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FRIENDS TO ELECT LATERESA A JONES  
401 N ROSEMARY AVE  
WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33401

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00552711

REFERENCE: PRE-PRIMARY REPORT (07/01/2020 - 07/29/2020)

Dear Treasurer:

It has come to the attention of the Federal Election Commission that you may have failed to file the above referenced report of receipts and disbursements as required by the Federal Election Campaign Act, as amended. 52 U.S.C. §30104(a)

You will be allowed until 5:00 pm est on the fourth (4th) business day from the date of this notice to file this report to avoid publication. If you have already filed the report by express, certified or registered mail or are planning to file it within four (4) business days from the date of this notice, please notify us immediately of the certified, registered or express tracking number and the date that the report was sent.

If you are a paper filer, the report must be filed with the Federal Election Commission, 1050 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20002. Please note, on June 18, 2020, the Federal Election Commission began the initial phase (Phase I) of its return to normal operations. At this stage, the agency's offices will remain closed to visitors and most of its employees will continue to telework in an effort to limit the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19). The Commission is processing some documents submitted by mail, though processing will not occur on a daily basis until the agency resumes normal mail operations. Reports sent by registered mail, overnight delivery, or certified mail, are considered filed with the FEC as of the date of the postmark. Reports submitted by first-class mail will be considered filed when actually received by Commission staff, subject to delays resulting from the agency's limited mail processing. The Commission will not be able to receive or process reports filed by courier service during Phase I. The FEC does not have statutory authority to extend filing deadlines, but it may choose not to pursue administrative fines against filers prevented from filing by reasonably unforeseen circumstances beyond their control.

Please note that electronic filers must submit their reports electronically, as per 11 CFR §104.18. A copy of the report must also be filed with the Secretary of State or equivalent State officer unless the state is exempt from the federal requirement to receive and

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maintain paper copies. You can verify the Commission's receipt of any documents submitted by your committee on the FEC website at [www.fec.gov](http://www.fec.gov).

In addition, the failure to timely file this report may result in civil money penalties, an audit or other legal enforcement action. The civil money penalty calculation for late reports does not include a grace period and begins on the day following the due date for the report.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Christopher Ritchie in the Reports Analysis Division on our toll-free number (800)424-9530. The analyst's direct number is (202)694-1146.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debbie Chacona".

Deborah Chacona  
Assistant Staff Director  
Reports Analysis Division