number of votes cast at the last preceding election for all candidates for the office held by such office. This calculation is based off a procedure established by a 1979 court case (all calculated candidate votes ÷ # of seats x 25%).

Office Subject to Recall	Total Votes Cast	Minimum Signatures Required
Mayor	1,123 (August 2022) (1 seat)	281
Councilmember	1,697 (November 2022) (1 seat)	425

RECALL CANDIDATE NOMINATION PETITIONS

FOR RECALL CANDIDATE – Pursuant to ARS §19-212, the number of qualified electors equaling at least **2%** of the total votes cast for all candidates for office within each district according to the last election for that office. The total votes cast for Council is divided by the number of seats first and then calculated by 2%.

Office Being Recalled	Total Votes Cast	Minimum Signatures Required
Mayor	1,123 (August 2022) (1 seat)	23
Councilmember	1,697 (November 2022) (1 seat)	34