March 5th
- St. Louis City Aldermanic Elections

March 6th - April 2nd
- Meet with the alder-person elect
- Send example petition to lawyer

April 2nd – Next Stakeholders Meeting
- Decision needed re: revenue structure, board makeup, budget categories

April 3rd
- Turn example petition and Decisions over to lawyer

ONCE PETITION IS WRITTEN BY LAWYER – COLLECT SIGNATURES FOR PETITION

April 16th
- First Board of Aldermen meeting of 2019-2020 legislative session
  - The board president is the person who sets the legislative calendar/sessions.
    - Because there is an election regarding who will be board president the calendar has not been set for 2019-2020.

April 16th (or the completion of the petition) - July 4th
Timeline – Process of the Petition

Petition submitted to the Board of Aldermen Clerk:
  Clerk has 90 days to notify receipt and verification of the petition meeting the requirements of the governing body. (this can happen – and usually does – a lot faster than the 90 days).

Standard practice is for:
1. The ordinance (the petition) to be introduced at a full board of aldermen meeting
   a. The ordinance will be assigned to a committee
2. This committee meeting will typically serve as the public hearing.
   a. If approved by the committee it will be sent back to the full board before being sent to the mayor.

July 4th
- This process must be complete before the July 4th Aldermanic recess if funds wish to be received at the END OF 2019. If NOT then NO FUNDS will be available until December 2020 or January 2021.

Things to note:
- Public hearing must be held within 45 days of receipt of verification
- Notice must be published once a week for two weeks immediately prior to the week of the public hearing.
- Notice must be mailed to property owners 15 days prior to the public hearing.
- The earliest the public meeting can be after receipt of verification is 15 days later.
- And the latest date the meeting can be held is 45 days after receipt of verification.