

Nebraska Secretary of State

Paid Sick Leave Initiative Petition Official Results

Total # of Registered Voters (July 3, 2024): **1,235,692**
 Total # of Signatures Needed (7%)¹: **86,499**
 110% of Signatures Needed²: **95,149**
 Total # of Accepted Verified Signatures: **97,557** ✓

County	# of Accepted Verified Signatures	Registered Voters	5% of the Registered Voters	Made 5%?
Adams	457	19,106	956	-
Antelope	313	4,345	218	Yes
Arthur	-	331	17	-
Banner	-	526	27	-
Blaine	26	360	18	Yes
Boone	295	3,642	183	Yes
Box Butte	36	6,827	342	-
Boyd	100	1,273	64	Yes
Brown	15	2,044	103	-
Buffalo	373	30,856	1,543	-
Burt	363	4,835	242	Yes
Butler	400	5,645	283	Yes
Cass	1,550	19,260	963	Yes
Cedar	50	5,681	285	-
Chase	5	2,388	120	-
Cherry	11	3,674	184	-
Cheyenne	16	6,284	315	-
Clay	304	4,114	206	Yes
Colfax	423	5,017	251	Yes
Cuming	442	5,751	288	Yes
Custer	70	7,753	388	-
Dakota	111	10,274	514	-
Dawes	18	4,988	250	-
Dawson	135	12,948	648	-
Deuel	6	1,383	70	-
Dixon	269	3,593	180	Yes
Dodge	1,290	22,109	1,106	Yes
Douglas	44,453	358,046	17,903	Yes
Dundy	3	1,220	61	-
Fillmore	273	3,945	198	Yes
Franklin	149	2,067	104	Yes
Frontier	12	1,824	92	-
Furnas	17	3,344	168	-
Gage	1,035	14,411	721	Yes
Garden	4	1,326	67	-
Garfield	93	1,285	65	Yes

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Gosper	7	1,403	71	-
Grant	37	433	22	Yes
Greeley	113	1,578	79	Yes
Hall	700	32,926	1,647	-
Hamilton	102	6,840	342	-
Harlan	11	2,338	117	-
Hayes	-	631	32	-
Hitchcock	2	1,861	94	-
Holt	51	6,989	350	-
Hooker	48	538	27	Yes
Howard	75	4,589	230	-
Jefferson	345	4,741	238	Yes
Johnson	231	2,799	140	Yes
Kearney	29	4,551	228	-
Keith	30	5,635	282	-
Keya Paha	42	622	32	Yes
Kimball	4	2,582	130	-
Knox	404	5,463	274	Yes
Lancaster	20,758	202,318	10,116	Yes
Lincoln	249	23,311	1,166	-
Logan	2	545	28	-
Loup	34	517	26	Yes
Madison	318	21,961	1,099	-
McPherson	-	336	17	-
Merrick	57	5,188	260	-
Morrill	2	2,927	147	-
Nance	176	2,351	118	Yes
Nemaha	297	4,393	220	Yes
Nuckolls	18	3,098	155	-
Otoe	887	10,727	537	Yes
Pawnee	132	1,764	89	Yes
Perkins	6	1,838	92	-
Phelps	38	6,169	309	-
Pierce	58	4,922	247	-
Platte	346	20,473	1,024	-
Polk	258	3,587	180	Yes
Red Willow	72	6,991	350	-
Richardson	359	5,141	258	Yes
Rock	2	1,064	54	-
Saline	463	7,838	392	Yes
Sarpy	11,804	125,662	6,284	Yes
Saunders	1,242	16,325	817	Yes
Scotts Bluff	82	22,679	1,134	-
Seward	815	11,362	569	Yes

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Sheridan	9	3,331	167	-
Sherman	148	2,069	104	Yes
Sioux	3	847	43	-
Stanton	269	3,699	185	Yes
Thayer	244	3,520	176	Yes
Thomas	39	496	25	Yes
Thurston	283	3,776	189	Yes
Valley	219	2,969	149	Yes
Washington	1,267	15,226	762	Yes
Wayne	373	5,153	258	Yes
Webster	170	2,276	114	Yes
Wheeler	38	581	30	Yes
York	672	9,268	464	Yes
Total	97,557	1,235,692		47

1. The Nebraska State Constitution Article III Section 2 reserves the power for the people to enact laws and constitutional amendments adopted by the people independently of the Legislature using the petition process. If the petition is for the enactment of a law, it shall be signed by 7% of the registered voters of the state. Registered voters signing such petition shall be so distributed as to include 5% of the registered voters of each of two-fifths of the counties (38 out of 93) of the state.

2. Nebraska Revised Statute §32-1409 allows for the Secretary of State to instruct election commissioners and county clerks to stop verifying signatures if the Secretary of State receives reports from a sufficient number of the counties that an excess of 110% of signatures necessary to place the issue on the ballot have been verified. The results above are not reflective of all signatures submitted.