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**FEC FORM 3X**

# REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

**For Other Than An Authorized Committee**

Office Use Only

1. NAME OF COMMITTEE (In full) — **USE FEC MAILING LABEL OR TYPE OR PRINT** ▼ — Example: If typing, type over the lines

IL Corn Growers Assn/Political Involvement Fund

ADDRESS (number and street) ▼ PO Box 1623

Check if different than previously reported. (ACC)

Bloomington | IL | 61702 -

2. **FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER** ▼ — CITY ▲ — STATE ▲ — ZIPCODE ▲

C00376590

3. IS THIS REPORT — X NEW (N) **OR** AMENDED (A)

4. TYPE OF REPORT (Choose One)

(a) Quarterly Reports:

- April 15 Quarterly Report(Q1)
- July 15 Quarterly Report(Q2)
- October 15 Quarterly Report(Q3)
- X January 31 Quarterly Report(YE)
- July 31 Mid-Year Report(Non-election Year Only) (MY)
- Termination Report (TER)

(b) Monthly Report Due On:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Feb 20 (M2) | May 20 (M5) | Aug 20 (M8) | Nov 20 (M11) (Non-Election Year Only) |
| Mar 20 (M3) | Jun 20 (M6) | Sep 20 (M9) | Dec 20 (M12) (Non-Election Year Only) |
| Apr 20 (M4) | Jul 20 (M7) | Oct 20 (M10) | Jan 31 (YE) |

(c) 12-Day **PRE**-Election Report for the: Primary (12P) — General (12G) — Runoff (12R) — Convention (12C) — Special (12G)

Election on — in the State of

(d) 30-Day **Post**-Election Report for the: General (30G) — Runoff (30R) — Special (30S)

Election on — in the State of

5. Covering Period 07 01 2003 through 12 31 2003

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: Ms Ann Hodgson

Signature of Treasurer: Electronically Filed by Ms Ann Hodgson — Date 01 17 2004

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

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# SUMMARY PAGE
## OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

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Write or Type Committee Name
IL Corn Growers Assn/Political Involvement Fund

Report Covering the Period: From: 07 01 2003 To: 12 31 2003

| | COLUMN A<br>This Period | COLUMN B<br>Calendar Year-to-Date |
|---|---|---|
| 6. (a) Cash on Hand January 1 2003 | | 5775.97 |
| (b) Cash on Hand at Begining of Reporting Period ..... | 6609.10 | |
| (c) Total Receipts (from Line 19) ..... | 8826.44 | 12659.57 |
| (d) Subtotal (add lines 6(b) and 6(c) for Column A and Lines 6(a) and 6(c) for Column B) ..... | 15435.54 | 18435.54 |
| 7. Total Disbursements (from Line 31) ..... | 3430.00 | 6430.00 |
| 8. Cash on Hand at Close of Reporting Period (subtract Line 7 from Line 6(d)) ..... | 12005.54 | 12005.54 |
| 9. Debts and Obligations owed **TO** the committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D) ..... | 0.00 | |
| 10. Debts and Obligations owed **BY** the committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D) ..... | 0.00 | |

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

**For further information contact:**

Federal Election Commission
999 E street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

Toll Free 800-424-9530
Local 202-694-1100

# DETAILED SUMMARY PAGE
OF RECEIPTS



Write or Type Committee Name

IL Corn Growers Assn/Political Involvement Fund

Report Covering the Period: From: 07 01 2003 To: 12 31 2003

| I. Receipts | COLUMN A Total This Period | COLUMN B Calendar Year-to-Date |
|---|---|---|
| 11. Contributions (other than loans) From: | | |
| (a) Individuals/Persons Other Than Political Committees | | |
| (i) Itemized (use Schedule A) ..... | 400.00 | |
| (ii) Unitemized ..... | 8402.00 | |
| (iii) TOTAL (add Lines 11(a)(i) and (ii) ..... ▶ | 8802.00 | 10607.00 |
| (b) Political Party Committees ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (c) Other Political Committees (such as PACs) ..... | 0.00 | 2000.00 |
| (d) Total Contributions (add Lines 11(a)(iii),(b) and (c)) (Carry Totals to Line 33, page 5) ..... ▶ | 8802.00 | 12607.00 |
| 12. Transfers From Affiliated/Other Party Committees ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 13. All Loans Received ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 14. Loan Repayments Received ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 15. Offsets To Operating Expenditures (Refunds, Rebates, etc.) (Carry Totals to Line 37, page 5) ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 16. Refunds of Contributions Made to Federal candidates and Other Political Committees ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 17. Other Federal Receipts (Dividends, Interest, etc.) ..... | 24.44 | 52.57 |
| 18. Transfers from Non-Federal and Levin Funds | | |
| (a) Non-Federal Account (from Schedule H3) ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (b) Levin Funds (from Schedule H5) ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (c) Total Transfer (add 18(a) and 18(b)). | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 19. Total Receipts (add Lines 11(d), 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18(c)) ..... | 8826.44 | 12659.57 |
| 20. Total Federal Receipts (subtract Line 18(c) from Line 19) ..... | 8826.44 | 12659.57 |

# DETAILED SUMMARY PAGE
of Disbursements

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| II. DISBURSEMENTS | COLUMN A Total This Period | COLUMN B Calendar Year-to-Date |
|---|---|---|
| 21. Operating Expenditures: | | |
| (a) Shared Federal/Non-Federal Activity (from Schedule H4) | | |
| (i) Federal Share | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (ii) Non-Federal Share | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (b) Other Federal Operating Expenditures | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (c) Total Operating Expenditures (add 21(a)(i), (a)(ii) and (b)) ▶ | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 22. Transfers to Affiliated/Other Party Committees | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 23. Contributions to Federal Candidates/Committees and Other Political Committees | 3000.00 | 6000.00 |
| 24. Independent Expenditure (use Schedule E) | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 25. Coordinated Expenditures Made by Party Committees (2 U.S.C. 441a(d)) (use Schedule F) | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 26. Loan Repayments Made | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 27. Loans Made | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 28. Refunds of Contributions To: | | |
| (a) Individuals/Persons Other Than Political Committees | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (b) Political Party Committees | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (c) Other Political Committees (such as PACs) | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (d) Total Contribution Refunds (add Lines 28(a), (b), and (c)) ▶ | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 29. Other Disbursements | 430.00 | 430.00 |
| 30. Federal Election Activity (2 U.S.C 431(20)) | | |
| (a) Shared Federal Election Activity (from Schedule H6) | | |
| (i) Federal Share | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (ii) "Levin" Share | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (b) Federal Election Activity Paid Entirely With Federal Funds | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| (c) Total Federal Election Activity (add Lines 30(a)(i), 30(a)(ii) and 30(b)) | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 31. Total Disbursements (add Lines 21(c), 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28(d), 29 and 30(c)) | 3430.00 | 6430.00 |
| 32. Total Federal Disbursements (subtract Line 21(a)(ii) from Line 30(a)(ii) from Line 31) | 3430.00 | 6430.00 |

# DETAILED SUMMARY PAGE

of Disbursements



| III. Net Contributions/Operating Expenditures | COLUMN A Total This Period | COLUMN B Calendar Year-to-Date |
|---|---|---|
| 33. Total Contributions (other than loans) from Line 11(d), page 3) ..... | 8802.00 | 12607.00 |
| 34. Total Contribution Refunds (from Line 28(d)) ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 35. Net Contributions (other than loans) (subtract Line 34 from Line 33) ..... | 8802.00 | 12607.00 |
| 36. Total Federal Operating Expenditures (add Line 21(a)(i) and Line 21(b)) ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 37. Offsets to Operating Expenditures (from Line 15, page 3) ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 38. Net Operating Expenditures (subtract Line 37 from Line 36) ..... | 0.00 | 0.00 |

## SCHEDULE A (FEC Form 3X)
## ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

Use separate schedule(s) or each category of the Detailed Summary Page

FOR LINE NUMBER: PAGE 6 / 10
(check only one)
[X] 11a [ ] 11b [ ] 11c [ ] 12
[ ] 13 [ ] 14 [ ] 15 [ ] 16 [ ] 17

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
IL Corn Growers Assn/Political Involvement Fund

A. Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)
Garry Niemeyer

Mailing Address 5 Sugar Creek Estates

City: Glenarm
State: IL
Zip Code: 62536

FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee: C

Name of Employer: Self-employed

Occupation: Farmer/Producer

Receipt For:
Primary General
Other (specify)

Aggregate Year-to-Date: 400.00

Date of Receipt: 07 08 2003

Transaction ID: SA11A1.5070

Amount of Each Receipt this Period: 400.00

Contribution

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional) ..... 400.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only) ..... 400.00

# SCHEDULE B (FEC Form 3X)
## ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

Use separate schedule(s) for each category of the Detailed Summary Page

FOR LINE NUMBER: (check only one)

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ☐ 21b | ☐ 22 | ☒ 23 | ☐ 24 | ☐ 25 | ☐ 26 |
| ☐ 27 | ☐ 28a | ☐ 28b | ☐ 28c | ☐ 29 | ☐ 30b |



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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
IL Corn Growers Assn/Political Involvement Fund

**A.**
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): National Corn Growers Association PAC
Mailing Address: 122C Street NW, STE 510
City: Washington State: DC Zip Code: 20001-2109
Purpose of Disbursement: Contribution at Fund Raiser for PAC Comm
Candidate Name:
Category/Type: 007
Office Sought: House / Senate / President
State: District:
Disbursement For: 2004 Primary X General Other (specify)
Transaction ID: SB23.5078
Date of Disbursement: 07 / 17 / 2003
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 1000.00

**B.**
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Weller for Congress
Mailing Address: PO Box 2368
City: Joliet State: IL Zip Code: 60434
Purpose of Disbursement: Contribution
Candidate Name:
Category/Type:
Office Sought: X House / Senate / President
State: IL District: 11
Disbursement For: 2004 Primary X General Other (specify)
Transaction ID: SB23.5624
Date of Disbursement: 08 / 25 / 2003
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 2000.00

| | |
|---|---|
| SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional) ▶ | 3000.00 |
| TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only) ▶ | 3000.00 |

# SCHEDULE B (FEC Form 3X)
## ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

Use separate schedule(s) for each category of the Detailed Summary Page

FOR LINE NUMBER: (check only one)
☐ 21b ☐ 22 ☐ 23 ☐ 24 ☐ 25 ☐ 26
☐ 27 ☐ 28a ☐ 28b ☐ 28c ☒ 29 ☐ 30b



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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
IL Corn Growers Assn/Political Involvement Fund

**A.**
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Illinois Corn Growers Association
Mailing Address: PO Box 1623
City: Bloomington State: IL Zip Code: 61702-1623
Purpose of Disbursement: Mbrshp Dues for George Beutel
Candidate Name:
Category/Type: 011
Office Sought: House / Senate / President / State: District
Disbursement For: Primary / General / Other (specify)
Transaction ID: SB29.5682
Date of Disbursement: 08/15/2003
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 50.00

**B.**
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Illinois Corn Growers Association
Mailing Address: PO Box 1623
City: Bloomington State: IL Zip Code: 61702-1623
Purpose of Disbursement: Mbrshp Dues for Butler and Douglas
Candidate Name:
Category/Type: 011
Office Sought: House / Senate / President / State: District
Disbursement For: Primary / General / Other (specify)
Transaction ID: SB29.5683
Date of Disbursement: 08/19/2003
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 190.00

**C.**
Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): Illinois Corn Growers Association
Mailing Address: PO Box 1623
City: Bloomington State: IL Zip Code: 61702-1623
Purpose of Disbursement: Mbrshp dues for Beutel
Candidate Name:
Category/Type: 011
Office Sought: House / Senate / President / State: District
Disbursement For: Primary / General / Other (specify)
Transaction ID: SB29.5684
Date of Disbursement: 08/20/2003
Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 95.00

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional) ..... ▶ **335.00**

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only) ..... ▶

## SCHEDULE B (FEC Form 3X)
## ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

Use separate schedule(s) for each category of the Detailed Summary Page

FOR LINE NUMBER: (check only one)

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ☐ 21b | ☐ 22 | ☐ 23 | ☐ 24 | ☐ 25 | ☐ 26 | |
| ☐ 27 | ☐ 28a | ☐ 28b | ☐ 28c | ☒ 29 | ☐ 30b | |



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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
IL Corn Growers Assn/Political Involvement Fund

A. Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)
Illinois Corn Growers Association

Mailing Address PO Box 1623

City: Bloomington
State: IL
Zip Code: 61702-1623

Purpose of Disbursement

Candidate Name

011
Category/Type

Office Sought: House / Senate / President
State: District

Disbursement For: Primary / General / Other (specify)

Transaction ID: SB29.5695
Date of Disbursement: 09 / 24 / 2003

Amount of Each Disbursement this Period: 95.00

| | |
|---|---|
| SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional) ▶ | 95.00 |
| TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only) ▶ | 430.00 |

Form/Schedule: F3XN

Transaction ID:

We had some members of our association who sent a combined check for their PAC contribution and their membership dues. So I called our FEC representative, Brandy Phillips, and she told me we should go ahead and deposit the check in our PAC account and in turn write a check to the association for the membership dues portion. Those who paid in this manner were: George Beutel, Gary & Sherry Butler, Jerry Douglass, Robert McKeighan and John Olson. Therefore, their PAC contributions appear to be higher than they actually were. I then issued checks to the association as follows to cover their membership dues portion and reported these as 'Other Disbursements': Ck. No. 1009 for $50 (McKeighan); Ck. No. 1010 for $190 (Butler and Douglass); Ck. No. 1011 for $95 (Beutel); Ck. No. 1013 for $95 (Olson). In September I attended the FEC Conference in Chicago and visited with Dorothy Yeager, Senior Communications Specialist regarding this issue. She informed me that in cases like this associations are allowed to write a check to be deposited into the PAC account for PAC contributions.