

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**Petition presented under schedule B to by-law 05-056 concerning the Montréal charter of rights and responsibilities and the right of initiative**

**PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON THE FUTURE VOCATION OF SAINTE-BIBIANE CHURCH**

**Beginning of the petition signing period (90 days)**

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Notice is given that:

A draft petition was filed May 6, 2024 under the right of initiative as provided in by-law 05-056 concerning the Montréal charter of rights and responsibilities and the right of initiative (hereinafter “By-law 05-056”) for the purpose of requesting a public consultation with regard to the object described as follows:

***“Les citoyens du secteur avoisinant l’Église Ste-Bibiane désirent se prévaloir de leur droit d’initiative en exigeant une consultation publique quant à la vocation future de celle-ci.”***

[Translation: Citizens of the area surrounding Sainte-Bibiane Church wish to prevail of their right of initiative by demanding a public consultation regarding its future vocation.]

This draft petition having been deemed eligible, confirmation of its eligibility was sent June 5, 2024 to the representatives of the group filing the petition. A copy of this reply was filed at the executive committee on July 8, 2024.

In accordance with article 10 of schedule B to By-law 05-056, the petition signing period is announced below:

**Beginning and duration of the petition signing period:**

By-law 05-056 provides that the petition signing period is of 90 days starting on the day of publication of this notice. **The petition signing period thus begins July 19, 2024 and ends October 16, 2024.**

**Persons able to sign the petition:**

Any individual 15 years of age or older living on city (Ville de Montréal) territory is a person able to sign the petition.

Any person who signs the petition must solemnly declare that they meet the above criteria.

**Conformity conditions for the petition:**

For conformity purposes, the petition must:

- be signed by at least 15,000 persons able to sign the petition;
- be submitted using the online petition tool provided by the city for the purposes of the exercise of the right of initiative, in accordance with the specifications therein. No other type of petition is admissible.

**Moreover, all signatures must be obtained during the petition signing period provided in this notice.**

**Effect of the filing of a conforming petition:**

The filing of a conforming petition results in the obligation to hold a public consultation on the object described above.

**Petition signature:**

Persons who wish to obtain more information on the petition may contact the person designated by the group: **André Gatién**

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**[Click here to access the e-petition](#)**

For additional information on the exercise of the right of initiative:  
[montreal.ca](http://montreal.ca)

Montréal, July 19, 2024

Emmanuel Tani-Moore  
City Clerk