

To: Jennifer Hansen, Compliance Officer
Public Disclosure Commission

From: Carl Olson, Treasurer
Central Kitsap Citizens for Quality Education

Re: Glen Morgan complaint/April 10, 2018

November 8, 2018

My apologies for taking so long to respond. I have been dealing with one family life, death and health crisis after another since December of 2017 which have distracted me from being prompt in response to these allegations.

I'll begin by stating that I formally took on the role of Treasurer for the Central Kitsap Citizens for Quality Education(CKCQE)in December of 2015 following the unfortunate death of their past treasurer. I have served as treasurer for four past election campaigns in Kitsap County, the most recent being Greg Wheeler's successful bid for Bremerton Mayor in 2017, with **no** compliance issues ever being raised or brought to my attention. At no time prior to receiving Mr. Glen Morgan's official complaint through PDC communication, did he make any attempt to reach out to me for the purpose of reviewing records or making his concerns known as is the right of any citizen under PDC rules. With that being said, I question the "honest" intent of Mr. Morgan's complaints and find them without merit.

In closer review of Exhibit A, I've found a number of date discrepancies when compared with my records and confirmed PDC filing documentation. Here are a few examples:

C-3 filed on 4/10/16 for deposit made on 4/6/16(2 business days) **(108 days claimed)**
C-3 filed on 5/14/16 for deposit made on 5/11/16(2 business days) **(81 days claimed)**
C-3 filed on 6/13/16 for deposit made on 6/8/16(3 business days) **(51 days claimed)**
C-3 filed on 7/19/16 for deposit made on 7/13/16(4 business days) **(22 days claimed)**

Mr. Morgan appears to be confusing C-3's with C-4's as I review Exhibit A documentation. In addition, I'm unable to speak with any authority with regards to any matters in Exhibit A which precede the start of my tenure.

Mr. Morgan repeatedly repeats the line "on information and belief" and yet, as mentioned earlier, never reached out to afford me an opportunity to address his perceived concerns, which I could have easily put to rest. Based on my ongoing work and records as CKCQE Treasurer, I find nothing of merit in his allegations.

Should you wish to follow up in any way please call me at **360.865.7050** or e-mail me at **kitsapdemocrat52@gmail.com**.