

# Instructions for gathering signatures

Focus on gathering signatures in public places on campus. Do ask your friends to sign, but don't stop there. You can talk to more strangers in an hour than friends.

Especially good places are where people are waiting (such as at shuttle stops) or eating. Remember to **bring a pen** (preferable to pencil).

When asking someone to sign, try to follow these steps in order:

1. **Hand them the clipboard and pen** immediately before you begin speaking.
2. Ask: **“Are you a UCSD undergraduate student?”** (If they're not, apologize and take the clipboard back.)
3. Ask if they will sign a **petition supporting free speech**.
4. If they ask for more detail, say:

“The university is trying to  **censor student media** and **ban certain individuals** and groups.”

**“This petition is just to get the issue on a ballot for a student vote.”**

**Never argue** with anyone, even if they try to argue with you. Smile and be friendly.

Remember the 20 second rule: if a person doesn't agree to sign within 20 seconds, move on to someone else!

Do not alter signatures. If the signer must alter or move the signature, he or she must initial the change.

## Collecting the signature sheets

Make sure your signature sheets get collected. Bring them:

Wednesday, November 9, 6:00 PM

Price Center Foyer (near the ballrooms)

Also, keep collecting signatures and bring them the following week; same time, same place:

Wednesday, November 16, 6:00 PM

Price Center Foyer (near the ballrooms)

This petition supporting free speech in student media is intended to override the ASUCSD Council's decisions: (1) to insert the following words in the charter of Student-Run Television: "Graphical depictions of sexual activity involving nudity are not permitted at any time," and "This Charter will expire no later than March 8, 2006," and (2) the order that Steve York and Koala TV "are barred from utilizing in any way or entering the premises of SRTV" and that their productions "are strictly forbidden to be aired on SRTV." To override these decisions, a Special Election may need to be called.

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