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Matt Rosendale for MontanaFEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
C00548289

Mailing Address PO Box 4907

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January 31, 2018

Ms. Shannon Ringgold
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division
Federal Election Commission

Dear Ms. Ringgold,
Matt Rosendale for Montana, FEC ID #C00548289, is in receipt of your Request for Additional Information dated December 27, 2018, regarding the Committee's 30-Day Post-General Report (10/18/2018-11/26/2018).
1. The Commission lists contributions from individuals which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Federal Election Campaign Act. These are addressed below

The following donors' contribution records have been reviewed and the excess portion of their contribution has been refunded. This will be reflected on the Committee's Year End report.

Diefenthal, Edward
Franzen, Paul
Gilhousen, Karen
Klingenstein, Thomas

The following donors' contribution records have been reviewed and the committee has determined they are the same individual. The excess portion of the contribution has been refunded. This will be reflected on the Committee's April Quarterly report.

Guenther, Jack Jr.
Gunter, Jack

2. The Commission has requested clarification on contributions received after the 2014 Primary election that are designated for the 2014 Primary. The committee notes that the reported transactions are relevant to the Primary 2014 election only as the candidate was unsuccessful in the Primary and did not participate in the 2014 General election. As such, the committee calculated its net outstanding debts as of the date of the primary election. Because the committee was in a net debts situation as of that date, it solicited contributions from donors who were eligible to donate to the debt retirement effort with specific instructions for each donor to affirmatively acknowledge that he or she was contributing to Primary 2014 debt retirement.

With regard to any donors whose contributions were designated to the 2018 General election or were received after the Primary date, the committee has now received written designated permission to apply their contributions to Primary 2014 debt reduction if their donations were eligible for such redesignations with regard to limit considerations. Otherwise, the committee has refunded their donations in full within 60 days of contribution. The committee's report reflects these activities as described.

3. The Commission has requested clarification on Schedule A of our report on "last minute" contributions received during the 48-hour notice reporting period but not filed on a 48-hour notice. The following donors' contribution records have been reviewed and the committee has determined the contributions were presumptively reattributed to spouse. As such, they were disclosed on a 48-hour notice, as received, in the name of the spouse. Subsequently, the committee, upon review of the receipt and previous contributions, presumptively reattributed the contribution in full and notified the donors.

Sinquefield, Jeanne
Hope, Kristen

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4. The Commission has requested clarification on Schedule A of our report on "last minute" contributions disclosed on 48-hour notice but not appearing on this report. The following donors' contribution records have been reviewed and the committee has determined the contributions were presumptively reattributed to spouse. As such, they were disclosed, as received, in the name of the spouse. Subsequently, the committee, upon review of the receipt and previous contributions, presumptively reattributed the contribution in full and notified the donors.

Sinquefield, Rex
Hope, Michael

Sincerely,

Cabell Hobbs
Assistant Treasurer