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Response Due Date 12/29/2020

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00623421

REFERENCE: OCTOBER QUARTERLY REPORT (07/30/2020 - 09/30/2020)

## 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 an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 4 item(s):

1. Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why each disbursement was made. Please amend Schedule B supporting Line 21(b) of your report to clarify the following description(s): "Candidate data for internal use." For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursement, please refer to 11 CFR 104.3(b)(3)(i).

Additional clarification regarding inadequate purposes of disbursement published in the Federal Register can be found at https://www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees/purposes-disbursement

2. Schedule E supporting Line 24 of your report discloses an independent expenditure(s) on behalf of "DONALDS, BYRON" which appears to have been publicly disseminated or distributed after the primary date(s) in the respective state(s). Please be advised that if a communication is aired in one reporting period and the payment is made in a later reporting period, the independent expenditure should be reported as a memo entry on Schedule E when the communication is publicly disseminated or distributed, and on a Schedule D if it is a reportable debt under 11 CFR §104.11. When the payment for the independent expenditure is made, the report should show a payment on Schedule E and the same payment on Schedule D, if applicable.

Please amend your report to provide further clarifying information regarding the independent expenditures disclosed after the primary date(s).

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- 3. has filed a 24 for Your committee hour report an independent expenditure supporting "LOOMER, LAURA" (see attached) which has not been itemized on Schedule E supporting Line 24 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please be advised that independent expenditures disclosed on 24 hour reports must also be itemized on a corresponding Schedule E or MEMO Schedule E and Schedule D (if applicable), in the appropriate reporting period. Further, if the actual payment(s) for the independent expenditure(s) occurs after the date of dissemination, the appropriate report(s) should continue to show payment on Schedule E and Schedule D, until the debt is fully extinguished. Please amend your report and any subsequent reports that may be affected by this correction. (11 CFR §104.4)
- **4.** Schedule E supporting Line 24 of your report discloses Independent Expenditures supporting "BOEBERT, LAUREN N" for the 2020 Colorado General election for District 2. However, you have disclosed the Office Sought information for the 2020 Colorado General election for the District 3. Please amend Schedule E to provide the correct candidate, address, election designation, office sought, state and district information. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3) (vii)

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 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 information about the report review process or specific filing information for your committee type, please visit www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees. For more information about Requests for Additional Information (RFAI), why you received a letter, and how to respond, please visit www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees/request-additional-information. Should you 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) 694-1144.

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Sincerely,

Terez Ray

Campaign Finance Analyst

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## Missing Schedule E (24 Hour Report) American Liberty Fund (C00623421)

Name of Payee	Dissemination Date	Amount	Candidate	Election
Meida Bridge LLC	8/7/20	\$1,500.00	LOOMER, LAURA	P2020 - FL