



— Tim Eyman Tries to Win Governor by Pretending to Recall Durkan —
Read the in-depth story by Melissa Santos at CrossCut

Using a pieced together petition—including the misspelled names of the Recall Durkan Petitioners—Tim Eyman tried to win over voters by lying to them.

On July 23rd, gubernatorial candidate Tim Eyman gave a 30-minute press conference in Seattle announcing his recall petition of Jenny Durkan, attempting to prove to voters that he can accomplish things even while a candidate. In actuality, Eyman created a fraudulent petition with the names of the true petitioners from the Committee to Recall Jenny Durkan, a petition he then printed and collected signatures on.

On multiple occasions, Eyman gave interviews claiming to have created the campaign to Recall Durkan. His announcements and petition remain online over a month after the Recall Durkan Campaign served a cease and desist letter on August 4th.

What you need to know:

- Eyman's petition is fake, the signatures don't count. If you signed Eyman's petition, don't worry, you can still sign the real one when it's ready.
- There's only one Durkan recall petition that has been filed with King County Elections and approved by the court, so there's only one true petition to Recall Durkan.
- This real recall petition is in the WA Supreme Court waiting to be approved so no one can sign it yet, we expect it in early October.

Recall Durkan is a grassroots campaign promoting justice and accountability during a moment in American history where both principles are vital. For more information, to donate, or to volunteer, please visit recalldurkan.org.