

- **Allegation One:** Solicitation of contributions from a public employee by accepting a \$1000 contribution from a supervisor at the Benton County Sherriff's office

At no time have I solicited, demanded or requested contributions from employees, co-workers or any other public official. All contributions made to my Campaign have been made freely and willingly.

- **Allegation Two:** Unauthorized acceptance of an over-limit contribution of \$4758 from the Garlick family when the limit three family members is \$3000 for any given election.

The sources of contributions for the items listed were from individuals and legal entities. The limits based on the source of the contribution amounts have not been violated. The limits based on the source of the contribution amounts have not been violated.

RCW 42.17A.005 (24) defines "Immediate family" to include the spouse or domestic partner, dependent children, and other dependent relatives, **if living in the household.**

- **Allegation Three:** Contributions that may be inappropriately reported as personal funds to conceal the source of the contributors and circumvent reporting requirements.

The personal funds that I put into my campaign were from assets that I had legal access and control of. I have always made a good income and budget my money accordingly. My ability to save money has never been a problem for me. The complainant again offers no proof just malleolus assumptions to support his political agenda.

- **Allegation Four:** Unauthorized use of public facilities to promote the candidacy which includes an official campaign photo of a Benton County patrol car as well as photos of Jerry Hatcher in full uniform and with patrol vehicles that are posted on the campaign Facebook page.

This allegation was addressed in the complainant's first complaint letter. I only use photos or videos from the local news stations or paper that are out in the public domain and I am operating in my official capacity as Sheriff. This is allowed under RCW 42.17A.555 (#3). This was also confirmed with the PDC compliance office.

Use of public office or agency facilities in campaigns—Prohibition—Exceptions.

No elective official nor any employee of his or her office nor any person appointed to or employed by any public office or agency may use or authorize the use of any of the facilities of a public office or agency, directly or indirectly, for the purpose of assisting a campaign for election of any person to any office or for the promotion of or opposition to any ballot proposition.

Facilities of a public office or agency include, but are not limited to, use of stationery, postage, machines, and equipment, use of employees of the office or agency during working hours, vehicles, office space, publications of the office or agency, and clientele lists of persons served by the office or agency. However, this does not apply to the following activities:

(1) Action taken at an open public meeting by members of an elected legislative body or by an elected board, council, or commission of a special purpose district including, but not limited to, fire districts, public hospital districts, library districts, park districts, port districts, public utility districts, school districts, sewer districts, and water districts, to express a collective decision, or to actually vote upon a motion, proposal, resolution, order, or ordinance, or to support or oppose a ballot proposition so long as (a) any required notice of the meeting includes the title and number of the ballot proposition, and (b) members of the legislative body, members of the board, council,

or commission of the special purpose district, or members of the public are afforded an approximately equal opportunity for the expression of an opposing view;

(2) A statement by an elected official in support of or in opposition to any ballot proposition at an open press conference or in response to a specific inquiry;

(3) Activities which are part of the normal and regular conduct of the office or agency.

(4) This section does not apply to any person who is a state officer or state employee as defined in RCW 42.52.010.

- **Allegation Five:** Failure to file weekly contribution reports on multiple occasions during the reporting period that starts on June 1st to capture the previous 7 days of deposits.

1) Every effort has been made to comply with reporting requirements and any errors made have been unintentional and immediately corrected once discovered.

The following rules apply to contributions:

2) Deposits must be within 5 business day of receipt of contribution and

3) Starting June 1 begin filing C-3 reports weekly each Monday for deposits made during the previous 7 days (Monday thru Sunday)

The following contributions were noted in this complaint:

1) Tim Dunn, David Douglas, Brian Darrow – Contributions received on Thursday June 29, 2017, deposited on Wednesday July 5, 2017, and C-3 filed on Monday July 10, 2017.

Deposit was made within 5 business days and C-3 filed on time the following Monday. This was timely filed and there are no issues with this deposit and reporting.

2) Rusty Morris – Contribution received Wednesday June 14, 2017 and deposited Monday June 19, 2017. Alexandria Cellars – Contribution received Thursday June 15, 2017 and deposited Monday June 19, 2017. Form C-3 was filed one day late on Tuesday June 27, 2017. The treasurer was out of town at her son's college orientation when the summary schedule of deposits was received for the June 19th deposit. The report was filed immediately after her return on Tuesday.

3) Tri City Battery – Contribution received Wednesday June 7, 2017 and deposited Tuesday June 13, 2017. The C-3 should have been filed on Monday June 19, 2017 but was filed late on Tuesday June 27, 2017. When the treasurer was reconciling the bank account on June 27th it was discovered a deposit had inadvertently been missed. The deposit was immediately entered and C-3 form filed once this was discovered.

Please see attached excel spreadsheet for verification of compliance with PDC reporting requirements and dates.

- **Allegation Six:** Failure to report expenditures on time. Sign posting permits for City of West Richland were reported on 6-7-17 instead of during April, when the signs were posted.

This allegation was addressed in my previous response to PDC on July 4, 2017.

My campaign was in contact with the City of West Richland on Monday, May 22nd, 2017 and we received the required permit documentation which I have email confirmation of. We completed the required applications and paid the associated permit fees as required. No signs were posted in Benton County in April as the complainant indicates as signs were not even ordered until May and not received until mid-May. (Sign Order confirmation attached)

- **Allegation Seven:** Failure to report in kind contributions on time. \$272 on sign wood and \$147 on sign brackets were reported on 6-10-17, even though the signs have been posted since the middle of April in Benton County.

Again no signs were put up in April as the complainant indicates. Signs were not ordered until May 5th (order confirmation attached). I received a delivery from Victory Store of campaign signs on May 18th, 2017. We didn't start posting signs until late May. I could not have posted any sign in April as I did have them.

Allegation Eight: Failure to report expenditures. Jerry Hatcher has posted over 100 4x8 foot signs around Benton County. Each has minimum of 2 4x4 and 1 section of plywood to keep them up. Only \$400 in sign wood or campaign sign framing is being reported, which doesn't account for the fair market value of the other sign components. Hatcher may have received wood and accessories from Markel Properties as an unreported in-kind contribution.

The complainant again is embellishing and presenting miss leading facts. I have less than 100 4x8 signs out and of those signs only 4 of these signs use the construction materials described by the complainant. In the complainants first complaint letter he made allegations Markel Properties had given me free advertising space, as this allegation has no merit and was addressed in the first complaint letter, now the complainant has changed his allegation to they are giving me wood and accessories as unreported contributions. Again this allegation continues to be completely untrue and without facts.

- **Allegation Nine:** False political advertising by claiming to be endorsed by the 38 Sheriffs in Washington State without producing proof of endorsement.

Please see the attached form with signatures of the State of Washington Sheriff's and their endorsement.

Monica Hatcher

From: Jerry Hatcher <jerryhatcher01@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 8, 2017 7:12 AM
To: Monica Hatcher
Subject: Fwd: VictoryStore.com: New Order # 100025442

----- Forwarded message -----

From: VictoryStore.com Sales <sales@victorystore.com>
Date: Fri, May 5, 2017 at 5:41 AM
Subject: VictoryStore.com: New Order # 100025442
To: Jerry Hatcher <jerryhatcher01@gmail.com>



Hello, Jerry Hatcher

Thank you for your order from VictoryStore.com. Once your package ships we will send an email with a link to track your order. You can check the status of your order by [logging into your account](#). If you have any questions about your order please contact us at support@victorystore.com or call us at 888-968-2688 Monday - Friday, 8am - 7pm CST.

Upload artwork or images [here](#).

Your order confirmation is below. Thank you again for your business.

Your Order #100025442 (placed on May 5, 2017 7:41:36 AM CDT)

Billing Information:

Jerry Hatcher
98303 E. Ridgeview Dr.
Kennewick
Washington
99338
United States
T: 509-942-4474

Payment Method:

ETS Payment

Credit Card Type:

MasterCard

Credit Card Number:

xxxx-9425

Shipping Information:

Jerry Hatcher
98303 E. Ridgeview Dr.
Kennewick
Washington
99338
United States
T: 509-942-4474

Shipping Method:

Custom Shipping Cost - Fed Ex freight Priority

Item	SKU	Qty	Subtotal
4'x8' Corrugated Plastic Sign <i>Options</i> Two Color Two Sided <i>Comments</i> Medium Yellow & Black Imprint	799872935670-799872935632	100	\$2,925.00
18"x24" Corrugated Plastic Yard Sign <i>Options</i> Two Color Two Sided <i>Stakes</i> No Stakes/Frames <i>Comments</i> Medium Yellow & Black Imprint	799804938144-799804938113	1000	\$2,210.00
Standard H Frame	786471621189	1000	\$750.00
18"x24" Car Magnet (Pair) <i>Comment</i> Medium Yellow & Black Imprint - Digitally Printed	786471649749	10	\$480.00
12"x24" Car Magnet (Pair) <i>Comment</i> Medium Yellow & Black Imprint - Digitally Printed	786471649763	10	\$375.00
Custom T-Shirt - Two Sided - Gildan Ultra Cotton <i>Imprint Options</i> One Color <i>Shirt Color</i> White <i>Size</i> 15 x Medium 15 x Large 20 x XLarge <i>Comment</i> Medium Yellow & Black Imprint on a White T-shirt	Custom T-Shirt - Two Sided - Gildan Ultra Cotton-one-color	50	\$425.00
2'x3' Corrugated Plastic Sign <i>Options</i> Two Color Two Sided <i>Stakes</i> No Stakes/Frames <i>Comments</i> Medium Yellow & Black Imprint	799804938021-799804937987-no-frames	150	\$1,039.50

Subtotal	\$8,204.50
Shipping & Handling	\$885.93
Grand Total	\$9,090.43

Sales Rep: **Ron Elliott**

Thank you, **VictoryStore.com**
 Upload Art Images here: <https://www.victorystore.com/cutouts/index>



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Community Development Department (509) 967-5902

TEMPORARY SIGN PERMIT

Jerry Hatcher
98303 E. Ridgeview Dr.
Kennewick, WA 99338

RE: Political Sign (Paradise Way and Bombing Range Road Intersection - Sign "A")

Dear Mr. Hatcher:

The City of West Richland hereby authorizes the placement of temporary political signage within the City of West Richland subject to the following conditions of approval:

1. Political signs shall be stationary, unlighted and temporary.
2. Political signs shall not exceed 32 square feet in area and 10 feet in height.
3. Political signs shall not be displayed on private property without the consent of the property owner.
4. Political signs may be placed in the city street right-of-way; however, political signs in a right-of-way shall not impede vehicular or pedestrian movement or pose a safety hazard, as determined by the Community Development Director. Political signs are not allowed in the median of major streets and shall not be allowed in the planting areas of traffic islands.
5. Political signs shall be removed within 10 days after a voting day, except that signs promoting successful candidates in a primary election may remain displayed until 10 days following the immediately subsequent general election. Failure to remove signs may result in an assessment in the cost of their removal.

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Fox Blackhorn

From: Robin Gould <Robin@ckacpa.com>
Sent: Tuesday, August 15, 2017 9:28 AM
To: mhatcher@owt.com
Subject: Sources of Contributions

FYI – This was information I got from =DC when working on Joe Burrowes campaign – I will see what I can =ind for Allegation Two on PDC’s site. That only makes sense =f they are part of the same immediate family and not separate families but I will see what I can find.

From: Jennifer Hansen [mailto:jennifer.hansen@pdc.wa.=ov]
Sent: Monday, May 23, 2016 10:09 AM
To: Robin Gould <Robin@ckacpa.com>
Subject: RE: Joseph M. Burrowes Efiling PDC =eports

I am including the =nformation on determining the “source” of a =ontribution. I think this will answer your =uestions.

Sources of =ontributions

Candidates and treasurers who file disclosure =eports listing their sources of contributions must often make decisions =bout whom to show as the contributor. Contributors have the obligation to inform campaigns of the true and actual source of the =onation at the time the contribution is made. However, in the =bsence of other information concerning a contribution's true source, =ollow the interpretations given below when keeping records, identifying your contributors on the C-3 report and when =omplying with the contribution limits.

One-Party Personal =hecks:

List the name printed on the top of the check =s the contributor.

Joint Personal Account =hecks:

Attribute equal parts of the contribution to =ach of the names of the parties printed on the check, unless a written =xplanation to the contrary accompanies the contribution. (In the case of \$100 check drawn on the account of John and Mary Smith, =ttribute \$50 to John and \$50 to Mary. John and Mary each may =ontribute up to the maximum allowed by an =ndividual.)

Checks Drawn on Sole-Proprietor Business =ccounts:

For contribution purposes, the owner of the =usiness and the business entity are considered one and the same. =he proprietor's aggregate contribution total must include donations from his/her personal funds as well as from the =usiness.

Partnership Account =hecks:

List the partnership as the contributor, =nless the contribution is to be paid from one or more of the partners' =apital accounts, in which case the contribution is attributed to the partner or partners whose funds are being used. Written =otice of this arrangement is to accompany the =heck.

Other Entities:

Show the contribution as coming from the name =rinted on the check when reporting contributions from corporations, =nions, membership organizations, associations, political committees and other organizations

Contributions from =inors:

Contributions by unemancipated children, =nder eighteen years of age, are considered contributions by their =arents and are attributed proportionately to each parent. In the =ase of a single custodial parent, the total amount of the contribution is =ttributed to the parent; otherwise, 50% of the contribution is =ttributed to each parent.

Contributions from emancipated children, under eighteen years of age, are considered =ontributions from the child if the decision to contribute is made =nowingly and voluntarily by the child, the contribution is from a =ource owned and controlled exclusively by the child, and the contribution does not result from a gift intended to give the =hild the wherewithal to contribute.

Contributions of Uncertain =rigin:

Do not deposit any contribution, or accept any in-kind contribution, if you know or suspect it has been made in a fictitious name, or by one person through an agent, relative, political committee, or any other person so as to conceal the true source or to exceed the contribution limits. Return such a contribution within ten calendar days to the source, if known, or endorse the check and make it payable to the State Treasurer. Send the endorsed check to the PDC, along with an explanation, for deposit in the state's general fund.

Jennifer Hansen
Filer Assistance Specialist
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From: Robin Gould [mailto:Robin@ckacpa.com]
Sent: Monday, May 23, 2016 9:55 AM
To: Jennifer Hansen <jennifer.hansen@pdc.wa.gov>;
Subject: RE: Joseph M. Burrowes Efiling PDC reports

So as long as the business is a separate legal entity (LLC, Corporation, Partnership) than they don't share the limit with the individual? I have some of both so I will make certain on the sole proprietorships that they are one limit.

What if I have an individual that may be 100% shareholder in a few different corporations or LLC's? Does each get business and the individual have their own limit?

Robin
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From: Jennifer Hansen [mailto:jennifer.hansen@pdc.wa.gov]
Sent: Monday, May 23, 2016 9:38 AM
To: Robin Gould <Robin@ckacpa.com>
Subject: RE: Joseph M. Burrowes Efiling PDC reports

The contribution would be attributed to the name on the check. In this case it sounds like it would be from the business. If a contribution is from a sole proprietorship, the owner of the business shares a limit with their business. It's unclear from your information if this applies to the scenario you describe.

Contributions can be given for both the primary and general election now. General election contributions cannot be spent until after the primary election has passed and the candidate's name will appear on the general ballot.

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From: Robin Gould [mailto:Robin@ckacpa.com]
Sent: Monday, May 23, 2016 9:20 AM
To: Jennifer Hansen <jennifer.hansen@pdc.wa.gov>;
Subject: RE: Joseph M. Burrowes Efiling PDC =eports

Good Morning Jennifer,

I have a question regarding the proper way to =eport campaign contributions – If a check received is written =rom the business account of the contributor is the contribution from =he business or the individual??

Also, if I have a business contributor that gave =he maximum allowed for the primary election, when can they contribute =gain for the general election? Is there a certain date before we =an get the next contribution?

Thanks again for all your help.

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Fox Blackhorn

From: Mike Stevens <mstevens@westrichland.org>
Sent: Monday, May 22, 2017 3:06 PM
To: mhatcher@owt.com
Subject: West Richland Sign Permit
Attachments: Sign Application 2014.pdf

Monica:

Attached you will find a copy of the sign permit application. You will need to submit a separate application, plus all relative information (see application form for details) for each sign permit being requested. The fee for each application is \$100.00.

Please let me know if you have any questions and I would be happy to try and answer them for you. Please be aware that large political signs are NOT allowed within City owned right-of-way, so each sign needs to be on private property and written permission from each property owner is required to be submitted with the application form and materials.

Thanks,

Mike Stevens
Senior Planner



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ELECTIONS SIGNATURE AD AUTHORIZATION FORM

The person(s) named below authorizes the Tri-City Herald to use his/her name in a paid advertisement for: Jerry Hatcher's campaign, to run the _____ edition of the newspaper.

PRINT NAME	SIGNATURE	ELECTED SHERIFF/COUNTY	PHONE
STEVEN N. KEANE	<i>St N Keane</i>	BENTON	736-3076
RICK SCOTT	<i>RK Scott</i>	GRAYS HARBOR	360-964-1737
CHUCKIE ATKUS	<i>Chuckie Atkus</i>	CLATSOP CO.	360-397-2366
BOB SONGER	<i>Bob Songer</i>	Klickitat Co	509-261-1863
WARY SIMPSON	<i>Wary Simpson</i>	KITKUM	360-327-7145
KENDLE ALLEN	<i>Kendle Allen</i>	Stevens	509-681-5296
DALE WAGNER	<i>Dale Wagner</i>	ADAMS	509-989-0455
WILL REICHARDT	<i>Will Reichardt</i>	SKAGIT	360 416-1901
RON KRERS	<i>Ron Krers</i>	SAN JUAN CO	360-898-6486
ROCKY MILLER	<i>Rocky Miller</i>	COLUMBIA Co	509-382-2518
BEN KELLER	<i>Ben Keller</i>	GARFIELD CO.	509-843-3494
JOHN URBANET	<i>John Urbanet</i>	KING COUNTY	206/919-1959
TIM RAYMOND	<i>Tim Raymond</i>	Franklin Co.	509-851-9512
CASEY SALISBURY	<i>Casey Salisbury</i>	MASON Co	(360) 791-0207
BRIAN WINTER	<i>Brian Winter</i>	YAKIMA Co.	(509) 574-2500
RAY MAYCUMBER	<i>Ray Maycumber</i>	Ferry Co.	(509) 775-3136
PAUL PASTOR	<i>Paul Pastor</i>	PIECE Co	798-7288
JOHN SUAZA	<i>John Suaza</i>	THURSTON	360-786-5509
ALAN BOTHEIN	<i>Alan Bothein</i>	Lead Oreille Co.	509-447-1901
JOHN TURNER	<i>John Turner</i>	WACAHALLA Co SHERIFF	509-504-5400
BRIAN BARNETT	<i>Brian Barnett</i>	CITELUTN Co. SHERIFF	509-630-7599
Mark Nelson	<i>Mark Nelson</i>	Owens Co Sheriff	360-577-3092
TOM JONES	<i>Tom Jones</i>	Grant County	509-750-7301
MARK BROWN	<i>Mark Brown</i>	ISLAND COUNTY	360-679-7382
ROB SUAZA	<i>Rob Suaza</i>	Lewis County S.D.	360-740-1300
BILL ELFO	<i>Bill Elfo</i>	Whitman	360 410 0835
Brett Myers	<i>Brett Myers</i>	Whitman Co	509. 397-6266

