

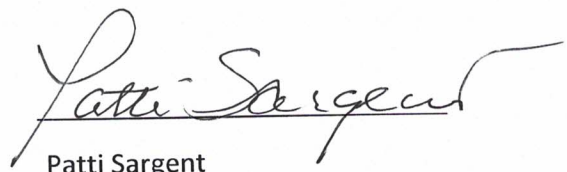
# WHITE RIVER TOWNSHIP

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### **CERTIFICATION OF INADEQUACY AND DEFICIENCY** **REGARDING REFERENDUM PETITIONS** **PURSUANT TO MCL 125.3402**

White River Township (the "Township") received various petitions for a zoning referendum election pursuant to MCL 125.3402 on May 31, 2023, June 2 and June 5, 2023. Altogether, 148 signatures on referendum petitions in total were filed with the Township on May 31, 2023, June 2 and 5, 2023. For the November 8, 2022 election, a total of 880 votes in total were cast for Michigan Governor within White River Township. Fifteen percent (15%) of 880 is 132, which is the minimum number of valid referendum petition signatures that is needed to be obtained in this matter pursuant to MCL 125.3402. Under my statutory authority and duties as the White River Township Clerk, I hereby certify that there are the valid signatures of only 124 electors of White River Township in total on the zoning referendum petitions that were filed with the Township on May 31 and June 2, 2023 (the signatures on the petitions filed with the Township on June 5, 2023 were late and therefore are invalid and do not count). Therefore, the 124 validated petition signatures fall short of the required number of 132 and the petitions are inadequate, such that the referendum attempt fails.

Dated: June 9, 2023



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