

# FEC FORM 1

# STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION

Office Use Only

1. NAME OF COMMITTEE (in full)  (Check if name is changed) Example: If typing, type over the lines. 12FE4M5

Melanie Williams for Congress 2026

ADDRESS (number and street) 663 N 132nd St  
 (Check if address is changed) PMB7525  
Omaha NE 68154  
CITY ▲ STATE ▲ ZIP CODE ▲

COMMITTEE'S E-MAIL ADDRESS  
 (Check if address is changed) MelanieforCongress2026@gmail.com

Optional Second E-Mail Address  
KentSmotherman@gmail.com

COMMITTEE'S WEB PAGE ADDRESS (URL)  
 (Check if address is changed)

2. DATE 02 / 23 / 2026

3. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER C C00940510

4. IS THIS STATEMENT  NEW (N) OR  AMENDED (A)

I certify that I have examined this Statement and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Type or Print Name of Treasurer Smotherman, Kent, L, ,

Signature of Treasurer Smotherman, Kent, L, , Date 02 / 23 / 2026

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Statement to the penalties of 52 U.S.C. §30109. ANY CHANGE IN INFORMATION SHOULD BE REPORTED WITHIN 10 DAYS.

5. TYPE OF COMMITTEE:

**Candidate Committee:**

- (a)  This committee is a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)
- (b)  This committee is an authorized committee, and is NOT a principal campaign committee. (Complete the candidate information below.)

Name of Candidate Williams, Melanie, S, ,

Candidate Party Affiliation  DEM  REP  LIB  IND  OTH

Office Sought:  House  Senate  President

State  AL  AK  AZ  CA  CO  CT  DC  DE  FL  GA  HI  IA  IL  IN  KS  KY  LA  MA  MD  ME  MI  MN  MO  MS  MT  NE  NH  NJ  NM  NV  NY  OH  OK  OR  PA  RI  SC  SD  TN  TX  UT  VT  WA  WI  WY

District  01  02  03  04  05  06  07  08  09  10  11  12  13  14  15  16  17  18  19  20  21  22  23  24  25  26  27  28  29  30  31  32  33  34  35  36  37  38  39  40  41  42  43  44  45  46  47  48  49  50

- (c)  This committee supports/opposes only one candidate, and is NOT an authorized committee.

Name of Candidate \_\_\_\_\_

**Party Committee:**

- (d)  This committee is a \_\_\_\_\_ (National, State or subordinate) committee of the \_\_\_\_\_ (Democratic, Republican, etc.) Party

**Political Action Committee (PAC):**

- (e)  This committee is a separate segregated fund. (Identify connected organization on line 6.) Its connected organization is a:

- Corporation  Corporation w/o Capital Stock  Labor Organization
- Membership Organization  Trade Association  Cooperative

In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.

- (f)  This committee supports/opposes more than one Federal candidate, and is NOT a separate segregated fund or party committee. (i.e., nonconnected committee)

In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.

In addition, this committee is a Leadership PAC. (Identify sponsor on line 6.)

- (g)  This committee is an independent expenditure-only political committee (Super PAC).

In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.

- (h)  This committee is a political committee with both contribution and non-contribution accounts (Hybrid PAC).

In addition, this committee is a Lobbyist/Registrant PAC.

**Joint Fundraising Representative:**

- (i)  This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, at least one of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.
- (j)  This committee collects contributions, pays fundraising expenses and disburses net proceeds for two or more political committees/organizations, none of which is an authorized committee of a federal candidate.

Committees Participating in Joint Fundraiser

1. \_\_\_\_\_

C \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

C \_\_\_\_\_

Write or Type Committee Name

# Melanie Williams for Congress 2026

6. Name of Any Connected Organization, Affiliated Committee, Joint Fundraising Representative, or Leadership PAC Sponsor

NONE

Mailing Address

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Relationship:  Connected Organization  Affiliated Organization  Joint Fundraising Representative  Leadership PAC Sponsor

7. Custodian of Records: Identify by name, address (phone number -- optional) and position of the person in possession of committee books and records.

Full Name Smotherman, Kent, L, ,

Mailing Address 16022 Orchard Circle

Omaha

NE

68135

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STATE ▲

ZIP CODE ▲

Title or Position ▼

Custodian of Records

Telephone number 402 - 718 - 5784

8. Treasurer: List the name and address (phone number -- optional) of the treasurer of the committee; and the name and address of any designated agent (e.g., assistant treasurer).

Full Name of Treasurer Smotherman, Kent, L, ,

Mailing Address 16022 Orchard Circle

Omaha

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STATE ▲

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Title or Position ▼

Telephone number 402 - 718 - 5784

Full Name of Designated Agent

[Grid for Full Name of Designated Agent]

Mailing Address

[Grid for Mailing Address Line 1]

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[Grid for Mailing Address Line 3]

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Title or Position ▼

[Grid for Title or Position]

Telephone number

[Grid for Telephone Number]

9. Banks or Other Depositories: List all banks or other depositories in which the committee deposits funds, holds accounts, rents safety deposit boxes or maintains funds.

Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

FNBO

[Grid for Name of Bank, Depository, etc.]

Mailing Address

[Grid for Mailing Address Line 1: 1601 Capitol Avenue]

[Grid for Mailing Address Line 2]

[Grid for Mailing Address Line 3: Omaha, NE, 68102]

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Name of Bank, Depository, etc.

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Mailing Address

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