

Minnesota

Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board Meeting

Wednesday, September 7, 2022

9:30 A.M.

Blazing Star Room
Centennial Office Building

REGULAR SESSION AGENDA

1. **Approval of minutes**
 - A. August 15, 2022
2. **Chair's report**
 - A. 2022 Meeting Schedule
3. **Executive director report**
 - A. Public Subsidy Payments
4. **Enforcement report**
5. **Prima facie determination**
6. **Legal report**
7. **Other business**

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Immediately following regular session

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
CAMPAIGN FINANCE AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE BOARD**

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**August 15, 2022
Blazing Star Room
Centennial Office Building**
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MINUTES

The meeting was called to order by Chair Rashid.

Members present: Asp, Flynn, Leppik, Rashid, Soule, Swanson

Others present: Sigurdson, Hager, Olson, staff; Hartshorn, counsel (by Webex)

MINUTES (July 6, 2022)

The following motion was made:

Member Flynn's motion: To approve the July 6, 2022, minutes as drafted.

Vote on motion: Unanimously passed.

CHAIR'S REPORT

2022 meeting schedule

Going forward, the Board's regular meeting time will change to 9:30 a.m. The next Board meeting is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, September 7, 2022.

REQUESTS TO ACCEPT LATE AFFIDAVIT OF CONTRIBUTIONS OR PUBLIC SUBSIDY AGREEMENT

Mr. Sigurdson presented members with a memorandum that is attached to and made a part of these minutes. Mr. Sigurdson explained that in order for candidates to receive a public subsidy payment, they must sign a public subsidy agreement and file an affidavit of contributions by the statutory deadline, as well as win any primary election. Mr. Sigurdson stated that the deadline to file a public subsidy agreement was July 19, 2022, and the deadline to file an affidavit of contributions was July 25, 2022. Mr. Sigurdson reviewed the efforts taken by Board staff to advise candidate committees of those deadlines. Mr. Sigurdson explained that in 2018 and 2020 the Board accepted affidavits of contributions that were filed after the statutory deadline due to an incorrect cross-reference within the statute that establishes the deadline for filing an affidavit of contributions. Mr. Sigurdson stated that the incorrect cross-reference was corrected in 2021.

Mr. Sigurdson explained that two candidates who filed an affidavit of contributions after the statutory deadline, Huldah Hiltley and Shaun Laden, lost their primary election, so their requests are somewhat moot. Mr. Sigurdson stated that Brendan Van Alstyne is asking the Board to accept a late-filed public subsidy agreement and that Bradley Brown is asking the Board to accept a late-filed affidavit of contributions.

Mr. Hartshorn stated that he views the deadlines as mandatory and does not feel that it is within the Board's discretion to waive the deadlines. Chair Rashid stated that he agrees with that analysis.

Member Flynn asked whether Mr. Van Alstyne's email sent to an incorrect email address on June 24, 2022, resulted in a bounceback email informing him that his email was not successfully delivered. Mr. Sigurdson explained that such emails typically result in a bounceback email, but bounceback emails are often delivered to a user's spam folder, so the user may never realize that the original email was not delivered.

Mr. Soule stated that he believes that the Board has no discretion regarding the deadline for filing a public subsidy agreement.

No motion was made to grant any of the requests before the Board.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Sigurdson presented members with a memorandum that is attached to and made a part of these minutes.

Ratification of Budget for Fiscal Year 2023

Mr. Sigurdson stated that the Board is required to approve a budget for each fiscal year. Mr. Sigurdson noted that 88% of the budget goes to fixed costs involving staff and rent. Mr. Sigurdson stated that the FY2023 budget represents a 2% increase over the FY2022 budget and includes approximately \$47,000 in funds carried over from FY2022 as a result of cost savings while a staff position temporarily remained vacant.

The following motion was made:

Member Soule's motion: To ratify the proposed budget for fiscal year 2023.

Vote on motion: Unanimously passed.

Political Contribution Refunds in 2021

Mr. Sigurdson stated that in August of every year the Department of Revenue (DOR) provides a list of the political contribution refunds that have been issued for contributions made to political party units and to the principal campaign committees of candidates who have signed a public subsidy agreement. Mr. Sigurdson said that for the 2021 calendar year, DOR issued 31,666 refunds with a total value of approximately \$2.2 million. Mr. Sigurdson explained that approximately \$619,000 of the amount refunded was for contributions to candidates and approximately \$1,578,000 of the amount refunded was for contributions to party units. Mr. Sigurdson said that party units typically issue more political contribution refund receipts than candidates during non-election years. Mr. Sigurdson explained that 9% of contributions to RPM candidates resulted in a refund while 4% of contributions to DFL candidates resulted in a refund. Mr. Sigurdson noted that over the past two years, contributions to DFL party units have resulted in more refunds than contributions to RPM party units, whereas historically contributors to RPM party units have received more refunds than contributors to DFL party units.

Member Soule asked what drives the total amount of refunds issued. Mr. Sigurdson said that aside from the number of candidates who sign a public subsidy agreement, which is necessary in order for candidate committees to issue political contribution refund receipts, the level of refunds issued is dependent upon the number of individuals who make contributions. Mr. Sigurdson said that the proportion of contributions received by party units from individuals, as opposed to contributions from political committees or funds, has decreased. Mr. Sigurdson also stated that the proportion of contributions from individuals that consist of very large contributions has increased, which reduces the total amount of refunds issued because an individual is only eligible to receive a refund of up to \$50 per calendar year.

ENFORCEMENT REPORT

A. Consent Items

1. Administrative termination of lobbyists Kelby Grovender (4183) and Warren Duncan (2428)

Mr. Olson stated that Marcus Schmit, executive director of Hearth Connection, has requested the administrative termination of Kelby Grovender and Warren Duncan as lobbyists for that principal. Mr. Olson said that Mr. Grovender ceased being employed by the principal on December 1, 2021, and Mr. Duncan ceased being employed by the principal on October 20, 2021. Mr. Olson explained that the principal attempted to contact Mr. Grovender, who reported Mr. Duncan's disbursements, but did not receive any response. Mr. Olson said that Board staff terminated Mr. Grovender's lobbyist registration as of December 1, 2021, and terminated Mr. Duncan's lobbyist registration as of October 20, 2021. Mr. Olson explained that if the request to make the terminations retroactive is approved, there will be no outstanding disbursement reports. Mr. Olson also said that the written request from the principal states that Mr. Grovender separated from employment in 2020 rather than 2021, but Board staff has confirmed that that is a typographical error.

2. Administrative termination of lobbyists Mysti Babineau (4410), Kate Jacobson (4678), and Victoria Yarwood (5133)

Mr. Olson stated that Tee McClenty, executive director of MN350 Action, has requested the administrative termination of Mysti Babineau, Kate Jacobson, and Victoria Yarwood as lobbyists for that principal. Mr. Olson said that Ms. Babineau ceased representing the principal after July 9, 2021, Ms. Jacobson ceased representing the principal after August 13, 2021, and Ms. Yarwood ceased representing the principal on April 30, 2022. Mr. Olson explained that Board staff terminated Ms. Babineau’s and Ms. Jacobson’s lobbyist registration as of the dates listed above. Mr. Olson noted that the written request states that Ms. Yarwood was not a lobbyist; however, Ms. Yarwood registered as a lobbyist and filed a lobbyist disbursement report covering the reporting period that ended on December 31, 2021, disclosing over \$1,300 in disbursements. Mr. Olson stated that Ms. Yarwood registered as the principal’s designated lobbyist so she was responsible for reporting the principal’s direct lobbying disbursements in addition to her own disbursements. Mr. Olson explained that because Ms. Yarwood did not file a report covering the subsequent reporting period and the principal has stated that she was not acting as a lobbyist, Board staff terminated Ms. Yarwood’s lobbyist registration as of December 31, 2021. Mr. Olson said that if the request to make each termination retroactive is approved, there will be no outstanding disbursement reports.

The following motion was made:

Member Swanson’s motion: To approve consent items 1 and 2.

Vote on motion: Unanimously passed.

B. Waiver Requests

Entity	Late Fee/ Civil Penalty	Report Due	Factors and Recommended Action	Board Member's Motion	Motion	Vote on Motion
1. 23rd Senate District DFL (Old) (20894)	\$350 LFF	2022 Pre-Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/3/2022. Treasurer thought he had faxed the report, which was dated 7/19/2022, prior to the due date and faxed it promptly when contacted by Board staff. The report is a termination report. The party unit has not had any financial activity since 2018 aside from transferring its balance of \$34 to a different party unit in 2022. RECOMMENDED ACTION: Waive	Soule	Approve the staff recommendation	Unanimously passed.

<p>2. MAIDA (Minnesota Asian-Indian Democratic Association) (40713)</p>	<p>\$350 LFF</p>	<p>2022 Pre-Primary</p>	<p>Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/3/2022. Treasurer attempted to email the report to the Board's assistant executive director 7/23/2022 but mistyped the email address and did not realize it was not received until after the due date. The report was a no-change statement listing a cash balance of \$1,124 as of 7/18/2022. RECOMMENDED ACTION: Waive</p>	<p>Soule</p>	<p>Approve the staff recommendation</p>	<p>Unanimously passed.</p>
<p>3. Minnesota Soybean PAC (70022)</p>	<p>\$350 LFF</p>	<p>2022 Pre-Primary</p>	<p>Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/3/2022. Committee had computer hardware and software issues that prevented the report from being filed on time. Committee does not appear to have filed any other reports late going back to at least 2009. The report listed a cash balance of \$16,721 as of 7/18/2022. RECOMMENDED ACTION: Waive</p>	<p>Soule</p>	<p>Approve the staff recommendation</p>	<p>Unanimously passed.</p>
<p>4. Ashley Klingbeil (Senate candidate)</p>	<p>\$65 LFF</p>	<p>2022 Candidate EIS</p>	<p>Candidate EIS due 6/14/2022 was filed 7/19/2022. Candidate believed that all of her filings with the Board were due on 7/25/2022, the due date of the pre-primary report. She did not receive a letter stating the EIS was late until the day before it was filed because she was residing at a different location to attend to the needs of her injured partner. RECOMMENDED ACTION: Waive</p>	<p>Soule</p>	<p>Approve the staff recommendation</p>	<p>Unanimously passed.</p>
<p>5. Ned Carroll (House candidate)</p>	<p>\$30 LFF</p>	<p>2022 Candidate EIS</p>	<p>Candidate EIS due 5/31/2022 was filed 6/23/2022. Candidate believed he did not need to file an EIS after filing an affidavit of candidacy as a legislative candidate because he filed an annual EIS with the City of Plymouth earlier this year as a current member of its city council. RECOMMENDED ACTION: Waive</p>	<p>Soule</p>	<p>Approve the staff recommendation</p>	<p>Unanimously passed.</p>

<p>6. Eichorn (Justin) for MN Senate Campaign Committee (18077)</p>	<p>\$100 LFF</p>	<p>2022 Pre-Primary</p>	<p>Report due 7/25/2022 was filed two days late. Treasurer did not understand how to initialize the 2022 calendar year within the CFR software and didn't get in contact with Board staff until the due date or the day after the report was due. The report listed a cash balance of \$32,380 as of 7/18/2022. RECOMMENDED ACTION: No recommendation</p>	<p>1. Swanson; 2. Asp</p>	<p>1. Grant waiver for requests 6 & 7; 2. Grant waiver for request 6</p>	<p>1. Asp & Swanson voted in the affirmative; 2. Asp, Soule, & Swanson voted in the affirmative. Neither motion passed.</p>
<p>7. Laura Pride (House candidate)</p>	<p>\$100 LFF</p>	<p>2022 Candidate EIS</p>	<p>Candidate EIS due 6/14/2022 was filed 7/29/2022. Candidate believed she did not need to file anything with the Board because she did not reach the monetary threshold for registration of a principal campaign committee. Candidate said she hasn't been opening her mail and didn't answer calls from Board staff because she didn't recognize the phone number. Board staff initially did not have the candidate's email address because none was listed on her affidavit of candidacy. RECOMMENDED ACTION: No recommendation</p>	<p>1. Swanson; 2. Swanson</p>	<p>1. Grant waiver for requests 6 & 7; 2. Reduce to \$50 for request 7</p>	<p>1. Asp & Swanson voted in the affirmative; 2. Asp, Rashid, & Swanson voted in the affirmative. Neither motion passed.</p>

C. Informational Items

1. Payment of civil penalty for prohibited contribution during legislative session

Tim Walz for Governor, \$115
 Hubert (Buck) Humphrey IV, \$60
 Mark Oyaas, \$55

2. Payment of civil penalty for disclaimer violation

Dr. Scott Jensen for Governor, \$250

3. Payment of late filing fee for 2022 pre-primary report of receipts and expenditures

COLL PAC, \$100
 Arik Forsman for House District 8B Committee, \$50

4. Payment of late filing fee for original EIS

James McCaskel, \$95
Miki Frost, \$95
John Schonebaum, \$90
Lorraine Englund, \$55
Elise Diesslin, \$25

5. Payment of late filing fee for 2019 Annual EIS

Abdiaziz Kadir, \$5

6. Forwarded anonymous contributions

Rice County RPM, \$125
Keith Ellison for Attorney General, \$50
Mort (Erik Mortensen) for House, \$50

LEGAL COUNSEL'S REPORT

Mr. Hartshorn presented members with a legal report that is attached to and made a part of these minutes. Mr. Hartshorn told members that the Board's default judgment motion had been granted in the Rhoades matter. Mr. Hartshorn stated that Ms. Martinez-Perez had been served with a summons and complaint and a motion for default judgment had been filed in the Shim matter.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Chair Rashid recessed the regular session of the meeting and called to order the executive session. Upon recess of the executive session, Chair Rashid reported that the Board had approved the final audit report for the 2022 Audit of Eligibility for Public Subsidy Payments. There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned by the chair.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Sigurdson
Executive Director

Attachments:

Requests to accept public subsidy agreement and affidavits of contributions after the filing deadline
Executive Director's Report
Legal report



MINNESOTA

CAMPAIGN FINANCE BOARD

Board Meeting Dates for Calendar Year 2022

Meetings are at **9:30 A.M.** unless otherwise noted.

2022

Wednesday, October 5

Wednesday, November 2

Wednesday, December 7



MINNESOTA CAMPAIGN FINANCE BOARD

Date: August 31, 2022

To: Board Members

From: Jeff Sigurdson, Executive Director

Telephone: 651-539-1189

Re: Executive Director's Report

Campaign Finance Reports: Staff is preparing to send the notice of the need to file the 4th Report of Receipts and Expenditures to 12 principal campaign committees for statewide office, 450 political committees and funds, and the 10 political party state central committees and legislative caucuses. The reports are due on September 27, and cover financial activity that occurred by September 20, 2022. Candidates for the legislature do not file this report.

Public Subsidy Payments: On August 18, 2022, the Board issued \$2,334,631 in public subsidy payments to 316 qualified candidates for constitutional office, the state senate, and the house of representatives. To qualify for a public subsidy payment the candidate must register a principal campaign committee, sign the public subsidy agreement, be opposed at either the primary or general election, win the primary election if opposed, raise a specified amount of contributions from eligible Minnesota voters, and file an affidavit of contributions stating that the candidate has raised the required amount.

The money used for the public subsidy payments comes from an appropriation of \$1,020,000 which is divided evenly among major party candidates for an office regardless of party affiliation, and from the \$5 political party check-off on the state income and property tax forms. The political party check-off money is allocated based on a formula that considers the number of taxpayers within a legislative district that select a particular party, and the preceding state general election results for the district. This results in a broad range of amounts for the political party payments depending on the relative strength of the political party in the district. For example, total public subsidy payments issued to house candidates ranged from \$2,289 to the Republican candidate in District 1A, to a high of \$7,466 issued to the DFL candidate in District 64A. For senate candidates the range was from \$4,181 paid to the Republican candidate in District 62, to a high of \$14,719 paid to the DFL candidate in District 64. The average payment to house candidates was \$3,515, the average payment to senate candidates was \$6,938. A report of public subsidy payments by office, district, and party is attached to this report.

Attachments

2022 Post Primary Public Subsidy Payments



MINNESOTA CAMPAIGN FINANCE BOARD

CAMPAIGN FINANCE AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE BOARD MAKES DISTRIBUTION OF 2022 PUBLIC SUBSIDY PAYMENTS

The Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board distributed **\$2,334,631** in public subsidy payments to 316 candidates who are running for Constitutional Office, the State Senate, or the House of Representatives at the 2022 state general election. A list of qualifying candidates and payments is attached.

Of the 431 candidates who filed for constitutional or legislative office, 384 (89%) signed the voluntary agreement to abide by spending limits and to comply with other conditions of the agreement required under Minnesota Statutes Chapter 10A.

To qualify for a public subsidy payment a candidate must:

- be opposed at either the primary or general election,
- appear on the general election ballot (win the primary election if opposed),
- sign and timely file a public subsidy agreement with the Board to abide by applicable campaign expenditure limits,
- and sign and timely file an affidavit of contributions stating that the candidate accumulated a specified amount in contributions from individuals eligible to vote in Minnesota.

Funds for the public subsidy payment are derived from an appropriation from the state general fund that is based on the check-off included on the state income and property tax forms and an additional \$1,020,000 biennial appropriation from the state general fund. By party, the total post-primary public subsidy payments were:

	DFL	RPM	LMP
Governor	-0-	\$583,579	-0-
Attorney General	\$146,661	-0-	-0-
State Auditor	\$55,770	-0-	\$28,952
Secretary of State	-0-	\$66,694	-0-
State Senate	\$460,684	\$267,867	-0-
House of Representatives	\$440,758	\$283,665	-0-
Total	\$1,103,873	\$1,201,805	\$28,952

DFL = Democratic Farmer Labor Party

RPM = Republican Party of Minnesota

LMP = Legal Marijuana Now Party

Note: No other major or minor party candidates qualified for a public subsidy payment in 2022.

2022 Post Primary Public Subsidy Payments

Office	Party	Name	Party Account Payment	General Account Payment	Total Payment
Governor					
	RPM	Scott Jensen	\$92,951.75	\$490,627.78	\$583,579.53
Attorney General					
	DFL	Keith Ellison	\$48,536.00	\$98,125.47	\$146,661.47
Secretary of State					
	RPM	Kim Crockett	\$10,623.05	\$56,071.70	\$66,694.75
State Auditor					
	DFL	Julie Blaha	\$27,734.86	\$28,035.85	\$55,770.71
	LMP	Tim Davis	\$916.40	\$28,035.85	\$28,952.25
1					
	RPM	Mark Timothy Johnson	\$707.49	\$3,797.04	\$4,504.53
1A					
	DFL	James Sceville	\$435.08	\$1,958.83	\$2,393.91
	RPM	John Burkel	\$330.30	\$1,958.83	\$2,289.13
1B					
	DFL	Cynthia (Cindy) Ansbacher	\$695.26	\$1,958.83	\$2,654.09
	RPM	Debra (Deb) Kiel	\$392.43	\$1,958.83	\$2,351.26
2					
	DFL	Leonard Alan Roy	\$2,353.83	\$3,797.04	\$6,150.87
	RPM	Steve Green	\$1,135.52	\$3,797.04	\$4,932.56
2A					
	DFL	Reed Olson	\$1,242.21	\$1,958.83	\$3,201.04
	RPM	Matthew (Matt) Grossell	\$493.03	\$1,958.83	\$2,451.86
2B					
	DFL	Erika Bailey-Johnson	\$1,128.34	\$1,958.83	\$3,087.17
	RPM	Matt Bliss	\$654.27	\$1,958.83	\$2,613.10
3					
	DFL	Grant Hauschild	\$4,892.03	\$3,797.04	\$8,689.07
	RPM	Andrea Zupancich	\$1,465.01	\$3,797.04	\$5,262.05
3A					
	DFL	Robert Ecklund	\$2,304.69	\$1,958.83	\$4,263.52
	RPM	Roger Joseph Skraba	\$737.97	\$1,958.83	\$2,696.80

Office	Party	Name	Party Account Payment	General Account Payment	Total Payment
3B					
	DFL	Mary Murphy	\$2,616.61	\$1,958.83	\$4,575.44
	RPM	Natalie Zeleznikar	\$738.22	\$1,958.83	\$2,697.05
4					
	DFL	Rob Kupec	\$2,651.35	\$3,797.04	\$6,448.39
	RPM	Dan Bohmer	\$1,087.25	\$3,797.04	\$4,884.29
4A					
	DFL	Heather Keeler	\$1,389.15	\$1,958.83	\$3,347.98
	RPM	Lynn Halmrast	\$428.78	\$1,958.83	\$2,387.61
4B					
	DFL	John Hest	\$1,273.15	\$1,958.83	\$3,231.98
	RPM	Jim Joy	\$663.53	\$1,958.83	\$2,622.36
5					
	DFL	A. John Peters	\$1,798.76	\$3,797.04	\$5,595.80
	RPM	Paul Utke	\$1,552.78	\$3,797.04	\$5,349.82
5A					
	DFL	Brian Hobson	\$1,185.41	\$1,958.83	\$3,144.24
	RPM	Krista Knudsen	\$888.15	\$1,958.83	\$2,846.98
6					
	DFL	Steve Samuelson	\$2,579.96	\$3,797.04	\$6,377.00
	RPM	Justin Eichorn	\$1,815.80	\$3,797.04	\$5,612.84
6A					
	DFL	Richard Blake	\$1,292.96	\$1,958.83	\$3,251.79
	RPM	Ben Davis	\$920.87	\$1,958.83	\$2,879.70
6B					
	DFL	Sally Boos	\$1,306.34	\$1,958.83	\$3,265.17
	RPM	Joshua Heintzeman	\$903.24	\$1,958.83	\$2,862.07
7					
	DFL	Ben DeNucci	\$3,994.39	\$3,797.04	\$7,791.43
	RPM	Robert Farnsworth	\$1,397.22	\$3,797.04	\$5,194.26
7A					
	DFL	Julie Sandstede	\$1,641.23	\$1,958.83	\$3,600.06
	RPM	Spencer Igo	\$683.02	\$1,958.83	\$2,641.85
7B					
	DFL	David Lislegard	\$2,379.22	\$1,958.83	\$4,338.05
	RPM	Matthew Norri	\$720.21	\$1,958.83	\$2,679.04

Office	Party	Name	Party Account Payment	General Account Payment	Total Payment
8					
	DFL	Jen McEwen	\$6,034.57	\$3,797.04	\$9,831.61
8A					
	DFL	Elizabeth (Liz) Olson	\$2,789.70	\$1,958.83	\$4,748.53
8B					
	DFL	Alicia Kozlowski	\$3,250.94	\$1,958.83	\$5,209.77
	RPM	Becky Hall	\$490.42	\$1,958.83	\$2,449.25
9					
	DFL	Cornel Walker	\$1,580.86	\$3,797.04	\$5,377.90
	RPM	Jordan Rasmusson	\$1,482.92	\$3,797.04	\$5,279.96
9A					
	DFL	Nancy Jost	\$743.69	\$1,958.83	\$2,702.52
	RPM	Jeff Backer	\$614.98	\$1,958.83	\$2,573.81
9B					
	DFL	Jason Satter	\$840.60	\$1,958.83	\$2,799.43
	RPM	Tom Murphy	\$888.89	\$1,958.83	\$2,847.72
10					
	DFL	Suzanne Cekalla	\$1,511.11	\$3,797.04	\$5,308.15
10A					
	RPM	Ronald Kresha	\$696.71	\$1,958.83	\$2,655.54
10B					
	RPM	Isaac Schultz	\$774.29	\$1,958.83	\$2,733.12
11					
	RPM	Jason Rarick	\$1,316.37	\$3,797.04	\$5,113.41
11A					
	DFL	Pete Radosevich	\$1,702.83	\$1,958.83	\$3,661.66
	RPM	Jeff Dotseth	\$515.11	\$1,958.83	\$2,473.94
11B					
	DFL	Eric Olson	\$1,084.90	\$1,958.83	\$3,043.73
	RPM	Nathan Nelson	\$808.72	\$1,958.83	\$2,767.55
12					
	DFL	Kari Dorry	\$1,862.46	\$3,797.04	\$5,659.50
	RPM	Torrey Westrom	\$1,405.86	\$3,797.04	\$5,202.90
12A					
	DFL	Edie Barrett	\$935.79	\$1,958.83	\$2,894.62
	RPM	Paul Anderson	\$549.07	\$1,958.83	\$2,507.90

Office	Party	Name	Party Account Payment	General Account Payment	Total Payment
12B					
	DFL	Jeremy Vinar	\$940.07	\$1,958.83	\$2,898.90
	RPM	Mary Franson	\$871.34	\$1,958.83	\$2,830.17
13					
	DFL	Alissa Brickman	\$2,082.23	\$3,797.04	\$5,879.27
	RPM	Jeff Howe	\$1,591.22	\$3,797.04	\$5,388.26
13A					
	DFL	Andrea Robinson	\$1,023.46	\$1,958.83	\$2,982.29
	RPM	Lisa Demuth	\$868.34	\$1,958.83	\$2,827.17
13B					
	RPM	Tim O'Driscoll	\$735.09	\$1,958.83	\$2,693.92
14					
	DFL	Aric Putnam	\$2,769.92	\$3,797.04	\$6,566.96
	RPM	Tama Lynn Theis	\$932.29	\$3,797.04	\$4,729.33
14A					
	DFL	Tamara Calhoun	\$1,369.99	\$1,958.83	\$3,328.82
14B					
	DFL	Dan Wolgamott	\$1,413.89	\$1,958.83	\$3,372.72
15					
	DFL	Anita Gaul	\$1,538.69	\$3,797.04	\$5,335.73
	RPM	Gary Dahms	\$1,141.14	\$3,797.04	\$4,938.18
15A					
	DFL	Keith VanOverbeke	\$779.71	\$1,958.83	\$2,738.54
	RPM	Chris Swedzinski	\$447.60	\$1,958.83	\$2,406.43
15B					
	DFL	Tom Kuster	\$770.78	\$1,958.83	\$2,729.61
	RPM	Paul Torkelson	\$710.24	\$1,958.83	\$2,669.07
16					
	DFL	Fernando Alvarado	\$1,556.77	\$3,797.04	\$5,353.81
	RPM	Andrew Lang	\$1,008.22	\$3,797.04	\$4,805.26
16A					
	DFL	Robert Wright	\$608.22	\$1,958.83	\$2,567.05
	RPM	Dean Urdahl	\$383.01	\$1,958.83	\$2,341.84
16B					
	DFL	Fred Cogelow	\$953.10	\$1,958.83	\$2,911.93
	RPM	David (Dave) Baker	\$635.57	\$1,958.83	\$2,594.40

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17					
	DFL	Chad Tschimperle	\$1,624.11	\$3,797.04	\$5,421.15
	RPM	Glenn Gruenhagen	\$1,652.79	\$3,797.04	\$5,449.83
17A					
	DFL	Jennifer Carpentier	\$663.99	\$1,958.83	\$2,622.82
	RPM	Dawn Gillman	\$651.47	\$1,958.83	\$2,610.30
18					
	DFL	Nick Andrew Frentz	\$2,846.58	\$3,797.04	\$6,643.62
	RPM	Mark Wright	\$1,116.44	\$3,797.04	\$4,913.48
18A					
	DFL	Jeff Brand	\$1,454.78	\$1,958.83	\$3,413.61
	RPM	D. Susan (Susie) Akland	\$696.26	\$1,958.83	\$2,655.09
18B					
	DFL	Luke Frederick	\$1,398.79	\$1,958.83	\$3,357.62
	RPM	Dar Vosburg	\$428.55	\$1,958.83	\$2,387.38
19					
	DFL	Kathryn (Kate) Falvey	\$2,572.72	\$3,797.04	\$6,369.76
	RPM	John Jasinski	\$1,348.10	\$3,797.04	\$5,145.14
19A					
	DFL	Carolyn Treadway	\$1,624.58	\$1,958.83	\$3,583.41
	RPM	Brian Daniels	\$708.24	\$1,958.83	\$2,667.07
19B					
	RPM	John Petersburg	\$651.91	\$1,958.83	\$2,610.74
20					
	DFL	Brad Drenckhahn	\$2,808.76	\$3,797.04	\$6,605.80
	RPM	Steve Drazkowski	\$1,827.17	\$3,797.04	\$5,624.21
20A					
	DFL	Laurel Stinson	\$1,528.34	\$1,958.83	\$3,487.17
	RPM	Pamela Altendorf	\$830.75	\$1,958.83	\$2,789.58
20B					
	DFL	Elise Diesslin	\$1,300.41	\$1,958.83	\$3,259.24
	RPM	Steven Jacob	\$1,014.27	\$1,958.83	\$2,973.10
21					
	RPM	Bill Weber	\$984.95	\$3,797.04	\$4,781.99

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21A					
	DFL	Patrick Baustian	\$637.60	\$1,958.83	\$2,596.43
	RPM	Joe Schomacker	\$533.67	\$1,958.83	\$2,492.50
21B					
	DFL	Michael Heidelberger	\$557.79	\$1,958.83	\$2,516.62
	RPM	Marj Fogelman	\$463.05	\$1,958.83	\$2,421.88
22A					
	DFL	Marisa Ulmen	\$745.24	\$1,958.83	\$2,704.07
	RPM	Christian Bjorn Olson	\$665.28	\$1,958.83	\$2,624.11
22B					
	DFL	Marcia Stapleton	\$919.57	\$1,958.83	\$2,878.40
	RPM	Brian Pfarr	\$709.88	\$1,958.83	\$2,668.71
23					
	DFL	Brandon Lawhead	\$2,494.96	\$3,797.04	\$6,292.00
	RPM	Gene Dornink	\$1,070.15	\$3,797.04	\$4,867.19
23A					
	DFL	Mary Hinnenkamp	\$824.05	\$1,958.83	\$2,782.88
	RPM	Peggy Bennett	\$542.92	\$1,958.83	\$2,501.75
23B					
	DFL	Thomas Stiehm	\$1,680.71	\$1,958.83	\$3,639.54
	RPM	Patricia Mueller	\$545.89	\$1,958.83	\$2,504.72
24					
	DFL	Aleta Borrud	\$3,169.73	\$3,797.04	\$6,966.77
	RPM	Carla Nelson	\$1,739.07	\$3,797.04	\$5,536.11
24A					
	DFL	Keith McLain	\$1,162.13	\$1,958.83	\$3,120.96
	RPM	Duane Quam	\$885.94	\$1,958.83	\$2,844.77
24B					
	DFL	Tina Liebling	\$2,020.75	\$1,958.83	\$3,979.58
	RPM	Katrina Pulham	\$861.53	\$1,958.83	\$2,820.36
25					
	DFL	Liz Boldon	\$4,108.29	\$3,797.04	\$7,905.33
25A					
	DFL	Kimberly (Kim) Hicks	\$2,008.32	\$1,958.83	\$3,967.15
25B					
	DFL	Andy Smith	\$2,119.75	\$1,958.83	\$4,078.58

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26					
	DFL	Daniel Wilson	\$2,833.16	\$3,797.04	\$6,630.20
	RPM	Jeremy Miller	\$1,083.15	\$3,797.04	\$4,880.19
26A					
	DFL	Gene Pelowski Jr	\$1,665.22	\$1,958.83	\$3,624.05
27					
	DFL	Emy Minzel	\$1,819.48	\$3,797.04	\$5,616.52
	RPM	Andrew Mathews	\$1,983.64	\$3,797.04	\$5,780.68
27A					
	DFL	Ronald Thiessen	\$929.50	\$1,958.83	\$2,888.33
	RPM	Shane Mekeland	\$975.57	\$1,958.83	\$2,934.40
27B					
	RPM	Kurt Daudt	\$1,016.88	\$1,958.83	\$2,975.71
28					
	RPM	Mark Koran	\$1,642.52	\$3,797.04	\$5,439.56
28A					
	DFL	Erik Johnson	\$950.62	\$1,958.83	\$2,909.45
	RPM	Brian Johnson	\$823.43	\$1,958.83	\$2,782.26
28B					
	DFL	Katie Malchow	\$1,198.92	\$1,958.83	\$3,157.75
	RPM	Anne Neu	\$824.66	\$1,958.83	\$2,783.49
29					
	DFL	Chris Brazelton	\$1,893.10	\$3,797.04	\$5,690.14
	RPM	Bruce Anderson	\$1,668.57	\$3,797.04	\$5,465.61
29A					
	RPM	Joseph (Joe) McDonald	\$901.10	\$1,958.83	\$2,859.93
30					
	DFL	Diane Nguyen	\$2,144.15	\$3,797.04	\$5,941.19
	RPM	Eric Lucero	\$1,853.90	\$3,797.04	\$5,650.94
30A					
	DFL	Sonja Buckmeier	\$1,026.91	\$1,958.83	\$2,985.74
	RPM	Walter Hudson	\$869.62	\$1,958.83	\$2,828.45
30B					
	DFL	Chad Hobot	\$1,127.99	\$1,958.83	\$3,086.82
	RPM	Paul Novotny	\$1,002.76	\$1,958.83	\$2,961.59

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31					
	DFL	Jason Ruffalo	\$2,867.05	\$3,797.04	\$6,664.09
	RPM	Calvin (Cal) Bahr	\$2,670.04	\$3,797.04	\$6,467.08
31A					
	DFL	Betsy O'Berry	\$1,538.83	\$1,958.83	\$3,497.66
	RPM	Harry Niska	\$1,277.61	\$1,958.83	\$3,236.44
31B					
	DFL	Bill Fisher	\$1,339.98	\$1,958.83	\$3,298.81
	RPM	Peggy Sue Scott	\$1,414.40	\$1,958.83	\$3,373.23
32					
	DFL	Kate Luthner	\$3,603.07	\$3,797.04	\$7,400.11
	RPM	Michael Kreun	\$2,060.26	\$3,797.04	\$5,857.30
32A					
	DFL	Ashton Ramsammy	\$1,710.60	\$1,958.83	\$3,669.43
	RPM	Nolan West	\$1,113.09	\$1,958.83	\$3,071.92
32B					
	DFL	Matt Norris	\$1,902.26	\$1,958.83	\$3,861.09
	RPM	Donald Raleigh	\$969.92	\$1,958.83	\$2,928.75
33					
	DFL	Nancy McLean	\$4,693.88	\$3,797.04	\$8,490.92
	RPM	Karin Housley	\$2,241.61	\$3,797.04	\$6,038.65
33A					
	DFL	Hanna Valento	\$2,146.66	\$1,958.83	\$4,105.49
	RPM	Patricia Anderson	\$1,209.83	\$1,958.83	\$3,168.66
33B					
	DFL	Josiah Hill	\$2,585.01	\$1,958.83	\$4,543.84
	RPM	Mark Bishofsky	\$1,077.25	\$1,958.83	\$3,036.08
34					
	DFL	John Hoffman	\$5,677.38	\$3,797.04	\$9,474.42
	RPM	Karen Attia	\$2,446.30	\$3,797.04	\$6,243.34
34A					
	DFL	Brian Raines	\$2,640.95	\$1,958.83	\$4,599.78
	RPM	Danny Nadeau	\$1,546.14	\$1,958.83	\$3,504.97
34B					
	DFL	Melissa Hortman	\$3,076.46	\$1,958.83	\$5,035.29
	RPM	Scott Simmons	\$942.31	\$1,958.83	\$2,901.14

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35					
	DFL	Kari Rehrauer	\$3,658.89	\$3,797.04	\$7,455.93
	RPM	Jim Abeler	\$1,856.92	\$3,797.04	\$5,653.96
35A					
	DFL	Zachary Stephenson	\$1,818.54	\$1,958.83	\$3,777.37
	RPM	John Heinrich	\$942.21	\$1,958.83	\$2,901.04
35B					
	DFL	Jerry Newton	\$1,857.03	\$1,958.83	\$3,815.86
	RPM	Polly Matteson	\$934.01	\$1,958.83	\$2,892.84
36					
	DFL	Heather Gustafson	\$6,323.64	\$3,797.04	\$10,120.68
	RPM	Roger Chamberlain	\$2,583.75	\$3,797.04	\$6,380.79
36A					
	DFL	Susan Ranae Strom	\$2,575.49	\$1,958.83	\$4,534.32
	RPM	Elliott Engen	\$1,311.12	\$1,958.83	\$3,269.95
36B					
	DFL	Brion Curran	\$3,781.92	\$1,958.83	\$5,740.75
	RPM	Heidi Ann Gunderson	\$1,298.39	\$1,958.83	\$3,257.22
37					
	DFL	Farhio Khalif	\$5,977.48	\$3,797.04	\$9,774.52
	RPM	Warren Limmer	\$2,996.82	\$3,797.04	\$6,793.86
37A					
	DFL	Caitlin Cahill	\$2,690.40	\$1,958.83	\$4,649.23
	RPM	Kristin Robbins	\$1,634.43	\$1,958.83	\$3,593.26
37B					
	DFL	Kristin Bahner	\$3,307.56	\$1,958.83	\$5,266.39
	RPM	John Bristol	\$1,378.18	\$1,958.83	\$3,337.01
38					
	DFL	Susan Pha	\$5,287.67	\$3,797.04	\$9,084.71
38B					
	DFL	Samantha Vang	\$2,644.08	\$1,958.83	\$4,602.91
	RPM	Robert Marvin	\$521.92	\$1,958.83	\$2,480.75
39					
	DFL	Mary Kunesh	\$5,402.09	\$3,797.04	\$9,199.13
	RPM	Pam Wolf	\$1,286.00	\$3,797.04	\$5,083.04

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39A					
	DFL	Erin Koegel	\$2,074.84	\$1,958.83	\$4,033.67
	RPM	Rod Sylvester	\$615.90	\$1,958.83	\$2,574.73
39B					
	DFL	Sandra Feist	\$3,356.26	\$1,958.83	\$5,315.09
	RPM	Mike Sharp	\$691.84	\$1,958.83	\$2,650.67
40					
	DFL	John Marty	\$8,249.10	\$3,797.04	\$12,046.14
	RPM	Rachel Japuntich	\$2,130.61	\$3,797.04	\$5,927.65
40A					
	DFL	Kelly Moller	\$3,874.36	\$1,958.83	\$5,833.19
	RPM	Benjamin Schwanke	\$1,141.23	\$1,958.83	\$3,100.06
40B					
	DFL	Jamie Becker-Finn	\$4,410.93	\$1,958.83	\$6,369.76
	RPM	Allen Shen	\$1,003.18	\$1,958.83	\$2,962.01
41					
	DFL	Judy Seeberger	\$4,676.03	\$3,797.04	\$8,473.07
41A					
	DFL	Patricia Driscoll	\$2,538.51	\$1,958.83	\$4,497.34
	RPM	Mark Wiens	\$1,138.69	\$1,958.83	\$3,097.52
41B					
	DFL	Tina Folch	\$2,170.58	\$1,958.83	\$4,129.41
42					
	DFL	Bonnie Westlin	\$6,739.20	\$3,797.04	\$10,536.24
	RPM	Paul Hillen	\$2,286.94	\$3,797.04	\$6,083.98
42A					
	DFL	Ned Carroll	\$3,271.15	\$1,958.83	\$5,229.98
	RPM	Kathy Burkett	\$1,181.04	\$1,958.83	\$3,139.87
43					
	DFL	Ann Rest	\$7,464.03	\$3,797.04	\$11,261.07
44					
	DFL	Tou Xiong	\$6,145.05	\$3,797.04	\$9,942.09
	RPM	Paul Babin	\$1,725.61	\$3,797.04	\$5,522.65
44A					
	DFL	Peter Fischer	\$3,539.05	\$1,958.83	\$5,497.88
	RPM	(Walter) Alex Pinkney	\$932.57	\$1,958.83	\$2,891.40

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44B					
	DFL	Leon Lillie	\$2,657.07	\$1,958.83	\$4,615.90
	RPM	William Johnston	\$829.85	\$1,958.83	\$2,788.68
45A					
	RPM	Andrew Myers	\$1,681.99	\$1,958.83	\$3,640.82
45B					
	DFL	Patty Acomb	\$4,058.34	\$1,958.83	\$6,017.17
	RPM	Lorie Cousineau	\$1,233.80	\$1,958.83	\$3,192.63
47					
	DFL	Nicole Mitchell	\$5,515.08	\$3,797.04	\$9,312.12
	RPM	Dwight Dorau	\$1,835.24	\$3,797.04	\$5,632.28
47A					
	DFL	Amanda Hemmingsen-Jaeger	\$3,012.85	\$1,958.83	\$4,971.68
	RPM	Bob Lawrence	\$911.27	\$1,958.83	\$2,870.10
47B					
	DFL	Ethan Cha	\$2,531.62	\$1,958.83	\$4,490.45
	RPM	Kelly Fenton	\$956.27	\$1,958.83	\$2,915.10
48					
	DFL	Dan Kessler	\$3,575.89	\$3,797.04	\$7,372.93
	RPM	Julia Coleman	\$2,261.24	\$3,797.04	\$6,058.28
48A					
	RPM	Jim Nash	\$1,249.47	\$1,958.83	\$3,208.30
48B					
	DFL	Lucy Rehm	\$1,999.19	\$1,958.83	\$3,958.02
	RPM	Greg Boe	\$1,046.27	\$1,958.83	\$3,005.10
49					
	DFL	Steve Cwodzinski	\$7,099.99	\$3,797.04	\$10,897.03
	RPM	Marla Helseth	\$2,311.25	\$3,797.04	\$6,108.29
49A					
	DFL	Laurie Pryor	\$3,898.73	\$1,958.83	\$5,857.56
	RPM	Ryan Chase	\$1,180.57	\$1,958.83	\$3,139.40
49B					
	DFL	Carlie Kotyza-Witthuhn	\$3,256.54	\$1,958.83	\$5,215.37
	RPM	Thomas Knecht	\$1,166.87	\$1,958.83	\$3,125.70
50					
	DFL	Alice Mann	\$7,869.36	\$3,797.04	\$11,666.40

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50A					
	DFL	Heather Edelson	\$4,049.63	\$1,958.83	\$6,008.46
50B					
	DFL	Steve Elkins	\$3,865.95	\$1,958.83	\$5,824.78
	RPM	Beth Beebe	\$1,146.60	\$1,958.83	\$3,105.43
51					
	DFL	Melissa Halvorson Wiklund	\$6,800.14	\$3,797.04	\$10,597.18
	RPM	Frank Pafko	\$1,528.09	\$3,797.04	\$5,325.13
51A					
	DFL	Michael Howard	\$3,645.87	\$1,958.83	\$5,604.70
	RPM	Ryan Wiskerchen	\$664.59	\$1,958.83	\$2,623.42
51B					
	DFL	Nathan Coulter	\$3,189.14	\$1,958.83	\$5,147.97
	RPM	Chad Anderson	\$879.10	\$1,958.83	\$2,837.93
52					
	DFL	James Carlson	\$5,624.90	\$3,797.04	\$9,421.94
	RPM	Stephen Lowell	\$2,028.28	\$3,797.04	\$5,825.32
52A					
	DFL	Lizabeth Reyer	\$2,658.97	\$1,958.83	\$4,617.80
	RPM	Fern Smith	\$952.77	\$1,958.83	\$2,911.60
52B					
	DFL	Ruth Richardson	\$2,999.95	\$1,958.83	\$4,958.78
	RPM	Cynthia Lonquist	\$1,090.91	\$1,958.83	\$3,049.74
53					
	DFL	Matthew Klein	\$4,815.51	\$3,797.04	\$8,612.55
	RPM	Christopher Rausch	\$1,963.11	\$3,797.04	\$5,760.15
53A					
	DFL	Mary Frances Clardy	\$2,602.76	\$1,958.83	\$4,561.59
	RPM	Todd Kruse	\$1,069.91	\$1,958.83	\$3,028.74
53B					
	DFL	Richard (Rick) Hansen	\$2,247.44	\$1,958.83	\$4,206.27
	RPM	Steven Swoboda	\$911.52	\$1,958.83	\$2,870.35
54					
	DFL	Alicia Donahue	\$2,807.75	\$3,797.04	\$6,604.79
	RPM	Eric Pratt	\$1,822.59	\$3,797.04	\$5,619.63

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54A					
	DFL	Brad Tabke	\$1,433.07	\$1,958.83	\$3,391.90
54B					
	RPM	Ben Bakeberg	\$1,098.18	\$1,958.83	\$3,057.01
55					
	DFL	Lindsey Port	\$4,105.74	\$3,797.04	\$7,902.78
	RPM	Pam Myhra	\$1,795.39	\$3,797.04	\$5,592.43
55A					
	DFL	Jessica Hanson	\$1,855.82	\$1,958.83	\$3,814.65
	RPM	Gabriela Kroetch	\$871.24	\$1,958.83	\$2,830.07
55B					
	DFL	Kaela Jo Berg	\$2,274.11	\$1,958.83	\$4,232.94
	RPM	Van Holston	\$938.81	\$1,958.83	\$2,897.64
56					
	DFL	Erin Maye Quade	\$4,996.77	\$3,797.04	\$8,793.81
56A					
	DFL	Robert Bierman	\$2,513.17	\$1,958.83	\$4,472.00
	RPM	Joseph Landru	\$995.80	\$1,958.83	\$2,954.63
56B					
	DFL	John Duffy Huot	\$2,512.83	\$1,958.83	\$4,471.66
	RPM	Joseph Scanlon	\$1,197.05	\$1,958.83	\$3,155.88
57					
	DFL	Jackie Craig	\$3,771.97	\$3,797.04	\$7,569.01
	RPM	Zach Duckworth	\$2,690.23	\$3,797.04	\$6,487.27
57A					
	DFL	Greg Henningsen	\$1,685.05	\$1,958.83	\$3,643.88
	RPM	Jon Koznick	\$1,382.80	\$1,958.83	\$3,341.63
57B					
	DFL	Erin Preese	\$2,120.13	\$1,958.83	\$4,078.96
	RPM	Jeff Witte	\$1,325.60	\$1,958.83	\$3,284.43
58					
	DFL	Clarice Grabau	\$4,565.85	\$3,797.04	\$8,362.89
	RPM	Bill Lieske	\$2,123.54	\$3,797.04	\$5,920.58
58A					
	DFL	Kristi Pursell	\$2,886.57	\$1,958.83	\$4,845.40
	RPM	Gary Bruggenthies	\$729.21	\$1,958.83	\$2,688.04

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58B					
	RPM	Patrick Garofalo	\$1,414.76	\$1,958.83	\$3,373.59
60A					
	DFL	Sydney Jordan	\$4,790.13	\$1,958.83	\$6,748.96
62					
	DFL	Omar Fateh	\$7,783.06	\$3,797.04	\$11,580.10
	RPM	Andrew Schmitz	\$384.64	\$3,797.04	\$4,181.68
62A					
	DFL	Aisha Gomez	\$3,872.86	\$1,958.83	\$5,831.69
63					
	DFL	Zaynab Mohamed	\$10,033.46	\$3,797.04	\$13,830.50
	RPM	Shawn Holster	\$774.36	\$3,797.04	\$4,571.40
63A					
	DFL	Samantha Sencer-Mura	\$5,028.78	\$1,958.83	\$6,987.61
64					
	DFL	Erin Murphy	\$10,922.17	\$3,797.04	\$14,719.21
64A					
	DFL	Kaohly Her	\$5,507.76	\$1,958.83	\$7,466.59
	RPM	Dan Walsh	\$442.77	\$1,958.83	\$2,401.60
64B					
	DFL	David Pinto	\$5,481.08	\$1,958.83	\$7,439.91
65					
	DFL	Sandra Pappas	\$7,120.61	\$3,797.04	\$10,917.65
65B					
	DFL	Maria Perez-Hedges	\$3,826.51	\$1,958.83	\$5,785.34
66					
	DFL	Clare Oumou Verbeten	\$8,353.32	\$3,797.04	\$12,150.36
66A					
	DFL	Leigh Finke	\$5,092.62	\$1,958.83	\$7,051.45
	RPM	Trace Johnson	\$511.69	\$1,958.83	\$2,470.52
66B					
	DFL	Athena Hollins	\$3,308.43	\$1,958.83	\$5,267.26
67A					
	DFL	Kaouzoupa Elizabeth Lee	\$2,685.57	\$1,958.83	\$4,644.40

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67B					
	DFL	Jay Xiong	\$3,079.61	\$1,958.83	\$5,038.44
	RPM	Fred Turk	\$478.55	\$1,958.83	\$2,437.38
Totals			\$831,526	\$1,503,105	\$2,334,631



MINNESOTA

CAMPAIGN FINANCE BOARD

Date: August 31, 2022

To: Board members
Counsel Hartshorn

From: Andrew Olson, Legal/Management Analyst

Subject: Enforcement report for consideration at the September 7, 2022 Board meeting

A. Consent Items

1. Administrative termination of lobbyist Matthew Lee Bruce Sieg (4751)

Amanda Koehler, policy manager for the Land Stewardship Project, has requested the administrative termination of Matthew Lee Bruce Sieg as a lobbyist for that principal. Mr. Sieg left his role as an intern with the principal in May 2020. The principal attempted to contact Mr. Sieg to ask him to file a termination statement, but did not receive any response. Mr. Sieg has been included within the disbursement reports filed by one of the principal's reporting lobbyists, so there are no outstanding reports aside from the termination statement. Board staff terminated Mr. Sieg's lobbyist registration as of May 31, 2020.

B. Discussion Items

1. Balance adjustment request - Erina Prom for MN House (18546)

Ms. Prom was an unsuccessful candidate for state representative in 2020. Her committee's 2020 year-end report of receipts and expenditures listed an ending cash balance of \$307.19, while the committee's 2021 year-end report (amendment 2) listed a beginning cash balance of \$741, leaving a discrepancy of \$433.81. The committee's 2021 year-end report (amendment 2) listed an ending cash balance of \$740.75, while the committee's termination report filed in July 2022 listed a beginning cash balance of \$656.75, leaving a discrepancy of \$84. The committee's treasurer, Theresa Dworak, has reviewed the committee's financial records and discussed the matter with Board staff, but is unable to reconcile those discrepancies. The committee therefore is asking that its 2020 ending cash balance be adjusted upward by \$433.81 and that its 2021 ending cash balance be adjusted downward by \$84, resulting in a net upward adjustment of \$349.81.

Ms. Dworak provided bank statements showing that the balances in the committee's bank account at the end of 2020 and 2021 were \$741 and \$656.75, respectively. The committee reported \$16,967 in monetary receipts and \$16,660 in monetary disbursements in 2020. The committee's registration with the Board has been terminated.

C. Waiver Requests

#	Committee/ Entity	Late Fee/ Civil Penalty	Report Due	Factors	Prior Waivers	Recommended Action
1	Wesenberg for Senate (18778)	\$1,000 LFF	Pre- Primary 24- Hour Notice	Notice due 7/20/2022 for a \$5,000 loan received 7/19/2022 was filed 8/19/2022 via CFR. Treasurer entered the loan receipt in a timely manner in CFR but was not prompted to file a 24-hour notice. Staff discovered an error that caused CFR not to identify receipts dated 7/19/2022 as requiring a 24-hour notice and that error was not corrected until 7/20/2022.	No	Waive
2	7th Congressional District IAP (20814)	\$750 LFF	2022 Pre- Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/15/2022. The person who served as both treasurer and chair was hospitalized for much of July and died 8/13/2022. Shortly thereafter the new treasurer filed a no-change statement listing a cash balance of \$537.57.	\$250 LFF waived in Dec. 2010 because treasurer stated report initially was lost in the mail and he was dealing with significant medial issues	Waive
3	Larvita (McFarquhar) for Senate (18943)	\$100 LFF	2022 Pre- Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed two days late. Candidate had difficulty trying to complete her report and emailed a document to Board staff late in the evening on the due date reflecting that the committee had not raised or spent any funds. After being contacted the following day the candidate promptly filed the report using the Board's report form. The committee registered with the Board in June 2022 and the candidate has not signed a public subsidy agreement. Staff's recommendation to waive the LFF is based on the facts that the committee had no financial activity through 7/18/2022 and therefore was not required to register with the Board, and the candidate attempted to file a report on the due date.	No	Waive
4	5th Congressional District RPM (20223)	\$400 LFF	2022 Pre- Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/4/2022. Previous treasurer resigned abruptly in July, the party unit's chair had to take over the role, and he had difficulty gaining access to the party unit's bank, Anedot, and email accounts, resulting in him not having the requisite financial data until 8/3/2022. Report lists a cash balance of \$5,635 as of 7/18/2022.	No	Waive

5	Big Stone County RPM (20353)	\$50 LFF	2022 Pre-Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed one day late. Treasurer is not familiar with computers and had difficulty learning how to file the report. Party unit has no recent history of filing late reports. Report lists a cash balance of \$1,378 as of 7/18/2022.	No	Waive
6	55th Senate District DFL (New) (20980)	\$50 LFF	2022 Pre-Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed one day late. Due to redistricting the treasurer was managing both the 51st Senate District DFL (Old) and the 55th Senate District DFL (New). Treasurer filed a pre-primary/termination report on time for the old entity but had difficulty coordinating with the treasurer of another terminating party unit on how to allocate receipts and expenses between the two party units, causing the report to be filed a couple hours after the deadline. The report lists a cash balance of \$1,442 as of 7/18/2022.	No	Waive
7	8th Senate District DFL (New) (20955)	\$350 LFF	2022 Pre-Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/3/2022. Due to redistricting the treasurer was managing both the 7th Senate District DFL (Old) and the 8th Senate District DFL (New). Treasurer filed a pre-primary report on time for the old entity but was confused and initially didn't file a report for the new entity. Report has since been amended and lists a cash balance of \$3,818 as of 7/18/2022. Due to the treasurer's confusion, nearly all of the transactions listed on the amended report of the new party unit had already been disclosed on the original report of the old party unit.	No	Waive
8	8th Congressional District DFL (Old) (20253)	\$500 LFF	2022 Pre-Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/9/2022. Due to redistricting the treasurer was managing both the old and new iterations of the party unit. Treasurer filed a pre-primary report on time for the new entity believing that the registration form filed for the new entity eliminated the requirement to file a report for the old entity. The only transaction included in the report is the transfer of funds from the old entity to the new entity, the report is a termination report, and the old entity has a zero balance. The new entity reported a cash balance of \$12,727 as of 7/18/2022.	No	Waive

9	Barbara Johnson (4573)	\$150 LFFs	1st 2022 Lobbyist (x 3)	Three reports due 6/16/2022 were filed two days late. Lobbyist stated she did not receive mailed notice or email reminders concerning those reports in a timely manner. The mailed notice and email reminders were sent to the mailing address and email address listed on a lobbyist registration form with the lobbyist's signature filed on 2/24/2022, which consisted of the PO Box of a business she is affiliated with and that business's general email address. Lobbyist's mailing address and email address have since been changed within the Board's records.	No	Reduce to \$75
10	Traverse County DFL (20316)	\$400 LFF	2022 Pre-Primary	Report due 7/25/2022 was filed 8/4/2022. Treasurer was on vacation for much of July and didn't receive the paper report form until after the due date. Treasurer attempted to file the report 7/29/2022 but mistyped the Board's email address. LFF would have been \$200 had the report been received that day. Party unit has no recent history of filing late reports. Report lists a cash balance of \$145 as of 7/18/2022.	No	Reduce to \$200

D. Informational Items

1. Payment of late filing fee for lobbyist disbursement report due 6/15/2022

Jason Topp, \$25
 Stu Lourey, \$25

2. Payment of late filing fee for original EIS

Sydney Jordan, \$100
 Zuki Ellis, \$65
 Jeff Brand, \$15

From: [Amanda Koehler](#)
To: [Ross, Erika \(CFB\)](#)
Subject: Administrative Lobbyist Termination Request
Date: Wednesday, August 24, 2022 10:46:44 AM

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Hi Erika,

LSP would like to request an administrative lobbyist termination. Matthew Sieg no longer lobbies for Land Stewardship Project. He left LSP as an Intern in May of 2020. There have been attempts to contact him to ask him to file a termination statement on his own, but we have received no response.

Thanks!

Amanda Koehler (*she, her, hers*)

LSP Policy Manager

akoehler@landstewardshipproject.org

612-400-6355 (text or call)

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From: [Theresa Dworak](#)
To: [Olson, Andrew \(CFB\)](#)
Subject: Erina Prom
Date: Saturday, August 20, 2022 11:24:20 PM
Attachments: [EP2020.pdf](#)
[EP2021.pdf](#)

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Again, thank you so much for ALL your help with trying to resolve the inconsistency issues with Erina Prom for MN House campaign committee.

It is with great frustration that I am unable to determine the discrepancies after review of the committee bank statements. These discrepancies include \$433.81 for 2020 and \$84.00 for 2021. I have attached ending balances for both 2020 and 2021.

With this communication, this writer respectfully requests the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board complete an administrative adjustment to the committee's balances and permanently close this matter.

Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated!

Please let me know if you have any questions or if you require any additional information.

Thank you.

Respectfully,

Theresa Dworak, Erina Prom for MN House Campaign Committee

From: [Jennifer Wesenberg](#)
To: [Engelhardt, Megan \(CFB\)](#)
Subject: 24 hour notice non-compliance
Date: Monday, August 29, 2022 7:10:03 AM

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Members of the board:

I'm writing in regard to a 24 hour notice non-compliance for the WESENBERG FOR SENATE account. I had a number of questions regarding large-sum loans we have to the campaign, for which I did call for assistance. I was given great information as well as directed to the videos to review for step-by-step instructions. I actually watched the videos several times to be sure I knew what I was doing and how to complete and submit reports.

When I entered the large-sum loan in question (\$5000) initially I entered it as ME as the lender (figuring that out all comes from the same place, as Nathan and I are married and have joint accounts), an error popped up saying that that is not in compliance. I called and was told that the lender had to be Nathan, so I switched it to him. When I spoke to someone, I asked about a 24 hour notice, and they said they didn't think so. Submitted it, no problems. Nothing came up saying a 24 hour notice was required - promoting one be generated.

When I generated the pre-primary report, I watched the video again, and I was then checking for 24 hour notice every day, as the video suggested. I actually ended up submitted my pre-primary report too EARLY so I got a call from someone explaining that it won't be accepted until the next week, so make sure all transactions are updated and resubmit then. I asked them what monetary value triggers a 24 hour notice, and I was told anything OVER \$500 in a state Senate race.

Anyway, I then submitted my pre-primary report no problem. I DAILY checked all the tabs, even though we never got >\$500 donations. Never was I instructed that I have a 24 hour notice that needs submitting.

So, after we WON the primary, I stopped doing daily checks on the computer software because I needed to focus back on my career as a physician. I knew that we hadn't received any donations anywhere near \$500. However, last week, we had just deposited a number of checks, so I figured I should get caught up on updating the system. When I logged out, the program ran a compliance report or something, and suddenly found this very outdated 24 hour notice. I know that I've run these reports in the past with a clean check, so this time to find a long-overdue notice, it made my heart drop. Anyway, I figured it who to file the report.

Now writing the committee to have you consider dropping any fines/fees associated with the late filing, as I truly was following the steps described on your videos. I asked the questions to the people I interacted with. It seems like the system betrayed me.

Thank you for your consideration.

Jennifer Wesenberg, DO

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[15724 115th](#) Ave, Little Falls MN 57345

From: [Philip Fuehrer](#)
To: [CFBEmail: Engelhardt, Megan \(CFB\)](#)
Cc: [Independence Party of MN](#)
Subject: Death of Chair/Treasurer
Date: Monday, August 15, 2022 1:03:22 PM

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Megan/CFB:

We discovered over the weekend that our 7th CD Chair/Treasurer (Cmte # 20814) Jan Beliveau passed early on Saturday morning. Apparently, she had been in the hospital since early July. In looking at the website, it looks like no pre-primary report was filed.

I am 99% certain there was no financial activity but I want to check as to the process to follow. Should I file a 'no-change' report to get that on file? Additionally, Jan was the only officer we had active at present in the Seventh CD. Should I file an amended organization form listing myself until we get it straightened out? To complicate matters, I will also need to see if I can gain access to their checking account.

Looking for advice.

Thank you,

Phil Fuehrer
State Chair
Independence-Alliance Party of Minnesota

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"We need to elevate our politics and diplomacy to such a high level that only the finest citizens will be chosen and we all need to be well informed. This last can only be accomplished by reading several newspapers each day from different parts of our country and at least one good foreign newspaper, before we formulate our own opinions." Dr. Frederick Kent, 1918 - 2013, this from January 1951

From: John F. Montalvo Jr <jemontalvo@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 09, 2022 10:35 AM
To: Engelhardt, Megan (CFB) <megan.engelhardt@state.mn.us>
Cc: larvita@swsdance.com
Subject: Report of Receipts and Expenditures - Waiver of Late Fees

Dear Ms. Engelhardt,

I am recent receipt of your letter. Unfortunately I did not receive it in a timely manner. Due to the fact that it had the wrong apartment number on the envelope and the letter. The apartment number should be 109A. But I would like all new correspondence be sent to my new Minnesota address of 103A Redwood Court, Lynd, MN 56157.

I and the candidate Ms. Larvita McFarquhar are also asking for a waiver of the late fee of \$100 as stated in your letter for these reasons. 1. There was no receipts nor expenditures incurred by her campaign. 2. Your video teaching was not clear that it was still necessary to file the paperwork if there was no funds raised and no expenditures. 3. Ms. McFarquhar did talk to someone at your office the day it was due. And she tried to file it that day but could not get the email document to work. Thus she had to contact that same individual to resend the document the very next day. And she promptly filed the zeros.

If you need to see those emails for confirmation please let me know. And I will locate them in Ms. McFarquhar's email and forward them to you.

In His Amazing Love and Service,

Pastor/Dr. John F Montalvo Jr

[Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android](#)

From: [Larvita McFarquhar](#)
To: [Ross, Erika \(CFB\)](#)
Subject: Re: Larvita McFarquhar's Statement of Economic Interest
Date: Monday, July 25, 2022 11:57:11 PM
Attachments: [Larvita's Campaign Finance Report.pdf](#)

Good Evening Erica,

For my Campaign Finance Report, I am trying to fill it out online but I am having difficulty filling it out. So, I am attaching it to this email, will that work?

Thank you,

Larvita McFarquhar

Larvita For Senate
Campaign Finance Report

Category	Amount
Fundraising	\$0
Expenditures	\$0
Contributions	\$0
Donations	\$0
<hr/> TOTAL	\$0

Larvita McFarquhar
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From: [Alec Beck](#)
To: [Engelhardt, Megan \(CFB\)](#)
Subject: Re: Minnesota GOP Congressional District 5
Date: Friday, August 05, 2022 3:34:06 PM

Please let this serve as my request for a waiver of the late filing penalty regarding the Congressional District 5 Republican Committee report (for the July 25, 2022 reporting period). I realize the report was late, for which I apologize. The reasons for our late report are as follows:

1. I am the Chair of the CD5 Committee. I have never served as a Treasurer of any committee or campaign, at any level. This was new to me.
2. Our Treasurer, who had been on the job for only three months, abruptly quit in July. We did not have a replacement, and I was forced to register as Treasurer.
3. I registered as Treasurer immediately before a planned one-week vacation. Unfortunately, I couldn't get out of taking the vacation, so I missed a week of preparation time.
4. I found that our Bank Account, our Email Account, and our Anedot (contributions) Account were all inaccessible. The Bank Account was not timely transferred over to me. When it finally was, the online account was still linked to the person who had served as Treasurer in 2021. I was unable to access the account for several days. I had a similar experience with the other two accounts, and had to track down our former IT person in order to gain access to email and Anedot. I thus didn't actually have the data for providing the report until Wednesday, August 3rd.
5. Overlaid on all of this was my unfamiliarity with the CFB Software. I had no training on the software, and finally had to manually fill in our report.

As you may have seen, there is not a great deal of money at issue; our committee operates on a shoestring. That doesn't make what happened right, but it does show that we are not dealing with significant sums. I hope the Board will consider these factors when making its decision. Thanks for your consideration.

Alec Beck
 952-457-7682

On Fri, Aug 5, 2022 at 9:31 AM Engelhardt, Megan (CFB) <megan.engelhardt@state.mn.us> wrote:

Hello Alec,

Yes, you can send it to me. Thanks!

Megan

Megan Engelhardt

Assistant Executive Director

Minnesota State Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board

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From: Alec Beck <beck.alec1961@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, August 05, 2022 9:29 AM

To: Engelhardt, Megan (CFB) <megan.engelhardt@state.mn.us>

Subject: Re: Minnesota GOP Congressional District 5

Thanks Megan, for your patience and help.

I will request a waiver. Can I just send an email to you?

AB

On Fri, Aug 5, 2022 at 9:22 AM Engelhardt, Megan (CFB) <megan.engelhardt@state.mn.us> wrote:

Alec,

Thanks for submitting the report. The late filing fee for the report will be \$400 (8 days late @ \$50 per day). Your party unit can mail a check made out to the State of Minnesota for \$400 and you can mail it to us at the address below or you can request a waiver. The waiver needs to be in writing (email is fine) explaining why the report was late and any good cause as to why the late filing fees should be waived. Waiver requests are public and will be included in the Board materials on the website. Our Board would consider your waiver at the next Board meeting. If you want to request the waiver, please do not send a check until after the Board meeting where we see what action the Board takes on your waiver. Thanks!

Megan

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From: Alec Beck <beck.alec1961@gmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, August 04, 2022 5:35 PM

To: CFBEEmail <cfb.reports@state.mn.us>

Subject: Minnesota GOP Congressional District 5

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Attached please find a physical copy of the MNGOP Congressional District 5 Pre-Primary Report (1/1/22 through 7/18/22).

-Alec Beck

I'm a 82 yr old male - Not Computer literate,
with a position on a Committee of Treasure, I can't get
rid of. Now we can't file Handcopy, I had to wait for
someone to help E-mail form - 1/2 day late, fined, by
a ever changing Computer Programs of Minnesota
Government, - If you need the \$50. more than me,
well be it - Send Bill I will pay

Not Happy with my Stat government

Don Diebman

From: [Chris John](#)
To: [Engelhardt, Megan \(CFB\)](#)
Subject: 55th Senate District - DFL
Date: Thursday, August 18, 2022 12:19:29 AM

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Ms. Engelhardt and Minnesota Campaign Finance Board,

I received a letter stating that the 55th Senate District - DFL was being assessed a \$50 late fee for a late submission of the pre-primary campaign finance reports. To begin with I want to apologize that our report was not by midnight on the deadline July 25th. I realize the amount of reports state-wide that needs to be filed with the CFB at each filing deadline must be overwhelming, therefore I try not to wait until the last minute to file my reports. I can only imagine the amount of work that would go into such an ordeal to sift through, audit, and publicize all of the reports. I am sure it is to very little (if any) fanfare. I do not want to send this request for a waiver without recognizing the amount of work you do, as well as recognizing the need for the deadlines and the penalty for not meeting the deadline. I completely agree with the concept and the need to have such policies in place.

The reason I write to you is to explain my situation and hope that you would be willing to forego the penalty for this instance. As a once in a decade redistricting year I am sure it creates a lot more confusion than usual especially within the Senate District political party units on who is responsible to file for which newly open and closing units, who needs to pay for what when does this new senate district begin and when does the old one end and what money goes where and how does it get split out in the end. I know the CFB tries to be on the forefront in offering training, however I am not sure everyone participates and there is a lot of miss-information spread about, which sometimes is difficult to refute and adds to the confusion. My situation had an added wrinkle because I was the Treasurer of the old Senate District 51 at the beginning of the year. As a part of the redistricting process and boundary changes, while the majority of SD-51 became SD-52; my precinct switched to the new Senate District 55 (whose boundaries basically resemble old SD-56). At the same time the outgoing treasurer of old SD-56 was planning to move out of state, and therefore was not planning to join the new senate district and I was elected to take over as the treasurer of the new SD-55. Here is where the confusion I mention above sets in. As the out-going treasurer of SD-51 I understood my duty was to close out the old Senate District disburse the remaining funds and assets as necessary to the affected new Senate Districts and submit the Termination Report to the Campaign Finance Board. I will admit it took a lot more time than I expected, however I was able to close out the old SD-51 just prior to the pre-primary deadline. The new SD-52 elected a new treasurer and established a new bank account, with a clean divide on revenue and expenses between SD-51 & SD-52. The transition between Old SD 56 & new SD-55 wasn't as smooth. There had been a lot of turn-over in the Senate District leading up to the redistricting and as I had mentioned the former treasurer was actually in the process of moving out of state. The names on the bank account were out-dated leaving the out-going Treasurer the only person who could access the funds of the old Senate District. I believe it was the outgoing treasurer's understanding that he would hand off the old treasurer's duties to me and he would be free from it and he could focus on his move out of state. in most

circumstances he would be correct, however this is where the redistricting confusion comes in. In most Treasurer turn-overs I would be the elected officer to handle the district's funds. However that wasn't the case here, I was elected as the Treasurer of the new SD 55 and was never even a part of the old SD 56 legal entity, I had absolutely no right to handle those funds. Also, since I was not on the bank account, I had no access to those funds. Therefore even after the convention there was no clean delineation between what new revenues or expenses were a part of the old Senate District and the new Senate District.

Due to his personal commitments there was a period of time when I was not able to connect with the outgoing treasurer, therefore Senate District 55 continued to operate on the limited funds we collected from the convention and waited to finalize on some outstanding expenses until we received the bulk of our funds when the old Senate District was finally terminated.

The out-going treasurer and I were finally able to connect about mid-July to close out the old bank account and disburse the funds. However, since we were operating without the bulk of our funds for so long we had to coordinate on the reporting for pre-primary reporting and worked together as much as we could up to and including the 25th itself. I ended up working on my report well into the night, hoping we were both on the same page as far as deciphering which expenses and revenues should be reported by which entity. It was about an hour and a half after midnight on the night the report was due that I finally comfortable submitting my report.

To summarize; I appreciate the necessity of requiring a reporting deadline and the need to enforce that deadline with penalties for delinquent reports. In consideration of waving the penalty I hope Campaign Finance Board is willing to consider the uniqueness of this particular reporting deadline in how it interacts with the once in a decade re-alignment of the senate districts, the changing of bank accounts and in our case - for all intents and purposes - the change over of treasurers. I would also point out due to where it falls in the the redistricting timeline that this is probably the most complex of any other filing deadline done by the political party units. Obviously some turn-overs run more smoothly then others, however especially in the given circumstances some have more complexities then others, I believe ours falls within the latter category. Coupled with the fact that my report was still actively in process at the time of the deadline - submitted only an hour and a half past due - I would respectfully request the Campaign Finance Board to wave the \$50 penalty for the 55th Senate District-DFL for this one missed reporting deadline.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need any further explanation on my circumstances listed above.

Thank you for your consideration,

Chris John,
Treasurer,
55th Senate District - DFL

From: mattsson.don@gmail.com
To: [Engelhardt, Megan \(CFB\)](#)
Cc: [Stevens, Melissa \(CFB\)](#); [Joel Sipress](#)
Subject: RE: LATE 2022 pre-primary report
Date: Wednesday, August 03, 2022 3:53:07 PM

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Hi Megan,

Thank you for pointing this out to me! This is probably due to my misunderstanding of the process involved in changing reporting from the 7th Senate District DFL (Old) to the 8th Senate District (New). As I explained by phone, I submitted a report on time for the 7th Senate District DFL (New) entity in compliance with the reminder and paperwork that had been sent to me by the CFB. Although I had registered the new 8th Senate District DFL Party Unit on April 27, 2022, I did not create that entity in the Campaign Finance Reporter software at the time. I have now created the 8th Senate District DFL in the CFR and filed a “No Change” pre-primary report today.

I hope that the report that I filed on time for the 7th Senate District will be considered as a good faith effort to be in compliance with reporting requirements, and that the late filing fee of \$350 that has accumulated might be forgiven.

Sincerely yours,

Don Mattsson, Treasurer
8th Senate District DFL (New)

From: jeff.phillipich
To: [Engelhardt, Megan \(CFB\)](mailto:Engelhardt.Megan@CFB)
Subject: Late Fee Waiver Request for 8th Congressional District DFL (Old) #20253
Date: Monday, August 15, 2022 11:44:29 AM

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Hello Megan -

I would like to inquire about a late fee waiver for the old CD8 DFL registration. I submitted the new 8th pre-primary report without terminating the old. I should have called your office before submitting it...I didn't...and that's my fault. I was under the assumption that the new CD8 DFL registration (20991) would just take the place of the old...so I also submitted an amendment to that one showing the transfer of funds from Old to New at the start of the 2022 year.

Would greatly appreciate any or all of the late fees waived for our Congressional District transfer of registrations.

Please feel free at any point to reach out to me for questions or concerns.

I've attached the letter that was sent to the previous treasurer to this email as well. I was not receiving any of the old CD8 DFL correspondence.

Thank you,

Jeff

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Jeff Phillipich
Treasurer, Congressional District 8 MN DFL
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952.457.9191 / 218.372.7872
<https://dfi.org/local-units/cd8>

From: jeff.phillipich
To: [Olson, Andrew \(CFB\)](mailto:Olson.Andrew@state.mn.us)
Cc: [Emily Nygren](mailto:Emily.Nygren)
Subject: Re: Late Fee Waiver Request for 8th Congressional District DFL (Old) #20253
Date: Monday, August 29, 2022 7:45:44 AM

Hello Andrew

Thank you for your response and the opportunity to reply. I would like to be present, but will be traveling for work that day, so if a WebEx will be provided I will attend the meeting via that option.

As for the reasons behind the late transfer of the organization and filing different paper work for treasurer...It was my fault. I was under the assumption that I could do that as part of the pre-primary report via the campaign finance reporter software. Totally my fault for not looking into this sooner and understanding the processes involved. I've noticed that we in the 8th have good processes on how to record and file donations, but not with transfers and working with the tools we have to keep up with this sort of thing so I'm working those up for the future. We just haven't had to do a transfer of treasurer in a long while so we didn't really have an understanding of that process.

I appreciate any help that you and the board can provide in waving the late fees. As soon as there were notices about those issues that came to our, and my, attention, we acted and corrected. And I appreciate the support that is given by the MN CFB to newbies like myself.

Thanks and if you have any questions please let me know.

Jeff

Jeff Phillipich
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CC: Emily Nygren, Chair, 8th congressional district DFL

On Thu, Aug 25, 2022, 5:47 PM Olson, Andrew (CFB) <Andrew.D.Olson@state.mn.us> wrote:

Hello Jeff,

Thank you for sending us a request to waive the \$500 late filing fee for the 8th Congressional District DFL (Old)'s pre-primary/termination report of receipts and expenditures. Your request will be considered by the Board at its meeting on September 7, 2022, at 9:30 a.m. While not required or expected, if you wish you may appear before the Board during that meeting to further explain your request and answer any questions. The meeting will be held in person in the Blazing Star Room, located on the ground floor of the [Centennial Office Building](#) in St. Paul. Those who wish to attend may join the meeting remotely via Webex.

You are not required to provide additional information but you may want to explain why a termination report was not filed for the old party unit well in advance of July. You said that you thought that the registration of the new party unit would result in the new party unit replacing the old party unit, but why did you wait until July to register the new party unit? Also, could you explain why an amended registration and statement of organization was never filed for the old party unit listing yourself as the treasurer? That resulted in reminders and notices regarding the report of the old party unit to be sent to Tom Cvar rather than yourself. If you could send me a brief email answering those questions I will pass that information along to the Board with your waiver request.

I will be in contact with you shortly after the meeting to inform you of the Board's decision. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns and enjoy the rest of your week!

Respectfully,

Andrew Olson

Legal/Management Analyst

Minnesota Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board

651-539-1190

From: [Barbara Johnson](#)
To: [Engelhardt, Megan \(CFB\)](#)
Subject: Late lobbyist disbursement report fee waiver request
Date: Friday, August 05, 2022 1:51:18 PM

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Hello Megan,

I received notification of late filing fees for my lobbyist disbursement report for three of my clients (GAF Roofing, Minneapolis Building Trades Council and Clearway Energy) and I would like to respectfully request that these fees be waived. Unfortunately I did not get the original notification because my address was incorrectly filed but I did get everything straightened out when I went in person to the campaign finance board office on June 17 (two days after the reports were due). My lobbyist registration number is 4573. Thanks so much for considering my request, please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Kind regards, Barb

Minnesota Campaign Finance Board

190 Centennial Office Building, 658 Cedar St, St Paul, MN 55155

<https://cfb.mn.gov/>



Lobbyist Registration under Minn. Stat. § 10A.03

Instructions

- A separate registration must be completed for each association a lobbyist represents.
- The registration is due to the Board office within 5 days after the individual meets the definition of lobbyist.
- Upon completion, this form may be emailed to cf.board@state.mn.us or faxed to 651-539-1196 or 800-357-4114.
- All information on this form or report is public information and may be published on the Board's website at <https://cfb.mn.gov/>
- Do not use pencil or red ink to complete this form.
- Board staff may also be reached by phone at 651-539-1187 or 800-657-3889, or by email at cf.board@state.mn.us

Registration

New Registration Amendment: Lobbyist Registration No. 4573

Registration as a lobbyist prohibits most gifts to officials. Please see [Lobbyist Handbook](#) for prohibitions.

Lobbyist information

Name of lobbyist		Barbara Johnson	
Address (Line 1)		PO BOX 21124	
Address (Line 2)			
City, state, and zip		Mineapolis, MN 55421	
Telephone (Daytime)	612-875-6461	Email address (Required or write "No email")	nsa@nsamn.com
Lobbyist employer (If any)		North State Advisers	

Association or person lobbyist represents

Name of association (Include explanation of initials)		MSP Small Business Concessions Alliance	
Address of association		430 Glumack Dr. Suite E-1398	
City, state, and zip of association	St. Paul, MN 55437	Telephone of association (Daytime)	612-735-7195
Website of association (Required or write "No website")		No website	
Name and title of association contact person		Kerry Warren, Executive Director	
Email address of association contact person	warren@nsamn.com	Telephone of association contact person (Daytime)	612-735-7195

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Attach additional sheets, if necessary, to report all information required in categories below

Lobbyist reporting status

You must select only one of the following three reporting options

- I will be reporting my lobbying disbursements directly to the Board.
- I authorize the following lobbyist to report my lobbying disbursements for this association:
 Name of lobbyist: Kerry Warren Lobbyist registration #: 2115

- I am authorized to report the lobbying disbursements for the following registered lobbyist(s) for this association:
 Name(s) of lobbyist(s) I will be reporting for: _____ Lobbyist(s) registration number(s): _____

Designated lobbyist status

- I am also the designated lobbyist for this association and will include in my report to the Board the lobbying disbursements made by the association or individual I represent.

Subject(s) on which lobbyist expects to lobby and kind of action seeking to influence

Check the kind of action for each subject listed

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Officers and directors of association represented (Required)

The **first** name and telephone number listed below should be the individual responsible for filing the annual report of lobbyist principal.

Name and title of officer	Address	Telephone
Cheng Lor, Treasurer	6121 Excelsior Blvd. Suite 210 St. Louis Park, MN 55416	952-922-8720

Certification

I, Barbara Johnson, certify that the information contained on this form is complete, true, and correct.
 Print or type name

Barbara Johnson
 Signature of lobbyist

2/24/22
 Date

Any person who signs and certifies to be true a report or statement which the person knows contains false information, or who knowingly omits required information, is subject to a civil penalty imposed by the Board of up to \$3,000 and is subject to criminal prosecution for a gross misdemeanor.

From: [Marcie Conroy](#)
To: [CFBEmail](#)
Subject: Fwd: Attached - #20316
Date: Wednesday, August 10, 2022 2:00:37 PM
Attachments: [7-25-22 CFB Report Traverse County DFL #20316.pdf](#)

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- Dear MN Campaign Finance Board: I am respectfully requesting a waiver to the fines due from Traverse County DFL (#20316) for filing the attached report late. The reason I am asking for the waiver is for the following reasons:
 - As you can see the below report was sent to the wrong email address: (cfb.reportrs@state.mn.us - it had an extra "r")
 - Yes I admit the original report was sent in late. The reason it was sent in late was I was on vacation, which I left on July 6th. I received this blank report after I was gone on vacation, and the due date was prior to me returning home from the vacation and picking up my mail.
 - I am sorry for these problems and ask that you consider waiving part or all of the fines due.

Thank you in advance for your consideration in this matter.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Marcie Conroy** <marcieconroy@gmail.com>
Date: Fri, Jul 29, 2022 at 12:12 PM
Subject: Attached - #20316
To: <cfb.reportrs@state.mn.us>

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Marcie Conroy
320-808-5387

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MINNESOTA CAMPAIGN FINANCE BOARD

Date: August 31, 2022

To: Board members

From: Jeff Sigurdson, Executive Director

Telephone: 651-539-1189

Re: Prima facie determination finding no violation

Complaints filed with the Board are subject to a prima facie determination which is usually made by the Board chair in consultation with staff. If the Board chair determines that the complaint states a violation of Chapter 10A or the provisions of Chapter 211B under the Board's jurisdiction, the complaint moves forward to a probable cause determination by the full Board.

If the Board chair determines that the complaint does not state a prima facie violation, the prima facie determination must dismiss the complaint without prejudice. When a complaint is dismissed, the complaint and the prima facie determination become public data. The following complaint was dismissed by Chair Rashid and the prima facie determination is provided here as an informational item to the other Board members. No further action of the Board is required.

Complaint regarding the Scott County RPM and Joseph Ditto

On August 22, 2022, the Board received a complaint submitted by Bob Foster regarding the Scott County RPM and Joseph Ditto. The complaint alleged that the Scott County RPM had violated Minnesota Statutes sections 211B.02 (false claim of support), 211B.06 (distribution of false campaign material), 10A.176 (expenditures coordinated with a candidate) and 10A.20 (information in campaign reports).

On August 31, 2022, Chair Rashid concluded that the Board does not have jurisdiction over the violations of Chapter 211B alleged in the complaint, and that the complaint did not state a prima facie violation of either Minnesota Statutes sections 10A.176 or 10A.20. Therefore, the complaint was dismissed.

Attachments:

Prima facie determination

Complaint

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
CAMPAIGN FINANCE AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE BOARD**

**PRIMA FACIE
DETERMINATION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT OF BOB FOSTER REGARDING THE SCOTT COUNTY RPM AND JOSEPH DITTO

On August 22, 2022, the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board received a complaint submitted by Bob Foster regarding the Scott County RPM and Joseph Ditto, who is a former chair of the Scott County RPM. The Scott County RPM is a political party unit registered with the Board.

The complaint alleges that the Scott County RPM violated four provisions of Minnesota Statutes Chapters 10A and 211B. The complaint alleges that the Scott County RPM violated Minnesota Statutes section 10A.176 (activities that show expenditures are coordinated with a candidate) because the party unit did not have authority to make a coordinated expenditure supporting a candidate not endorsed by the Republican party, specifically Representative Erik Mortensen. The complaint further alleges that the party unit violated Minnesota Statutes section 10A.20 (information in campaign reports) when it failed to list an itemized in-kind contribution for the use of the fair booth by Representative Mortensen within its 2022 pre-primary report of receipts and expenditures. The complaint also states that the Scott County RPM violated Minnesota Statutes section 211B.02 (false claim of support), when the party unit let a candidate who was not endorsed by the Republican party distribute literature at the party unit's booth at the Scott County Fair. The complaint alleges that the Scott County RPM issued a press release that contained false statements about candidate Bob Loonan that violated Minnesota Statutes section 211B.06 (distribution of false campaign material). Lastly, the complaint alleges that the party unit also violated Minnesota Statutes section 211B.06 by allowing Representative Mortensen to use its booth at the Scott County Fair to disseminate false campaign material.

In support of the allegations the complainant provides photos of the party unit's booth at the Scott County Fair. The photos show campaign literature and signs for candidates available at the booth, including what is alleged to be literature for the Mortensen committee. The complaint also provides a picture of a water bottle allegedly given away at the booth with a "Mort for House" sticker attached. The complaint included copies of a Facebook post allegedly made by Representative Mortensen dated July 29, 2022, promoting times when he would be at the Scott County RPM fair booth, and a Facebook post by the Scott County RPM dated July 31, 2022, that generally promoted the booth at the fair. The complaint also provided a copy of a Scott County RPM press release dated August 3, 2022.

Determination

The Board's jurisdiction over Minnesota Statutes Chapter 211B is limited, and does not extend to sections 211B.02 and 211B.06. Complaints regarding those two statutes must be filed with the Office of Administrative Hearings.¹ Minn. Stat. § 211B.32, subd. 1. The allegations in the complaint regarding a false claim of support and false campaign material therefore do not state a prima facie violation of Minnesota Statutes Chapter 10A or of those sections of Chapter 211B under the Board's jurisdiction.

Minnesota Statutes section 10A.176 describes relationships and communication between a candidate and or the candidate's committee and a political committee, political fund, or political party unit that would constitute a coordinated expenditure. Coordination with a candidate is not prohibited by this statute. The provisions of the statute are used to distinguish approved expenditures on behalf of a candidate from independent expenditures. The complainant appears to state that coordination between a party unit and a candidate that is not endorsed is a violation of this statute; however, a party's endorsement is irrelevant to the statute, and there is no means by which an individual or association may violate the statute because the statute does not prohibit any particular activity. The complaint therefore does not state a prima facie violation of Minnesota Statutes section 10A.176.

Minnesota Statutes section 10A.20 provides reporting requirements for political party units registered with the Board. The statute establishes filing deadlines for periodic reports that disclose, in part, the itemized contributions made to candidates for state office. Itemization is required when the cumulative contributions to a candidate exceed \$200. Each report discloses the party unit's financial activity for a specific period of time. As of the date of this prima facie determination the party unit has been required to file only one report in 2022, the pre-primary report, which covered financial activity during the period of January 1 to July 18, 2022.

The complaint points out that on its pre-primary report the Scott County RPM disclosed an expenditure on May 4, 2022, of \$600 to the Scott County Fair for rental of the booth. The complainant alleges that the report should have also itemized an in-kind contribution to the Mortensen committee for use of the fair booth. However, the complaint does not reference any specific evidence that the party unit rented the fair booth with the understanding that it would be an approved expenditure (a type of in-kind contribution) on behalf of the Mortensen committee or any other candidate. The photographs of the fair booth provided as evidence appear to show a banner and material promoting the Scott County RPM, along with campaign signs and/or campaign literature for at least twelve other candidates besides Representative Mortensen. The committees that provided literature or campaign signs to the Scott County RPM for display at the fair booth would have received an in-kind contribution consisting of the value of use of some area of the booth during the dates of the fair, which occurred from July 27 to July 31, 2022.

¹ The website of the Office of Administrative Hearings states that it "may not consider and must dismiss claims alleging violations of Minn. Stat. § 211B.06 (false campaign material); the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit determined that statute was unconstitutional in 281 Care Committee v. Arneson."

These dates are after the period of activity included in the pre-primary report. To the extent that the use of the fair booth was a reportable in-kind contribution from the Scott County RPM to the Mortensen committee it would not be disclosed until the pre-general report, which is due on October 31, 2022, and includes activity from January 1 to October 24, 2022. Having concluded that an in-kind contribution for use of the fair booth did not need to be included in the pre-primary report, this prima facie determination need not consider whether the alleged contribution exceeded the \$20 threshold for accounting of in-kind contributions, and if so, whether the contribution requires itemization. The complaint therefore does not state a prima facie violation of the reporting requirements in Minnesota Statutes section 10A.20.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 10A.022, subdivision 3, paragraph (c), this prima facie determination is made by a single Board member and not by any vote of the entire Board. Based on the above analysis, the Chair concludes that the complaint does not state a prima facie violation of Chapter 10A or of those sections of Chapter 211B under the Board's jurisdiction. The complaint is dismissed without prejudice.

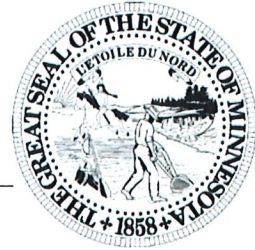
A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'F. Rashid', written over a horizontal line.

Faris Rashid, Chair
Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board

Date: August 31, 2022

Campaign Finance & Public Disclosure Board

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Complaint for Violation of the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Act

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All information on this form is confidential until a decision is issued by the Board.
A photocopy of the entire complaint, however, will be sent to the respondent.

Information about complaint filer

Name of complaint filer Bob Foster	
Address 2284 Pinewood Dr	Email address Foster491@aol.com
City, state, and zip Shakopee, MN 55379	Telephone (Daytime)

Identify person/entity you are complaining about

Name of person/entity being complained about	Scott County RPM - Joseph Ditto
Address	PO Box 623
City, state, zip	Shakopee, MN, 55379
Title of respondent (If applicable)	Chair
Board/Department/Agency/District # (If legislator)	Registration number: 20868


Signature of person filing complaint

8-15-22
Date

Send completed form to:

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190 Centennial Office Building
658 Cedar Street
St. Paul, MN 55155

If you have questions:

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Give the statutory cite to the section of Chapter 10A, Chapter 211B, 10A.176, 10A.20, 211B.02, 211B.06, or Minnesota Rules you believe has been violated: _____

You will find the complete text of Chapter 10A, Chapter 211B, and Minnesota Rules chapters 4501 - 4525 on the Board's website at www.cfboard.state.mn.us.

Nature of complaint

Explain in detail why you believe the respondent has violated the campaign finance and public disclosure laws. Attach an extra sheet of paper if necessary. Attach any documents, materials, minutes, resolutions, or other evidence to support your allegations.

See Attached.

Minnesota Statutes section 10A.022, subdivision 3, describes the procedures required for investigating complaints. A full description of the complaint process is available on the Board's website.

Briefly, the Board will notify you when it has received your complaint. The Board must send a copy of the complaint to the respondent. Complaints and investigations are confidential. Board members and staff cannot talk about an investigation except as required to carry out the investigation or to take action in the matter. After the Board issues a decision, the record of the investigation is public.

The law requires a complaint to go through two stages before the Board can begin an investigation: a prima facie determination and a probable cause decision. If the complaint does not pass one of the stages, it must be dismissed.

The Board has 10 business days after receiving your complaint to determine whether the complaint is sufficient to allege a prima facie violation of the campaign finance laws. If the Board determines that the complaint does allege a prima facie violation, the Board has 45 days to decide whether probable cause exists to believe a violation that warrants a formal investigation has occurred. Both you and the respondent have the right to be heard on the issue of probable cause before the Board makes this decision. The Board will notify you if the complaint moves to the probable cause stage.

If the Board determines that probable cause does not exist, the Board will dismiss the complaint. If the Board determines that probable cause exists, the Board will start an investigation. The Board will send you monthly updates regarding the status of the investigation. At the end of the investigation, the Board will offer you and the respondent the opportunity to be heard before the Board makes a final decision.

In most cases, the Board will issue findings, conclusions, and an order as its decision. For a spending or contribution limits violation, the Board can enter into a conciliation agreement with the respondent instead of issuing findings, conclusions, and an order. The Board's final decision will be sent to you and posted on the Board's website.

Nature of complaint

Explain in detail why you believe the respondent has violated the campaign finance and public disclosure laws. Attach an extra sheet of paper if necessary. Attach any documents, materials, minutes, resolutions, or other evidence to support your allegations

10A.176 COORDINATED EXPENDITURES. [Sec. 10A.176 MN Statutes](#)

Scott County RPM provided access to a paid fair booth. The Scott County RPM did not have authority to act on behalf of the party unit and therefore not deemed a party unit expenditure, violating Sub 7 (1) and (2), Candidates Participation. Candidate and Scott County RPM coordinated booth time to speak and distribute materials. Materials included campaign literature and water bottles with campaign logos. (See attached pictures) This would have otherwise come at a cost to the candidate.

211B.02 FALSE CLAIM OF SUPPORT [Sec. 211B.02 MN Statutes](#)

The Scott County RPM cannot directly or indirectly claim support for candidate Erik Mortensen by allowing the use of the Scott County Fair booth. As the constitution of the organization clearly states, the Scott County RPM can only support endorsed candidates. By use of the booth they have made a false claim of support, which was not granted by the delegates.

211B.06 FALSE POLITICAL AND CAMPAIGN MATERIAL (Gross Misdemeanor) [Sec. 211B.06 MN Statutes](#)

The Scott County RPM made statements in a press release which were false. Bob Loonan does not have a repeated history of Campaign Finance violations. Records show one claim by Erik Mortensen was dismissed in 2020 and no violations on the board enforcement actions log for 2018, as stated in the press release.

211B.06 FALSE POLITICAL AND CAMPAIGN MATERIAL (Gross Misdemeanor) [Sec. 211B.06 MN Statutes](#)

By allowing use of the Scott County Fair Booth, Scott County RPM falsely participated in the dissemination of campaign materials. Erik Mortensen was not endorsed at the HD54A convention as the delegates voted to not endorse for the HD 54A primary ballot question. Under the terms of its governing constitution, "To comply with Article V, Section 3.A.6 of the

Republican Party of Minnesota Constitution, it is the duty and responsibility of the Scott County GOP to only support the election of endorsed Republican candidates at the state....” the Scott County RPM did not have the authority support candidate Mortensen and therefore is falsely claiming endorsement support.

10A.20 CAMPAIGN REPORTS [Sec. 10A.20 MN Statutes](#)

The Scott County RPM did not disclose the itemized campaign expense in supporting Erik Mortensen. A payment was made on 5/4/2022 to the Scott County Fair but no “In Kind” contribution was reported in the required Schedule B2A-PCC Direct Contributions to Candidate Committees. Since the Scott County RPM was unable to support the candidate as part of normal operating expenses as shown, the Scott County RPM can only support the election of endorsed Republican candidates.



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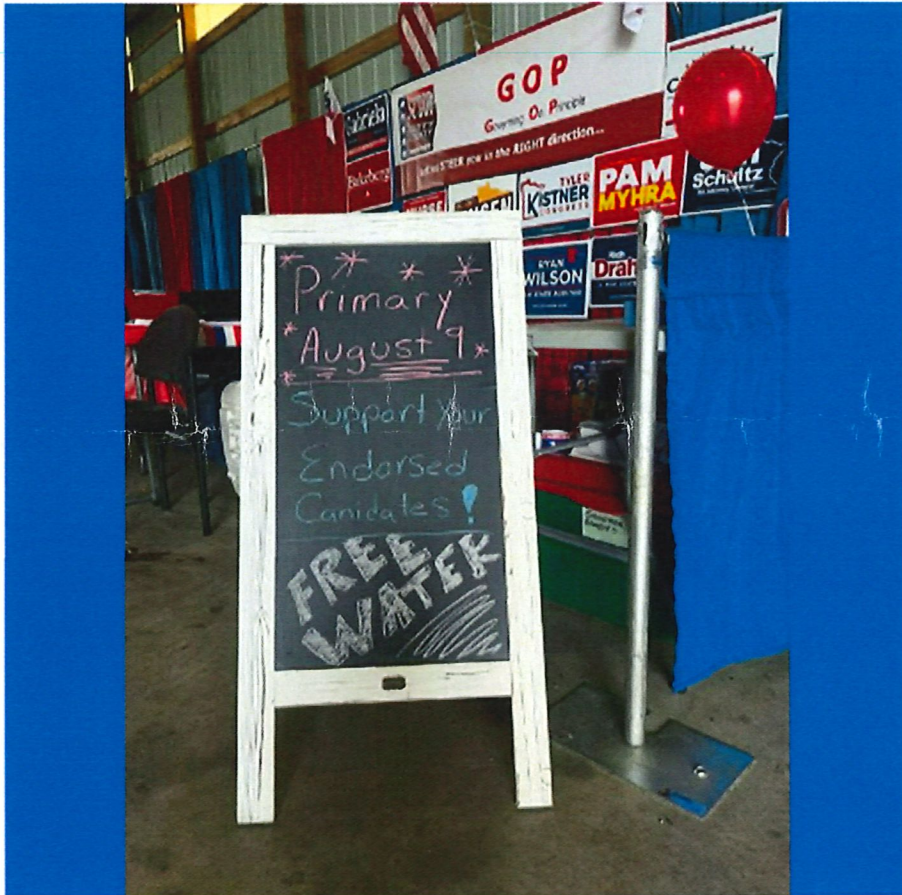
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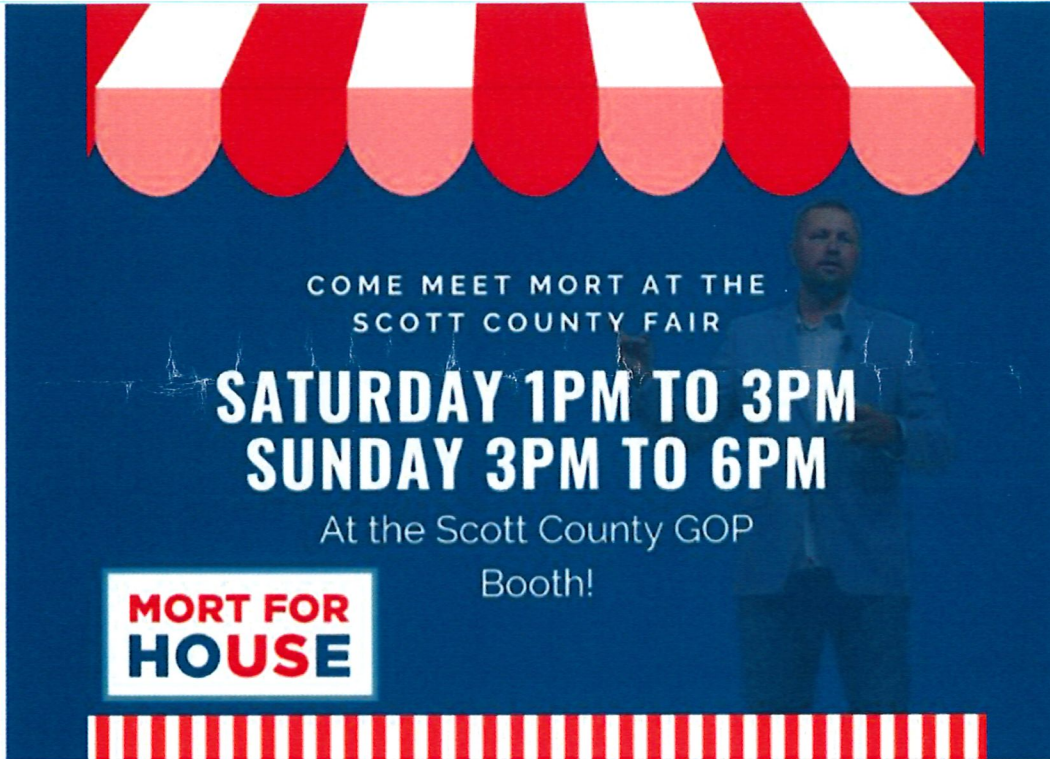


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Looking forward to seeing everyone at the Scott County Fair this weekend!



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 3, 2022

Contact: Dale Even

Email: dale.even@reagan.com

Criminal Bob Loonan GUILTY Again

Shakopee, Minn. – Today the Office of Administrative Hearings found Bob Loonan GUILTY after a full hearing of the evidence about his criminal activity which violated the Fair Campaign Practices law. The Fair Campaign Practices law aims to protect individuals and entities from those making fraudulent claims of being endorsed by candidates or their surrogates that are not officially endorsed. He must pay a fine by Sept. 2, 2022.

On June 18th, 2022, Bob Loonan was busted breaking the Fair Campaign Practices law fraudulently claiming he was endorsed by the Republican party and distributing literature trying to deceive Republican voters when he was NOT endorsed. He also falsely claimed he was up for re-election when he had not been in elected office for years, being rejected by voters over and over again. “Today justice was served and the rule of law upheld against the repeat violator Bob Loonan.” Scott County GOP Spokesman Dale Even said.

Bob has been known for violations of Campaign Finance laws in 2018; fined \$10,000 for falsifying educational hours in 2015; and suspended from being allowed to teach education classes by the Minnesota Department of Commerce and yet again just months ago Bob was again fined another \$10,000 by the Minnesota Department Commerce for insurance class violations.

Now Bob has been found GUILTY of breaking the Fair Campaign Practices Laws. Bob’s failed defense by his high-priced, unsuccessful lawyer, Rondell Reid LeBeau II, attempted to brush off the issue and demand lawyers fees. “After multiple reviews by judges who considered if there were prima facie

violation and probable cause, a three judge panel saw right through Bob Looan and his lawyers' weak and unsupported defense. Ultimately Bob was found GUILTY of violating the Fair Campaign Practices laws," Dale stated.

"This shows that average, everyday working people can hold the Political Class and politically well-connected accountable for their corrupt ways," said Jim Krause, Director At-Large for the Scott County GOP, who filed the complaint with the Office of Administrative Hearings as required by law.

From the FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER:

"Complainant established by a preponderance of the evidence that Respondent disseminated or was responsible for the dissemination of the campaign material observed at homes in the Shakopee area on June 18, 2022. Complainant established by a preponderance of the evidence that Respondent violated Minn. Stat. § 211B.02, by knowingly and falsely implying that he had the endorsement of the Minnesota Republican Party and the Minnesota Chamber of Commerce. Complainant established by a preponderance of the evidence that Respondent violated Minn. Stat. § 211B.03, by using the term "re-elect" in a campaign for elective office on or about June 18, 2022."

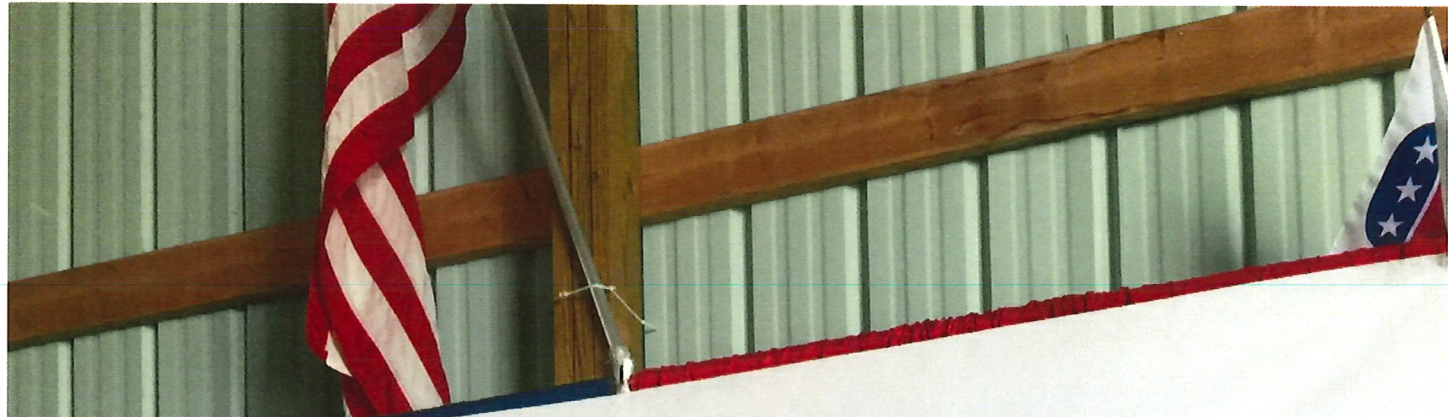
"We've stated from the beginning that we would hold Bob accountable for major violations of the Fair Campaign Practices laws, for fraudulently claiming our endorsement and his damaging and illegal behavior of deceiving Republicans. The rule of law has prevailed and Bob has been held to account." Dale concluded.

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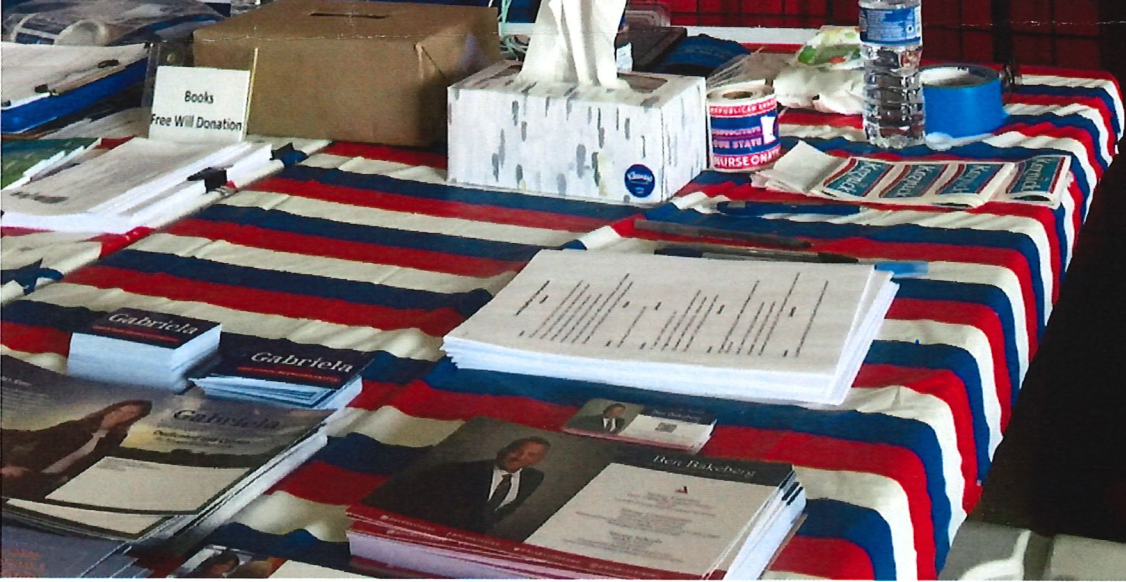
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September 2022**

ACTIVE FILES

Candidate/Treasurer/ Lobbyist	Committee/Agency	Report Missing/ Violation	Late Fee/ Civil Penalty	Referred to AGO	Date S&C Personally Served	Default Hearing Date	Date Judgment Entered	Case Status
Ashley Martinez- Perez, Candidate	Ashley Martinez- Perez for MN House	2020 pre-general report of receipts and expenditures due 10/26/20, filed 10/28/20 2020 year end report of receipts and expenditures due 1/31/22, not filed	\$100 LFF \$1,000 LFF	6/13/22	8/12/22			
Jae Hyun Shim		Statement of Economic Interest due 1/25/2021	\$100 LFF \$1,000CP	9/7/21	2/9/22			Default judgment motion filed August 15.