

**A PETITION FOR A REFERENDUM
TO AMEND THE CITY CHARTER OF ST. PETE BEACH**

BALLOT TITLE:

CHARTER AMENDMENT TO REQUIRE VOTER APPROVAL OF COMPREHENSIVE LAND USE PLANS OR PLAN AMENDMENTS.

BALLOT SUMMARY:

The charter amendment requires voter approval of any comprehensive land use plan (“Plan”) or comprehensive land use plan amendment (“Plan Amendment”) (both defined in Florida Statutes Chapter 163) before the Plan or Plan Amendment can be adopted by the City Commission. Voter approval of such Plan or Plan Amendment is not required if such Plan or Plan amendment affects five or fewer parcels or is prohibited by Florida Statutes, including FS Section 163.3167.

The undersigned electors of the City of St. Pete Beach hereby request that the following proposed amendment to Article III of the City Charter of St. Pete Beach be submitted to the electors of the City of St. Pete Beach in accordance with Florida Statute Section 166.031 and the City Charter:

FULL TEXT OF PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT:

Section 3.15 Voter Approval Required For Approval of Comprehensive Land Use Plan or Comprehensive Land Use Plan Amendment.

“A comprehensive plan (“Plan”) or comprehensive plan amendment (“Plan Amendment”) (both as defined in Florida Statutes Chapter 163) shall not be adopted by the City Commission until such proposed Plan or Plan Amendment is approved by the electors in a referendum as provided by Florida Statute Section 166.031 or by the City Charter or as otherwise provided by law. Elector approval shall not be required for any Plan or Plan Amendment that affects five or fewer parcels of land or as otherwise prohibited by Florida Statutes including but not limited to Florida Statutes Section 163.3167. This amendment shall become effective immediately upon approval by a majority of the electors voting in such referendum.”

Print Name	Signature	Current Physical Address No PO Boxes	Date	Whit- ness Initials

