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Federal Elections Commission
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Washington, D.C. 20463

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RE: Montana Conservation Voters FEC Form 7

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find FEC Form 7 for Montana Conservation Voters, for two reporting periods, July 1, 2012 – September 30, 2012; and October 1, 2012 – October 17, 2012.

I learned that Montana Conservation Voters is required to file this for any expenditure made by the organization on a communication with members to influence the outcome of a federal election.

In the last quarter, Montana Conservation Voters engaged a consultant whose job it is to contact members and encourage their involvement in the re-election of Jon Tester for U.S. Senate. Expenses for her work for in the last reporting period and the 12 day pre-election reporting period are reflected on both reports. MCV sent a voter guide to its dues paying members endorsing the re-election of Jon Tester for U.S. Senate and the election of Kim Gillan for U.S. House. The portion of the voter guide printing and postage attributable to those races is also reflected on the reports, the original printing done in the last reporting period, and a reprint done in the 12 day pre-election reporting period.

Please contact me at 406.254.1593 if you have questions.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Theresa M. Keaveny
Executive Director

Enclosures:

- FEC Form 7, October 14, 2012
- FEC Form 7, October 23, 2012

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**REPORT OF COMMUNICATION COSTS
BY CORPORATIONS AND MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS**

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| 1. (a) NAME OF ORGANIZATION <i>Montana Conservation Voters</i> | 2. IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (Assigned by FEC) <i>81-0521030</i> |
| (b) ADDRESS (Number and Street) <i>Box 63, Billings, MT 59103</i> | 3. TYPE OF ORGANIZATION (Check Appropriate Box) <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trade Association <input type="checkbox"/> Labor Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Cooperative <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Membership Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation without capital stock |
| (c) CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE | |

4. TYPE OF REPORT (Check One):
 (a) April 15 Quarterly Report July 15 Quarterly Report October 15 Quarterly Report
 12 Day Pre-General Election Report held on _____ in the State of _____
 January 31 Year End Report

(b) Is this Report an Amendment? YES NO

5. THIS REPORT COVERS THE PERIOD *7/1/12* THROUGH *9/30/12*

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SUMMARY OF COMMUNICATION COSTS

| Type of Communication | Class or Category Communicated With | Date(s) of Communication | Check One | | Identify Candidate, Office Sought, District and State, and Whether for Primary or General Election | Cost of Communication (Per Candidate) |
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| | | | Support | Oppose | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Direct Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> Telegram <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: (Specify) <i>calls, meetings with members</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Executive/Administrative Personnel <input type="checkbox"/> Stockholders <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Members | <i>through out July, 2012 August, 2012 September, 2012</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | <i>General Election; Re-elect Sen. Jon Tester for U.S. Senate</i> | <i>\$1,795.63 in contract for services to contact members</i> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Direct Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> Telegram <input type="checkbox"/> Other: (Specify) <i>Voter Guide</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Executive/Administrative Personnel <input type="checkbox"/> Stockholders <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Members | <i>9/27/12</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | <i>General Election; Re-elect Jon Tester for U.S. Senate; Montana Election Official</i> | <i>\$ 391.00 general Election U.S. House, Montana</i> |

(NOTE: For additional communications, attach separate sheets containing the same information as above.)

TOTAL COMMUNICATION COSTS FOR THIS PERIOD \$ *2186.63*

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

Deborah M. Keaveny
 Type or Print Name Signature and Title of Person Designated to Sign This Report Date *10/4/12*

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

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a regularly scheduled general election is held. Such reports must be filed quarterly and, with respect to any general election, a 12 Day Pre-General Election Report must also be filed. The organization is required to file reports beginning with the first reporting period during which the aggregate cost for such communications exceeds \$2,000 per election as defined in 11 CFR 104.6(a)(1) of the Commission's regulations, and for each period thereafter in which the organization makes additional disbursements in connection with the same election.

— Quarterly reports must be filed no later than April 15, July 15, October 15 and January 31 of the following calendar year. Each such report must disclose all transactions from the last report filed through the last day of the calendar quarter.

— A 12 Day Pre-General Election Report must be filed no later than the 12th day before the general election and must include all transactions from the closing date of the last report filed through the 20th day before the election. A 12 Day Pre-General Election Report sent by certified or registered mail must be mailed no later than the 15th day before the election.

A document is timely filed upon delivery to the Federal Election Commission by the close of the prescribed filing date or upon deposit as registered or certified mail in an established U.S. Post Office postmarked no later than midnight of the day the report is due, except that the 12 Day Pre-General Election Report so mailed must be postmarked no later than midnight of the 15th day before the date of the election. Reports sent by first class mail must be received by the Federal Election Commission by the close of business of the prescribed filing date to be timely filed.

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