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Date: December 21, 2016

To: *Skamania County Pioneer*, via email to: scpioneer@gorge.net

From: Jacob Berkey
PDC Compliance Staff

Subject: PDC complaint 10107

On December 1, 2016, the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) received a complaint from Sally Newell alleging a violation of one or more specific provisions RCW 42.17A regarding Citizens Against Needless Taxes (CANT) and Mike Miller. The complaint concerned Measures 1 and 2 to form a Parks District in Underwood Washington.

To resolve this complaint, since the area has less than 1000 registered voters, we are forwarding the complaint and response to you based on WAC 390-37-060(c). This rule allows us to forward this material according to The Campaign Fair Practices Code (FCPC). The FCPC requires the PDC to forward the complaint to the party who is alleged to have violated the FCPC, request a response, and then send the complaint and any response received, to news media. WAC 390-32-030(1)(c) prohibits the Commission from issuing comments or opinions about complaints or responses received under subsection (1) of the rule. Mr. Morasch has provided a response to the complaint, as requested, on behalf of Mike Miller and CANT. Therefore, I am emailing you a copy of Ms Newell's complaint and a response. Any questions should be directed to Sally Newell or Steve Morasch.



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Angela Rogers
Skamania County Pioneer
PO Box 219
Stevenson WA 98648

Subject: PDC complaint 10107

Dear Ms. Rogers:

I am writing to clarify that when the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) receives a complaint one of our options for resolving the complaint, based on WAC 390-37-060(c), is to contact the local paper of record as outlined in the Fair Campaign Practices Code (FCPC) WAC 390-32-010. The Commission is prohibited by WAC 390-32-010(1)(c) from issuing comments or opinions about such complaints or responses. Thus the PDC takes no position on the issues raised by Ms. Miller's complaint concerning Citizens Against Needless Taxes (CANT) and Mike Miller.

If you have questions about the process, you may contact me at 360.586.4555 or by email at Jacob.berkey@pdc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Jacob Berkey
PDC Compliance Staff

cc: Evelyn Fielding Lopez, PDC Executive Director