## **Response to PDC Complaint Number 27647**

**Rod Higgins** (Fri, 24 Nov at 10:50 PM) via Email

To: pdc@pdc.wa.gov, gloriajh@comcast.net

Attn: Fox Blackhorn

Dear Mr. Blackhorn,

Regarding your notification received on November 20th of a potential violation of PDC reporting rules I offer this statement:

Ms. Karen Hardy's complaint submitted via Walter Smith appears on its face to be frivolous. The assertion that Spokane Home Builders Association contributed more than the maximum limit is refuted by Mr. Smith's own table in his missive to you.

As to the complaint about my name appearing on the Home Builders' sign, I had no prior knowledge that the sign posting was occurring, nor did I participate in their decision to post. If Mr. Smith's thinking were carried to its logical conclusion, it would seem that I would have to report each property owner that put up one of my yard signs. If indeed there is a value to be assigned, I have no idea what it would be or how to calculate it.

Sincerely,

Rod Higgins

Candidate for Spokane Valley City Council, Psn. #1