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**Response Due Date**  
**05/22/2017**

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00454074

REFERENCE: APRIL MONTHLY REPORT (01/01/2016 - 03/31/2016)

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 3 item(s):

1. Commission Regulations require the continuous reporting of all outstanding debts. This report omits debts itemized on your previous report(s). Please file an amendment to your report to disclose the current status of these omitted debts: "Russo Marsh & Associates, Inc.," "Sunrise Data Services," "Southwest Publishing & Mailing," "Rite Envelope & Graphics Inc," "Advanced Response Systems," and "Allied Printing Resources." (11 CFR §§ 104.3(d) and 104.11)
2. Schedule D of your report itemizes debt owed to "Russo Marsh & Associates, Inc.," "Sunrise Data Services," "Nova List," "Image Direct," "Corporate Press," "Sweeney, Greene & Roberts LLP," "Sweeney, Greene & Roberts LLP," and "Tri-State Envelope Corporation" with an outstanding beginning balance(s) not included on your previous report. Please file an amendment to your report(s) to correct this discrepancy. (11 CFR § 104.11(b))
3. Your report discloses debts with outstanding beginning balances that do not equal the corresponding closing balances of your previous report (see attached). These amounts should be the same. Please correct these discrepancies and file an amendment to your report(s). (52 U.S.C. §30104(b)(8) (formerly 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(8)) and 11 CFR §104.11)

**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 the Reports Analysis Division's Frequently Asked Questions on the FEC website. 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) 694-1164.

Sincerely,



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**Debts with Balance Discrepancies**  
**TEAPARTYEXPRESS.ORG (C00454074)**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Closing Balance 2015 Amended Year-End Report</b>	<b>Opening Balance 2016 April Monthly Report</b>
HSP Direct	\$2,599.30	\$24,184.20
Washington Intelligence Bureau	\$9,881.97	\$10,675.57
RST Marketing Associates	\$9,440.84	\$10,870.30
MDI Imaging & Mailing	\$5,877.84	\$14,268.96
Postage For Direct Mail Fundraising	\$21,299.82	\$3,699.51
DonorBureau	\$753.42	\$865.38