

**20A-7-505 Obtaining signatures -- Verification -- Removal of signature.**

- (1) Any Utah voter may sign a local initiative petition if the voter is a legal voter and resides in the local jurisdiction.
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  - (a) The sponsors shall ensure that the person in whose presence each signature sheet was signed:
    - (i) is at least 18 years old and meets the residency requirements of Section 20A-2-105; and
    - (ii) verifies each signature sheet by completing the verification printed on the last page of each initiative packet.
  - (b) A person may not sign the verification printed on the last page of the initiative packet if the person signed a signature sheet in the initiative packet.
- (3)
  - (a)
    - (i) Any voter who has signed an initiative petition may have the voter's signature removed from the petition by submitting a notarized statement to that effect to the local clerk.
    - (ii) In order for the signature to be removed, the statement must be received by the local clerk before he delivers the petition to the county clerk to be certified.
  - (b) Upon receipt of the statement, the local clerk shall remove the signature of the person submitting the statement from the initiative petition.
  - (c) No one may remove signatures from an initiative petition after the petition is submitted to the county clerk to be certified.

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