

This is in response to the letter dated 4/17/09 referencing the Year End Report (11/25/08-12/31/08):

- 1. All payments for 'Non-Allocable Mail' were made for exempt activity (mailings in which volunteers had substantial involvement with each mail piece) and are not allocable to any candidate.
- 2. None of the payments for 'Internet ads', 'Envelope Printing', 'Stamps', 'Business reply mail postage', 'Postage for meter', 'Form printing', and 'Bulk Mail Permit Fee' were made for an activity that referred to, promoted, supported, attacked or opposed any candidate for Federal office, nor did they contain express advocacy.
- 3. The payment for 'Reimbursement: Staff bonus gift cards' has been itemized in a memo entry in the amended report uploaded with this miscellaneous electronic submission (\$2520 memo entry to CBL & Associates).
- 4. None of the expeditures made for 'Fundraising consulting' or 'Finance mailing- not FEA' were made on behalf of specifically identified federal candidates.