

REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For Other Than An Authorized Committee

(Summary Page)

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1. NAME OF COMMITTEE & EIN
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~~JOSEPH BOSSARDI~~ A. H. Hymel
 BETTER GOVERNMENT FUND OF MCDE
 RMDTT INCORPORATED
 PO BOX 60035
 NEW ORLEANS LA 70160

2. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

3. This committee has qualified as a multicandidate committee. (see FEC FORM 104)

4. TYPE OF REPORT


- (a) April 15 Quarterly Report
- July 15 Quarterly Report
- October 15 Quarterly Report
- January 31 Year End Report
- July 31 Mid Year Report (Non-election Year Only)
- Termination Report

Monthly Report Due On:

- February 20 June 20 October 20
- March 20 July 20 November 20
- April 20 August 20 December 20
- May 20 September 20 January 31

- Twelfth day report preceding _____
(Type of Election)
- election on _____ in the State of _____
- Thirtieth day report following the General Election on _____
in the State of _____

(b) Is this Report an Amendment? YES NO

SUMMARY		COLUMN A This Period	COLUMN B Calendar Year-to-Date
5. Covering Period	06/01/97 through 06/30/97		
6. (a) Cash on Hand January 1, 1997			\$ 5,061.57
(b) Cash on Hand at Beginning of Reporting Period		\$ 12,608.07	
(c) Total Receipts (from Line 19)		\$ 1,289.50	\$ 13,336.00
(d) Subtotal (add Lines 6(b) and 6(c) for Column A and Lines 6(a) and 6(c) for Column B)		\$ 13,897.57	\$ 18,397.57
7. Total Disbursements (from Line 30)		\$ -0-	\$ 4,500.00
8. Cash on Hand at Close of Reporting Period (subtract Line 7 from Line 6(d))		\$ 13,897.57	\$ 13,897.57
9. Debts and Obligations Owed TO the Committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D)		\$ -0-	For further information contact: Federal Election Commission 669 E Street, NW Washington, DC 20463 Toll Free 800-424-9530 Local 202-219-8420
10. Debts and Obligations Owed BY the Committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D)		\$ -0-	
I certify that I have examined this Report and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.			
Type or Print Name of Treasurer A. H. Hymel			
Signature of Treasurer 		Date 07/16/97	

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Report to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. 5437g.

FEC FORM 3X
(revised 9/93)

DETAILED SUMMARY PAGE

OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

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[revised 1/1/91]

NAME OF COMMITTEE	REPORT COVERING PERIOD		
Better Government Fund of McDermott	FROM 06/01/97	TO 06/30/97	
	COLUMN A Total This Period	COLUMN B Calendar Year	
I. Receipts			
11. Contributions (other than loans) From:			
a. Individuals/Persons Other Than Political Committees			
i. Itemized (use Schedule A)	350.00	7,100.00	11(a)(i)
ii. Unitemized	939.50	6,236.00	11(a)(ii)
Total (add i and ii) >	1,289.50	13,336.00	11(a)(iii)
b. Political Party Committees			11(b)
c. Other Political Committees (such as PACs)			11(c)
d. Total Contributions (add a iii, b and c) >	1,289.50	13,336.00	11(d)
12. Transfers From Affiliated/Other Party Committees			12
13. All Loans Received			13
14. Loan Repayments Received			14
15. Offsets To Operating Expenditures (Refunds, Rebates, etc.)			15
16. Refunds of Contributions Made to Federal Candidates and Other Political Committees			16
17. Other Federal Receipts (Dividends, Interest, etc.)			17
18. Transfers from Nonfederal Account for Joint Activity			18
19. Total Receipts (add 11d, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18) >	1,289.50	13,336.00	19
20. Total Federal Receipts (subtract line 18 from line 19) >	1,289.50	13,336.00	20
II. Disbursements			
21. Operating Expenditures:			
a. Shared Federal/Non-Federal Activity (from Schedule H4)			
i. Federal Share			21(a)(i)
ii. Non-Federal Share			21(a)(ii)
b. Other Federal Operating Expenditures			21(b)
c. Total Operating Expenditures (add a i, a ii, and b) >	-0-	-0-	21(c)
22. Transfers to Affiliated/Other Party Committees			22
23. Contributions to Federal Candidates/Committees and Other Political Committees	-0-	4,500.00	23
24. Independent Expenditures (use Schedule E)			24
25. Coordinated Expenditures Made by Party Committees (2 U.S.C. 441a(d)) (use Schedule F)			25
26. Loan Repayments Made			26
27. Loans Made			27
28. Refunds of Contributions To:			
a. Individuals/Persons Other Than Political Committees			28(a)
b. Political Party Committees			28(b)
c. Other Political Committees (such as PACs)			28(c)
d. Total Contribution Refunds (add a, b and c) >	-0-	-0-	28(d)
29. Other Disbursements			29
30. Total Disbursements (add 21c, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28d, and 29) >	-0-	4,500.00	30
31. Total Federal Disbursements (subtract line 21 a i from line 30) >	-0-	4,500.00	31
III. Net Contributions/Operating Expenditures			
32. Total Contributions (other than loans)(from line 11d)	1,289.50	13,336.00	32
33. Total Contribution Refunds (from line 28d)	-0-	-0-	33
34. Net Contributions (other than loans)(subtract line 33 from 32)	1,289.50	13,336.00	34
35. Total Federal Operating Expenditures (add 21 a i and 21 b) >	-0-	-0-	35
36. Offsets to Operating Expenditures (from line 15)	-0-	-0-	36
37. Net Operating Expenditures (subtract line 36 from 35) >	-0-	-0-	37

SCHEDULE A

ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

Use separate schedule(s) for each category of the Detailed Summary Page

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FOR LINE NUMBER

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)

Better Government Fund Of McDermott Inc.

<p>A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Robert E. Howson #10 C/D 3 Poydras St. New Orleans, LA 70112</p>	<p>Name of Employer McDermott Inc.</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year) 06/30/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period 250.00</p>
<p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 1,500.00</p>		
<p>B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code James M. Pearson 160 James Dr E St. Rose, LA 70087-9662</p>	<p>Name of Employer McDermott Inc.</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year) 06/30/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period 50.00</p>
<p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00</p>		
<p>C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Fred G. Russell 1238 Sugar Creek Sugarland, TX 77478</p>	<p>Name of Employer McDermott Inc.</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year) 06/30/97</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period 50.00</p>
<p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00</p>		
<p>D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period</p>
<p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>		
<p>E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period</p>
<p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>		
<p>F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period</p>
<p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>		
<p>G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code</p>	<p>Name of Employer</p>	<p>Date (month, day, year)</p>	<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period</p>
<p>Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):</p>	<p>Occupation Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$</p>		

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional)

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

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