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Washington Public Disclosure Commission
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Re: Alleged website violations

To whom it may concern:

I write in response to Anthony Wallace's complaint concerning the disclaimer on my campaign website. I appreciate the opportunity to respond and will address each of his concerns.

As a first-time candidate, I have tried my best to comply with all applicable legal requirements and to ensure that my campaign does the same.

Allegation 1: The website does not indicate who paid for the website.

The "Paid for by" disclaimer is included on the first page of my campaign website, and it is visible in the archived image Mr. Wallace provided in his complaint. It is set apart from other text under the "Donate" button and reads: "Website paid for by Choose Carolyn Cox, P.O. Box 8161, Lacey, WA 98509" (see attached screenshot).

Allegation 2: The website does not indicate a committee name on the website.

The committee's name, as disclosed in the C-1 Candidate Registration (attached), is Choose Carolyn Cox. The website's URL is ChooseCarolynCox.org, sharing the committee's legal name. Furthermore, the largest text on the home page, apart from the campaign's logo in the header, says "Choose Carolyn Cox" (screenshot attached).

Thank you again for the opportunity to address this complaint. Please let us know if you have any questions or require any further information.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Cox

PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION  711 CAPITOL WAY RM 206 PO BOX 40908 OLYMPIA WA 98504-0908 (360) 753-1111 Toll Free 1-877-601-2828		Candidate Registration	C1 (1/2008)	100771527 06-26-2017
Candidate's Name (Give candidate's full name.) CAROLYN H COX			Telephone Number 360-252-0415	
Candidate's Committee Name (Do not abbreviate.) CHOOSE CAROLYN COX			Fax Number	
Mailing Address PO BOX 8161			Candidate's E-Mail Address CHOOSECAROLYNCOX@GMAIL.COM	
City LACEY		County THURSTON	Zip + 4 98509	Campaign E-Mail Address CHOOSECAROLYNCOX@GMAIL.COM
1. What office are you running for? CITY COUNCIL MEMBER		Legislative District, County or City CITY OF LACEY	Position No. 7	Do you now hold this office? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Political party (if partisan office) NONE		3. Date of general or special election 11/07/2017		
4. How much do you plan to spend during your entire election campaign, including the primary and general elections? Based on that estimate, choose one of the reporting options below. If no box is checked you are obligated to use Option II, Full Reporting. See instruction manuals for information about reports required and changing reporting options.				
<input type="checkbox"/> Option I MINI REPORTING: In addition to my filing fee of \$_____, I will raise and spend no more than \$5,000, including any charges for inclusion in state and local voters pamphlets. I will not accept more than \$500 in the aggregate from any contributor except myself.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Option II FULL REPORTING: I will use the Full Reporting system. I will file the frequent, detailed campaign reports required by law.				
5. Treasurer's Name and Address. Does treasurer perform <u>only</u> ministerial functions? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> . See WAC 390-05-243 and next page for details. List deputy treasurers on attached sheet.			Daytime Telephone Number	
JOSIE OLSEN 119 1ST AVE S STE 320, SEATTLE WA 98104			206-682-7328	
6. Persons who perform only ministerial functions on your behalf <u>and</u> on behalf of other candidates or political committees. List name, title and address of these persons. See WAC 390-05-243 and next page for details. <input type="checkbox"/> Continued on attached sheet.				
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8. Campaign Bank or Depository OLYMPIA FEDERAL SAVINGS		Branch TUMWATER	City TUMWATER	
9. Related or Affiliated Political Committees. List name, address and relationship. <input type="checkbox"/> Continued on attached sheet.				
10. Campaign books must be open to the public by appointment between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. during the eight days before the election, except Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays. In the space below, provide contact information for scheduling an appointment and the address where the inspection will take place. It is not acceptable to provide a post office box or an out-of-area address.				
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11. CERTIFICATION: I certify that this report is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.				
Candidate's Signature CAROLYN H COX			Date 06-26-2017	

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