



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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DEFENDERS OF FREEDOM AND SECURITY  
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**Response Due Date**  
**03/25/2019**

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00536664

REFERENCE: 12 DAY PRE-GENERAL REPORT (10/01/2018 - 10/17/2018)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

1. Schedule E of your report indicates that your committee may have failed to file one or more of the required 48 hour report(s) for independent expenditures (see attached). A political committee must file a 48 hour report with the Federal Election Commission as specified in 11 CFR §104.4(b), within 48 hours of any independent expenditures aggregating \$10,000 or more with respect to a given election, made any time during the calendar year up to and including the 20th day before an election. The report must be received by the Commission by 11:59 p.m. on the second day following the date on which independent expenditures that aggregate \$10,000 or more are publicly distributed or disseminated. These expenditures must then be fully itemized on Schedule E, or as memo entries on Schedule E and reflected on Schedule D if distributed or disseminated prior to payment, of the next report required to be filed by the committee. Although the Commission may take further action concerning this matter, your prompt response will be taken into consideration. (11 CFR §104.3(b))
2. Schedule E discloses Calendar Year-To-Date Per Election total(s) for California House 7th District which appear to be incorrect. Please amend your report to provide the correct total(s) on Schedule E. (52 U.S.C. §30104(b)(4) (formerly 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(4)) and 11 CFR §104.4(f))

**Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter.** Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due

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date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. For additional information about the report review process or specific filing information for your committee type, please visit <http://transition.fec.gov/rad/>. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1172.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jack Baisden". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jack Baisden  
Sr. Campaign Finance & Reviewing Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

**Missing 48 Hour Report (Schedule E)**  
**Defenders of Freedom and Security (C00536664)**

| <b>Name of Payee</b>    | <b>Dissemination<br/>Date</b> | <b>Amount</b> | <b>Candidate</b> | <b>Election</b> |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Moundsprings Strategies | 10/12/18                      | \$4,935.00    | GRANT, ANDREW    | G2018           |
| Moundsprings Strategies | 10/12/18                      | \$500.00      | GRANT, ANDREW    | G2018           |