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RE: Let Lubbock Vote Turn in Petitions to the Office of Elections for Official Verification

LUBBOCK, TX— The Let Lubbock Vote specific purpose Political Action Committee turned in all the signed petitions to the Lubbock County Office of Elections today (Nov. 12) for final verification. This is the final step to get the issue of expanded alcohol sales on the ballot, so Lubbock County Citizens can exercise their constitutional right to vote.

“We’re excited to be turning in the petitions today for official verification,” said David George, Let Lubbock Vote Chairman. “This is a victorious day for Lubbock County citizens, who spoke loud and clear that they are ready to vote, and decide this issue of commerce.”

The petition effort, which kicked off on October 1 and was scheduled to end December 1, collected more than 18,747 signatures of registered Lubbock County voters in record time of just nine days. Texas Petition Strategies, a firm the PAC hired with a 100 percent success rate for meeting petition signing goals, reported this was the fastest they have ever completed a petition process.

The petitions will be officially verified by the Lubbock County Office of Elections, before the two issues of “the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only” and “the legal sale of mixed beverages in restaurants by food and beverage certificate holders only” will be placed on a ballot.

Let Lubbock Vote would like to thank all the citizens of Lubbock County who took part in this historic and successful petition drive.