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NWPS Employee's PAC
Northwestern Public Service Company

33 3rd St. SE
Huron, SD 57350

October 10, 2000

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Washington, DC 20463

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is the October 15 Quarterly Report for NWPS Employees' PAC of Northwestern Public Service Company, FEC C-00187799.

Sincerely,

Don Oberlander

Don Oberlander
NWPS Employees' PAC
Secretary/Treasurer

REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For Other Than An Authorized Committee
(Summary Page)

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1. NAME OF COMMITTEE (In full)
NorthWestern Public Service Co.
NWPS Employees PAC / Don Oberlander

ADDRESS (number and street) ☐ Check if different than previously reported
33 3rd Street SE

CITY, STATE and ZIP CODE
Huron, SD 57350

2. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
C-00187799

3. ☒ This committee has qualified as a multicandidate committee. (see FEC FORM 1M)

4. TYPE OF REPORT

(a) ☐ April 15 Quarterly Report
☐ July 15 Quarterly Report
☒ October 15 Quarterly Report
☐ January 31 Year End Report
☐ July 31 Mid Year Report (Non-election Year Only)
☐ Termination Report

Monthly Report Due On:
☐ February 20 ☐ June 20 ☐ October 20
☐ March 20 ☐ July 20 ☐ November 20
☐ April 20 ☐ August 20 ☐ December 20
☐ May 20 ☐ September 20 ☐ January 31

☐ 12-Day Pre-Election Report for the _____ (Type of Election)
election on _____ in the State of _____

☐ 30-Day Post-Election Report following the General Election
on _____ in the State of _____

(b) Is this Report an Amendment? ☐ YES ☒ NO

SUMMARY	COLUMN A This Period	COLUMN B Calendar Year-to-Date
5. Covering Period 7-1-00 through 9-30-00		
6. (a) Cash on Hand January 1, 2000		$ 39,944.44
(b) Cash on Hand at Beginning of Reporting Period	$ 42,760.08	
(c) Total Receipts (from Line 19)	$ 5,154.67	$ 15,237 51
(d) Subtotal (add Lines 6(b) and 6(c) for Column A and Lines 6(a) and 6(c) for Column B)	$ 47,914 75	$ 55,181 95
7. Total Disbursements (from Line 30)	$ 7,800 00	$ 15,067 20
8. Cash on Hand at Close of Reporting Period (subtract Line 7 from Line 6(d))	$ 40,114.75	$ 40,114 75
9. Debts and Obligations Owed TO the Committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D)	$	
10. Debts and Obligations Owed BY the Committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D)	$	

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Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463
Toll Free 800-424-9530
Local 202-694-1100

I certify that I have examined this Report and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Type or Print Name of Treasurer
Don Oberlander

Signature of Treasurer
Don Oberlander

Date
10/5/00

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Report to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. §437g.

FEC FORM 3X
(revised 9/93)

DETAILED SUMMARY PAGE
OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
PAGE 2, FEC FORM 3X

(revised 1/1/91)

NAME OF COMMITTEE: NorthWestern Public Service Co. NWPS Employee's PAC

REPORT COVERING PERIOD FROM 7-1-00 TO: 9-30-00

	COLUMN A Total This Period	COLUMN B Calendar Year	
I. Receipts			
11. Contributions (other than loans) From:			
a. Individual/Persons Other Than Political Committees			
i. Itemized (use Schedule A)	4,068.23	8,702.28	11(a)(i)
ii. Unitemized	955.10	6,166.00	11(a)(ii)
iii. Total (add i and ii) ➤	5,023.33	14,868.28	11(a)(iii)
b. Political Party Committees			11(b)
c. Other Political Committees (such as PACs)			11(c)
d. Total Contributions (add a iii, b and c) ➤	5,023.33	14,868.28	11(d)
12. Transfers From Affiliated/Other Party Committees			12
13. All Loans Received			13
14. Loan Repayments Received			14
15. Offsets To Operating Expenditures (Refunds, Rebates, etc.)			15
16. Refunds of Contributions Made to Federal Candidates and Other Political Committees			16
17. Other Federal Receipts (Dividends, Interest, etc.) (Interest - bank)	131.34	369.23	17
18. Transfers from Nonfederal Account for Joint Activity			18
19. Total Receipts (add 11d, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18) ➤	5,154.67	15,237.51	19
20. Total Federal Receipts (subtract line 18 from line 19) ➤	5,154.67	15,237.51	20
II. Disbursements			
21. Operating Expenditures:			
a. Shared Federal/Non-Federal Activity (from Schedule H4)			
i. Federal Share			21(a)(i)
ii. Non-Federal Share			21(a)(ii)
b. Other Federal Operating Expenditures Bank Fees	50.00	187.20	21(b)
c. Total Operating Expenditures (add a i, a ii, and b) ➤	50.00	187.20	21(c)
22. Transfers to Affiliated/Other Party Committees			22
23. Contributions to Federal Candidates/Committees and Other Political Committees	6,000.00	13,130.00	23
24. Independent Expenditures (use Schedule E)			24
25. Coordinated Expenditures Made by Party Committees (2 U.S.C. 441a(d)) (use Schedule F)			25
26. Loan Repayments Made			26
27. Loans Made			27
28. Refunds of Contributions To:			
a. Individuals/Persons Other Than Political Committees			28(a)
b. Political Party Committees			28(b)
c. Other Political Committees (such as PACs)			28(c)
d. Total Contribution Refunds (add a, b and c) ➤			28(d)
29. Other Disbursements	1,750.00	1,750.00	29
30. Total Disbursements (add 21c, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28d, and 29) ➤	7,800.00	15,067.20	30
31. Total Federal Disbursements (subtract line 21 a ii from line 30) ➤	7,800.00	15,067.20	31
III. Net Contributions/Operating Expenditures			
32. Total Contributions (other than loans)(from line 11d)	5,023.33	14,868.28	32
33. Total Contribution Refunds (from line 28d)	--	--	33
34. Net Contributions (other than loans)(subtract line 33 from 32)	5,023.33	14,868.28	34
35. Total Federal Operating Expenditures (add 21 a i and 21 b) ➤	50.00	187.20	35
36. Offsets to Operating Expenditures (from line 15)			36
37. Net Operating Expenditures (subtract line 36 from 35) ➤	50.00	187.20	37

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SCHEDULE A **ITEMIZED RECEIPTS**

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)

NorthWestern Public Service Co. (NWPS Employee's PAC) 9-30-00

Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
A. Michael Hanson, 47258 272nd S, Sioux Falls, SD 57108 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Name of Employer: NorthWestern Public Service; Occupation: President & CEO; Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 1,092.87	9/30/00	374.91
B. Walter Bradley, 6105 Bay Valley Court, Flower Mound, TX 75028 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Name of Employer: NorthWestern Corp; Occupation: VP-CIO; Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 961.31	9/30/00	325.02
C. Warren Lotsberg, 1628 McDonald Dr, Huron, SD 57350 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Name of Employer: NorthWestern Public Service; Occupation: VP-Public Affairs; Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 342.20	9/30/00	117 20
D. Bobbi Schroeppel, 609 California Ave #1, Huron, SD 57350 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Name of Employer: NorthWestern Public Service; Occupation: Process Leader; Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 399 29	9/30/00	136.73
E. Rick Van Vleet, 4547 Crestview Dr, Huron, SD 57350 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Name of Employer: NorthWestern Public Service; Occupation: Client Services; Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 495.59	9/30/00	170.63
F. Merle Lewis, 3101 S Bishop Jones, Sioux Falls, SD 57103 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Name of Employer: NorthWestern Corp; Occupation: Chairman - CEO; Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 2,688.56	9/30/00	982.50
G. Rogene Thaden, 4605 S Duluth, Sioux Falls, SD 57105 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	Name of Employer: NorthWestern Corp; Occupation: VP-Communications; Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 515.09	9/30/00	176.28

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional) 2,283.27

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

NorthWestern Public Service Co. (NWPS Employee's PAC)

Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
A. Susan Anderson-Bachman, 6200 E Quartzite Dr, Sioux Falls, SD 57110 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Corp. / Corporate Attorney — Aggregate Year-to-Date $ 436.16	9/30/00	198 68
B. Richard Hylland, 3625 S Slaten Park Dr, Sioux Falls, SD 57103 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Corp. / President - COO — Aggregate Year-to-Date $ 450.00	9/30/00	150.00
C. Curtis Pohl, 694 Nicholas Court SE, Huron, SD 57350 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Public Service / Mgr-Gas Operations — Aggregate Year-to-Date $ 428.16	9/30/00	153.12
D. Daniel Newell, 1021 Lantana Circle, Sioux Falls, SD 57108 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Growth / Sr. Vice President — Aggregate Year-to-Date $ 578.53	9/30/00	201.24
E. Rodney Leyendecker, 32 45th St, Huron, SD 57350 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Energy / President - CEO — Aggregate Year-to-Date $ 381.52	9/30/00	151 48
F. Dale Jepsen, 1133 Illinois SW, Huron, SD 57350 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Energy / System Planning — Aggregate Year-to-Date $ 311.14	9/30/00	107.38
G. Glen Herr, 20892 394th Ave, Huron, SD 57350 — Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Public Service / Exec VP - COO — Aggregate Year-to-Date $ 425.00	9/30/00	206.25

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
NorthWestern Public Service Co. (NWPS Employee's PAC)

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation / Aggregate Year-to-Date	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
David Monaghan 3052 S Coral Court Sioux Falls, SD Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Corp. Occupation: Controller Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 253.24	9/30/00	89.40
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation / Aggregate Year-to-Date	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Ralph Kranzler 1814 McDonald Dr Huron, SD 57350 Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Public Service Occupation: Process Analyst Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 203.96	9/30/00	68.72
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation / Aggregate Year-to-Date	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Kathy Struck 1005 N Breckenridge Sioux Falls, SD 57110 Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Corp. Occupation: Mgr Human Resources Aggregate Year-to-Date: $	9/30/00	92.52
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation / Aggregate Year-to-Date	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Alan Dietrich 3315 S Judy Ave. Sioux Falls, SD 57103 Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Corp. Occupation: VP - Legal Admin Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 251.28	9/30/00	83.76
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation / Aggregate Year-to-Date	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
James Kennedy 150 8th St SW #11 Huron, SD 57350 Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Public Service Occupation: Marketing Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 346.81	9/30/00	104.29
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation / Aggregate Year-to-Date	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Michael Sydow 2030 Riverview Dr Huron, SD 57350 Receipt For: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify):	NorthWestern Services Group Occupation: Vice President Aggregate Year-to-Date: $ 408.16	9/30/00	178.12
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer / Occupation / Aggregate Year-to-Date	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Receipt For: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify):	Aggregate Year-to-Date: $		

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional)	616.81
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SCHEDULE B **ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS**

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
NorthWestern Public Service Co. (NWPS Employee's PAC)

Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
A. Minnehaha Republican Party 2127 S Minnesota Sioux Falls, SD 57105	PAC Contribution Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify)	9/20/00	5,000.00
B. Senator Tim Johnson Campaign 715 S Minnesota Ave. Sioux Falls, SD 57101	Contribution for U.S. Senate for S.D. Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify)		1,000.00
C.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
D.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
E.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
F.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
G.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
H.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
I.	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional) 6,000.00

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

NorthWestern Public Service Co. (NWPS Employee's PAC)

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
Friends for Frost PO Box 464 Aberdeen, SD 57401	Contribution for SD House of Rep. Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify)	7/11/00	250.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
Mark Barnett Campaign Fund PO Box 987 Pierre, SD 57501	Contribution for SD Governor Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [X] General [ ] Other (specify)	9/20/00	1,500.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
	Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
	Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
	Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
	Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
	Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
H. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
	Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		
I. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	**Purpose of Disbursement**	**Date (month, day, year)**	**Amount of Each Disbursement This Period**
	Disbursement for: [ ] Primary [ ] General [ ] Other (specify)		

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional)	1,750.00
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