

(GENERAL)

COMPTROLLER FILE NUMBER 270575

PROTEST
OF

FRIENDS OF THE MARKET, INC., RE THE PRO-
POSED BALLOT TITLE FOR THEIR INITIATIVE
PETITION RE PRESERVATION OF THE PIKE
PLACE MARKET.

8-16-71 File

FILED AUGUST 9, 1971

C. G. ERLANDSON
COMPTROLLER AND CITY CLERK

BY *D. F. Fenton* DEPUTY

ACTION OF THE COUNCIL

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Mr. President:

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would respectfully report that we have considered the same and respectfully recommend that.....

the same be placed on file.

(C.B. 91805)

CHAIRMAN

Phyllis Lamphere
CHAIRMAN

August 5, 1971

Seattle City Council
Municipal Building
Seattle, Washington 98104

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Friends of the Market wish to express their opposition to the proposed ballot statement concerning the Market initiative as submitted to you by Corporation Counsel. We believe that the statement is unfair and incomplete, in that it states the proposition in a wholly negative manner.

We ask, at this point, only that our proposal be accurately and completely submitted to the voters. We do not believe that the ballot title should be used to slant or distort the basic issue.

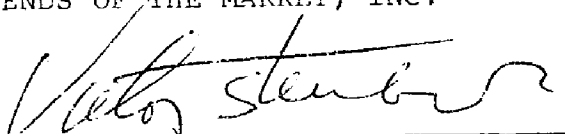
We therefore respectfully request that the City Council delete the proposed language and substitute the precise language used on the petitions, as signed by more than 25,000 voters, as follows:

"Shall the initiative measure to preserve, improve, and restore the Pike Place Markets, creating The Pike Place Market Historical District, prohibiting alteration, demolition, construction, reconstruction, restoration, remodeling or modification of structures therein without a certificate of approval, and establishing an Historical Preservation Commission, be enacted as an Ordinance of the City of Seattle. "

Very truly yours,

FRIENDS OF THE MARKET, INC.

By


Victor A. Steinbrueck, President

P.S. Let's be fair.