



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
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**Response Due Date**  
**12/06/2022**

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00775528

REFERENCE: JULY QUARTERLY REPORT (04/01/2022 - 06/30/2022)

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 loans. This report omits the loan(s) itemized on your previous report(s). Please amend your report(s) to indicate the current status of the following loan(s): the \$30,000.00 from Martin Hyde loaned on 7/1/2021, the \$4,000.00 from Martin Hyde loaned on 8/13/2021, and the \$100,000.00 from Martin Hyde loaned on 10/1/2021. (11 CFR §§ 104.3(d) and 104.11)
2. Schedule C of your report fails to include information required by Commission Regulations. Additionally, on Schedule C of your report, you have itemized a loan for which you have used the committee's name as the loan source. With every report submitted, you must provide the name and address of the loan source, the date incurred, the original amount of the loan, the due date, the interest rate, the cumulative payment, and the outstanding balance. In addition, if there are any endorsers or guarantors, their mailing address, along with the name of their employer and occupation, must be disclosed. Please amend your report to include the due date and interest rate for the following loan: the \$30,000.00 loan received on 6/1/2022. (11 CFR §§ 100.52(a), 100.52(b) and 104.3(d))
3. When a committee reports receiving a loan from the candidate, it is necessary to clarify whether or not the candidate used personal funds or borrowed the money from a lending institution or some other source. Please amend your report to indicate whether the loan is from the candidate's personal funds or if

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he/she obtained the loan from a bank loan, brokerage account, credit card, home equity line of credit, or other line of credit.

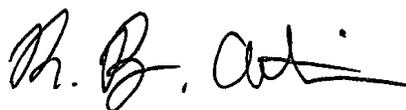
If the candidate loan was obtained from a lending institution, you must also file a Schedule C-1 with the Commission, providing the name of the lending institution and the complete terms of the loan between the candidate and the lending institution. Schedule C-1 can be downloaded from the FEC website at <http://www.fec.gov>.

If the loan(s) was from personal funds, please acknowledge that fact in an amendment to this report. It is important to note that "personal funds" is strictly defined by Commission Regulations. (11 CFR §100.33)

**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](http://www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees). For more information about Requests for Additional Information (RAI), why you received a letter, and how to respond, please visit [www.fec.gov/help-candidates-and-committees/request-additional-information](http://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) 694-1196.

Sincerely,



Bradley Austin

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