Table 4. A summary of RNAi knockdown of the top 20 gene candidates in worms expressing Q82::GFP + TOR-2 in body wall muscle cells

| C. elegans gene ID of targeted | Average number <u>+</u> SD of |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| gene | aggregates per worm*† |
| None (Q82::GFP + TOR-2) | 35.3 ± 5.5 |
| B0432.2 (djr-1.1) | 38.6 <u>+</u> 6.1 |
| T05C3.5 (dnj-19) | 34.5 <u>+</u> 5.5 |
| C35D10.2 | 35.8 <u>+</u> 6.7 |
| C54H2.5 (sft-4) | 35.7 <u>+</u> 4.9 |
| EEED8.9 (pink-1) | 37.3 <u>+</u> 7.6 |
| F11H8.1 (<i>rfl-1</i>) | 35.9 <u>+</u> 7.4 |
| F16A11.2 | 39.2 <u>+</u> 7.2 |
| F26E4.11 (hrdl-1) | 38.1 <u>+</u> 5.3 |
| F32A6.3 (vps-41) | 37.8 ± 7.0 |
| F48E3.7 (acr-22) | 36.4 ± 8.7 |
| F55A4.1 | 35.6 ± 6.2 |
| F57B10.5 | 36.2 <u>+</u> 6.2 |
| F59F4.1 | 36.2 ± 5.8 |
| K11G12.4 (smf-1) | 37.4 ± 4.2 |
| M7.5 (atgr-7) | 38.5 ± 5.2 |
| R05D11.6 | 36.4 ± 6.6 |
| T07F12.4 | 36.1 ± 5.7 |
| T08D2.4 | 37.9 ± 4.4 |
| T13A10.2 | 36.1 ± 6.0 |
| Y37A1B.13 (tor-2) | $52.0 \pm 9.9 (P < 0.01)^{\dagger}$ |

^{*}Two separate RNAi experiments were performed for each gene target (n = 20 for each RNAi round).

[†]Knockdown of *tor-2* resulted in a significant increase in aggregate number, whereas the depletion of other gene products did not enhance aggregation.