

SUPREME COURT, STATE OF COLORADO Two East 14th Avenue Denver, Co 80203

ORIGINAL PROCEEDING PURSUANT TO § 1-40-107(2), C.R.S. (2007)

IN THE MATTER OF THE TITLE, BALLOT TITLE AND SUBMISSION CLAUSE FOR 2007-2008, #95 ("Taxable Values and Taxes on Property")

Petitioner:

ROBERT M. MOODY, Objector,

v.

Respondents:

ERNEST L. DURAN, JR. and IRENE GOODELL Proponents,

and

Title Board:

WILLIAM A. HOBBS, SHARON EUBANKS and DANIEL DOMENICO

▲ FOR COURT USE ONLY ▲

Case No. 08SA177

Attorneys for Proponents:

Michael J. Belo, No. 8198

Eugene M. Sprague, No. 7680

BERENBAUM, WEINSHIENK & EASON, P.C.

Address:

370 17th Street, Suite 4800

Denver, Colorado 80202

Phone Number:

(303) 825-0800

FAX Number:

(303) 629-7610

E-mail: mbelo@bw-legal.com

esprague@bw-legal.com

UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR DISMISSAL OF PETITION

FILED IN THE SUPREME COURT

JUN 1 7 2008

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO SUSAN J. FESTAG, CLERK Respondents Ernest L. Duran, Jr., and Irene Goodell, as the Proponents of Proposed Initiative 2007-2008 #95 (hereinafter "Proponents"), by and through their counsel Berenbaum, Weinshienk & Eason, P.C., move for entry of an order dismissing the Petition. As grounds for this motion, Proponents state as follows:

- 1. On May 27, 2008, Petitioner filed his Petition for Review of Final Action of the Title Setting Board Concerning Proposed Initiative #95 (unofficially captioned by legislative staff for tracking purposes, "Taxable Values and Taxes on Property") ("Initiative #95").
- 2. On June 17, 2008, the Proponents withdrew Initiative #95. See letter to Mike Coffman, Colorado Secretary of State, dated June 17, 2008, attached as Exhibit 1.
- 3. Proponents' withdrawal of Initiative #95 moots the issues framed by the Petition.
- 4. Counsel for the Proponents conferred with counsel for the Petitioner and counsel for the Title Board about this motion. Neither counsel for the Petitioner nor counsel for the Title Board objects to the dismissal of the Petition.

WHEREFORE, Proponents move for entry of the Court's order dismissing the Petition.

DATED this 17th day of June 2008.

BERENBAUM, WEINSHIENK & EASON, P.C.

Michael J. Belo

Eugene M. Sprague

Attorneys for Proponents

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 17, 2008, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Unopposed Motion for Dismissal of Petition was served via hand delivery and first class U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, upon the following:

Jason R. Dunn, Esq.
BROWNSTEIN HYATT FARBER SCHRECK, LLP
410 17th Street, #2200
Denver, CO 80202
Phone: (303) 223-1100

Facsimile: (303) 223-0914 Attorneys for Petitioner

Maurice G. Knaizer
Deputy Attorney General
Public Officials
State Services Section
State of Colorado
1525 Sherman Street, 7th Floor
Denver, CO 80203

Phone: (303) 866-5380 Attorneys for Title Board

Patricia B. Allison

Legal Assistant to Michael J. Belo, Esq.

Michael J. Belo Direct Dial; 303/592-8313 E-Mail: mbelo@bw-legal.com

www.bwclaw.com

Berenbaum, Weinshienk & Eason P. C. Attorneys at Law

370 Seventeenth Street Republic Plaza, Suite 4800 Denver, Colorado 80202-5698 Telephone: 303/825-0800 Facsimile: 303/629-7610

June 17, 2008

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mike Coffman Colorado Secretary of State 1700 Broadway, Suite 270 Denver, CO 80290

Re: Proposed Initiative 2007-2008 #95 ("Taxable Values and Taxes of Property")

Dear Mr. Coffman:

On behalf of the Proponents, Ernest L. Duran, Jr., and Irene Goodell, we are writing to inform you that the Proponents hereby withdraw proposed Initiative 2007-2008 #95 ("Taxable Values and Taxes of Property").

Sincerely,

BERENBAUM, WEINSHIENK, & EASON, P.C.

Michael J. Belo

cc:

Ernest J. Duran, Jr.
Irene Goodell
Jason R. Dunn, Esq.
Counsel for Objector, Robert M. Moody
Maurice G. Knaizer, Deputy Attorney General
Counsel for the Title Board

MOTION TO
DISMISS
EXHIBIT 1
Case 08SA177
Colo. Supreme Court