

1 question of calling a Constitutional Convention be placed
2 on the ballot so that the people can determine whether or
3 not they want to call one. Then a convention would
4 have to recommend any changes in the constitution to
5 the people and it would come before the people at an election
6 for their ratification.

7 "By petition therefor" does not mean by any
8 stretch of the imagination there would be any changes
9 in our basic law. However, I think the people by the
10 initiative procedure should have the right to call a
11 Constitutional Convention. If they had that right,
12 surely we would have had a convention long before now.

13 The General Assembly, because I have not other-
14 wise spelled it out, would have the right to prescribe the
15 form of the petition, period of time for its circulation
16 among the voters, and all other specifics with relation
17 thereto.

18 I should also state that I feel it should be
19 placed on the ballot at least 60 days after the petition
20 is filed with the Office of the Governor, although I have
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