# APPLICATION FOR A PLACE ON THE BALLOT FOR A GENERAL ELECTION FOR A CITY, SCHOOL DISTRICT OR OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

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2-49 Prescribed by Secretary of State Section 141.031, Chapters 143 and 144, Texas Election Code 09/2023

#### INSTRUCTIONS

An application for a place on the general election for a city, school district or other political subdivision, may not be filed earlier than 30 days before the deadline prescribed by this code for filing the application. An application filed before that day is void. All fields of the application **must** be completed unless specifically marked optional.

For an election to be held on a uniform election date, the day of the filing deadline is the 78th day before Election Day.

If you have questions about the application, please contact the Secretary of State's Elections Division at 800-252-8683.

#### **NEPOTISM LAW**

The candidate must sign this statement indicating his awareness of the nepotism law. When a candidate signs the application, it is an acknowledgment that the candidate is aware of the nepotism law. The nepotism prohibitions of chapter 573, Government Code, are summarized below:

No officer may appoint, or vote for or confirm the appointment or employment of any person related within the second degree by affinity (marriage) or the third degree by consanguinity (blood) to the officer, or to any other member of the governing body or court on which the officer serves when the compensation of that person is to be paid out of public funds or fees of office. However, nothing in the law prevents the appointment, voting for, or confirmation of anyone who has been continuously employed in the office or employment for the following period prior to the election or appointment of the officer or member related to the employee in the prohibited degree: six months, if the officer or member is elected at an election other than the general election for state and county officers.

No candidate may take action to influence an employee of the office to which the candidate is seeking election or an employee or officer of the governmental body to which the candidate is seeking election regarding the appointment or employment of a person related to the candidate in a prohibited degree as noted above. This prohibition does not apply to a candidate's actions with respect to a bona fide class or category of employees or prospective employees.

#### FOOTNOTES

<sup>1</sup>An application for a place on the ballot, including any accompanying petition, is public information immediately on its filing. (Section 141.035, Texas Election Code)

<sup>2</sup>Inclusion of a candidate's VUID is optional. However, many candidates are required to be registered voters in the territory from which the office is elected at the time of the filing deadline. Please visit the Elections Division of the Secretary of State's website for additional information. <u>http://www.sos.state.tx.us/elections/laws/hb484-faq.shtml</u>

<sup>3</sup>Proof of release from the resulting disabilities of a felony conviction would include proof of judicial clemency under Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 42A.701, proof of executive pardon under Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 48.01, or proof of a restoration of rights under Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 48.05. (Texas Attorney General Opinion KP-0251) **One of the following documents must be submitted with this application.** Judicial Clemency under Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 42A.701 Executive Pardon under Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 48.01 Restoration of Rights under Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 48.05

<sup>4</sup>All oaths, affidavits, or affirmations made within this State may be administered and a certificate of the fact given by a judge, clerk, or commissioner of any court of record, a notary public, a justice of the peace, city secretary (for a city office), and the Secretary of State of Texas. See Chapter 602 of the Texas Government Code for the complete list of persons authorized to administer oaths.

#### SOLICITUD DE INSCRIPCIÓN PARA UN LUGAR EN LA BOLETA DE UNA ELECCIÓN GENERAL PARA UNA CIUDAD, DISTRITO ESCOLAR U OTRA SUBDIVISIÓN POLÍTICA

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#### **INSTRUCCIONES**

Una solicitud para un lugar en la elección general para una ciudad, distrito escolar u otra subdivisión política, no puede ser presentada antes de los 30 días antes de la fecha límite prescrita por este código para presentar la solicitud. Una solicitud presentada antes de ese día es nula. Todos los campos de la solicitud **deben** completarse a menos que estén específicamente marcados como opcional.

Para una elección que se lleve a cabo en una fecha de elección uniforme, el día de la fecha límite de presentación es el 78 dia antes del día de la elección.

Si tiene preguntas sobre la solicitud, por favor póngase en contacto con la División de Elecciones del Secretario de Estado llamando al 800-252-8683.

#### LEY DE NEPOTISMO

El candidato debe firmar esta declaración indicando su conocimiento de la ley del nepotismo. Cuando un candidato firma la solicitud, es un reconocimiento de que el candidato conoce la ley del nepotismo. Las prohibiciones de nepotismo del capítulo 573, Código de Gobierno, se resumen a continuación:

Ningún funcionario puede nombrar, votar o confirmar el nombramiento o empleo de cualquier persona emparentada dentro del segundo grado por afinidad (matrimonio) o del tercer grado por consanguinidad (sangre) con sí mismo, o con cualquier otro miembro del órgano de gobierno o corte en el que se desempeña cuando la compensación de esa persona debe pagarse con fondos públicos o honorarios del cargo. Sin embargo, nada en la ley impide el nombramiento, la votación o la confirmación de cualquier persona que haya estado empleada continuamente en la oficina o el empleo durante el período siguiente antes de la elección o el nombramiento del funcionario o miembro emparentado con el empleado en el grado prohibido: seis meses, si el funcionario o miembro es elegido en una elección que no sea la elección general para funcionarios estatales y del condado.

Ningún candidato puede tomar medidas para influir en un empleado del cargo al que aspira a ser elegido o en un empleado o funcionario del organismo gubernamental al que aspira a ser elegido en relación con el nombramiento o el empleo de una persona emparentada con el candidato en un grado prohibido, tal como se ha indicado anteriormente. Esta prohibición no se aplica a las acciones de un candidato con respecto a una clase o categoría de buena fe de empleados o empleados prospectos.

#### NOTAS

<sup>1</sup>Una solicitud para un lugar en la boleta electoral, incluida cualquier petición que la acompañe, es información pública inmediatamente después de su presentación. (Sección 141.035, Código Electoral de Texas)

<sup>2</sup>La inclusión del número único de identificación de votante (VUID, por sus siglas en Ingles) es opcional. Sin embargo, a muchos candidatos se les exige que estén registrados como votantes en el territorio desde el cual se elige el cargo en el momento de la fecha límite de presentación. Por favor, visite el sitio web de la Division de Elecciones de la Secretaría de Estado para obtener información adicional. http://www.sos.state.tx.us/elections/laws/hb484-fag.shtml

<sup>3</sup>La prueba de liberación de las discapacidades resultantes de una condena por un delito grave incluiría prueba de clemencia judicial según el Código de Procedimiento Penal de Texas 42A.701, prueba de indulto ejecutivo según el Código de Procedimiento Penal de una restauración de derechos según el Código de Procedimiento Penal de Texas 48.05. (Opinión de Fiscal General de Texas KP-0251)

#### Se debe enviar uno de los siguientes documentos con esta solicitud:

Clemencia judicial según el Código de Procedimiento Penal de Texas 42A.701

Prueba de indulto ejecutivo según el Código de Procedimiento Penal de Texas 48.01

Prueba de una restauración de derechos según el Código de Procedimiento Penal de Texas 48.05

<sup>4</sup>Todos lo los juramentos, declaraciones juradas o afirmaciones hechas dentro de este estado pueden ser administrados y un certificado del hecho dado por un juez, secretario(a) o comisionado de cualquier corte de registro, un notario público, un juez de paz, secretario municipal (para una oficina de la ciudad) y el Secretario de Estado de Texas. Consulte el Capítulo 602 del Código del Gobierno de Texas para obtener la lista completa de personas autorizadas a administrar juramentos.

# APPOINTMENT OF A CAMPAIGN TREASURER BY A CANDIDATE

1 Total pages filed: See CTA Instruction Guide for detailed instructions. MS / MRS / MR FIRST MI CANDIDATE **OFFICE USE ONLY** 2 NAME Filer ID # NICKNAME LAST SUFFIX Date Received ADDRESS / PO BOX; APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE; ZIP CODE CANDIDATE 3 MAILING ADDRESS Date Hand-delivered or Postmarked AREA CODE PHONE NUMBER EXTENSION Receipt# Amount \$ CANDIDATE 4 PHONE ) ( Date Processed 5 OFFICE Date Imaged HELD (if any) OFFICE 6 SOUGHT (if known) MS/MRS/MR FIRST МІ NICKNAME LAST SUFFIX 7 CAMPAIGN TREASURER NAME STREET ADDRESS: APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE: ZIP CODE 8 CAMPAIGN TREASURER STREET ADDRESS (residence or business) AREA CODE PHONE NUMBER EXTENSION 9 CAMPAIGN TREASURER PHONE ) **10** CANDIDATE SIGNATURE I am aware of the Nepotism Law, Chapter 573 of the Texas Government Code. I am aware of my responsibility to file timely reports as required by title 15 of the Election Code. I am aware of the restrictions in title 15 of the Election Code on contributions from corporations and labor organizations. Date Signed Signature of Candidate

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FORM CTA

# CANDIDATE MODIFIED REPORTING DECLARATION

11	CANDIDATE NAME	
12	MODIFIED REPORTING DECLARATION	COMPLETE THIS SECTION ONLY IF YOU ARE CHOOSING MODIFIED REPORTING
		•• This declaration must be filed no later than the 30th day before the first election to which the declaration applies. ••
		•• The modified reporting option is valid for one election cycle only. •• (An election cycle includes a primary election, a general election, and any related runoffs.)
		•• Candidates for the office of state chair of a political party may NOT choose modified reporting. ••
		I do not intend to accept more than \$1,010 in political contributions or make more than \$1,010 in political expenditures (excluding filing fees) in connection with any future election within the election cycle. I understand that if either one of those limits is exceeded, I will be required to file pre-election reports and, if necessary, a runoff report.
		Year of election(s) or election cycle to Signature of Candidate which declaration applies
	1	This appointment is effective on the date it is filed with the appropriate filing authority.
	TEC	Filers may send this form to the TEC electronically at <u>treasappoint@ethics.state.tx.us</u> or mail to Texas Ethics Commission P.O. Box 12070 Austin, TX 78711-2070
		Non-TEC Filers must file this form with the local filing authority DO NOT SEND TO TEC
		For more information about where to file go to: https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/QuickFileAReport.php

# CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT

# FORM C/OH COVER SHEET PG 1

The C/OH Instruction G	uide explains how	to complete this form.	1 Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers)	2 Total pages filed:
3 CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER	MS / MRS / MR	FIRST	MI	OFFICE USE ONLY
NAME	NICKNAME	LAST	SUFFIX	Date Received
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Change of Address				
5 CANDIDATE/ OFFICEHOLDER PHONE	AREA CODE	PHONE NUMBER	EXTENSION	Date Hand-delivered or Date Postmarked Receipt # Amount \$
6 CAMPAIGN TREASURER	MS / MRS / MR	FIRST	MI	
NAME	NICKNAME	LAST	SUFFIX	Date Processed
				Date Imaged
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	AREA CODE			
8 CAMPAIGN TREASURER PHONE	( )	PHONE NUMBER	EXTENSION	
9 REPORT TYPE	January 15	30th day before e	election Runoff	15th day after campaign treasurer appointment (Officeholder Only)
	July 15	8th day before ele	ection Exceeded Modified Reporting Limit	Final Report (Attach C/OH - FR)
10 PERIOD COVERED	Month /	Day Year	Month	Day Year
11 ELECTION	ELECTION DA	TE Primary	ELECTION TYPE	
12 OFFICE	OFFICE HELD (if any)	'	13 OFFICE SOUGHT (if known	)
14 NOTICE FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEE(S)	THE CANDIDATE / OFFIC CONSENT. CANDIDATES	CEHOLDER. THESE EXPENDITURE AND OFFICEHOLDERS ARE REQUI	S MAY HAVE BEEN MADE WITHOUT THE CAN	MADE BY POLITICAL COMMITTEES TO SUPPORT IDIDATE'S OR OFFICEHOLDER'S KNOWLEDGE OR THEY RECEIVE NOTICE OF SUCH EXPENDITURES.
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# CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT

# FORM C/OH COVER SHEET PG 2

15 C/OH NAME		<b>16</b> Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers)
17 CONTRIBUTION TOTALS	1. TOTAL UNITEMIZED POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS (OTHER THAN PLEDGES, LOANS, OR GUARANTEES OF LOANS, OR CONTRIBUTIONS MADE ELECTRONICALLY)	\$
	2. TOTAL POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS (OTHER THAN PLEDGES, LOANS, OR GUARANTEES OF LOANS)	\$
EXPENDITURE TOTALS	3. TOTAL UNITEMIZED POLITICAL EXPENDITURE.	\$
	4. TOTAL POLITICAL EXPENDITURES	\$
CONTRIBUTION BALANCE	5. TOTAL POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS MAINTAINED AS OF THE LAS OF REPORTING PERIOD	T DAY \$
OUTSTANDING LOAN TOTALS	6. TOTAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF ALL OUTSTANDING LOANS AS OF LAST DAY OF THE REPORTING PERIOD	THE \$
	swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the accompanying report is true quired to be reported by me under Title 15, Election Code.	and correct and includes all information
	Signature of Ca	ndidate or Officeholder
	Please complete either option below	<i>r</i> :
(1) Affidavit		
NOTARY STAMP/SEA	L	
Sworn to and subscribed	before me by this the	day of,
20, to certify	which, witness my hand and seal of office.	
Signature of officer administe	Printed name of officer administering oath	Title of officer administering oath
	OR	
(2) Unsworn Declarati	on	
My name is	, and my date of birth is	
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Executed in	County, State of, on the day of(month	), 20 <u>(year)</u> .
	Signature of Candio	ate/Officeholder (Declarant)

# SUBTOTALS - C/OH

#### FORM C/OH COVER SHEET PG 3

19	FILER NAME	20 Filer ID (Ethics Co	mmission Filers)
21	SCHEDULE SUBTOTALS NAME OF SCHEDULE		SUBTOTAL AMOUNT
1.	SCHEDULE A1: MONETARY POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS		\$
2.	SCHEDULE A2: NON-MONETARY (IN-KIND) POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS		\$
3.	SCHEDULE B: PLEDGED CONTRIBUTIONS		\$
4.	SCHEDULE E: LOANS		\$
5.	SCHEDULE F1: POLITICAL EXPENDITURES MADE FROM POLITICAL CC	NTRIBUTIONS	\$
6.	SCHEDULE F2: UNPAID INCURRED OBLIGATIONS		\$
7.	SCHEDULE F3: PURCHASE OF INVESTMENTS MADE FROM POLITICAL	CONTRIBUTIONS	\$
8.	SCHEDULE F4: EXPENDITURES MADE BY CREDIT CARD		\$
9.	SCHEDULE G: POLITICAL EXPENDITURES MADE FROM PERSONAL FU	NDS	\$
10.	SCHEDULE H: PAYMENT MADE FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO A	BUSINESS OF C/OH	\$
11.	SCHEDULE I: NON-POLITICAL EXPENDITURES MADE FROM POLITICAL CO	NTRIBUTIONS	\$
12.	SCHEDULE K: INTEREST, CREDITS, GAINS, REFUNDS, AND CONTRIBUT TO FILER	TIONS RETURNED	\$

# MONETARY POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

SCHEDULE A1

	The	Instruction Guide explains how to complete this	form.	1 Total pages Schedule A1:
2	FILER NAME			<b>3</b> Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers)
4	Date	5 Full name of contributor Out-of-state PAC	C (ID#:)	7 Amount of contribution (\$)
		<b>6</b> Contributor address; City;	State; Zip Code	
8	Principal occu	oation / Job title (See Instructions)	9 Employer (See Instruc	tions)
	Date	Full name of contributor   Out-of-state PAC	(ID#:)	Amount of contribution (\$)
		Contributor address; City;	State; Zip Code	
	Principal occup	ation / Job title (See Instructions)	Employer (See Instruc	tions)
	Date	Full name of contributor   Out-of-state PAC	C (ID#:)	Amount of contribution (\$)
		Contributor address; City;	State; Zip Code	
	Principal occup	ation / Job title (See Instructions)	Employer (See Instruc	tions)
	Date	Full name of contributor out-of-state PAC	(ID#:)	Amount of contribution (\$)
		Contributor address; City;	State; Zip Code	
	Principal occup	ation / Job title (See Instructions)	Employer (See Instruc	tions)
		ATTACH ADDITIONAL COPIES ( If contributor is out-of-state PAC, please see Instr		

# NON-MONETARY (IN-KIND) POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

SCHEDULE A2

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2 FILER NAM	1E		3 Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers)		
4 TOTAL C	OF UNITEMIZED IN-KIND POLITICAL CONTRIE	BUTIONS	\$		
5 Date	6 Full name of contributor out-of-state PAC (ID#:	)	8 Amount of Contribution \$	9 In-kind contribution description	
	<b>7</b> Contributor address; City; State;	Zip Code	Check if travel outsid	de of Texas. Complete Schedule T.	
<b>10</b> Principal oc	cupation / Job title (FOR NON-JUDICIAL)(See Instructions)	11 Employe	er (FOR NON-JUDICIA	AL)(See Instructions)	
12 Contributor's	s principal occupation (FOR JUDICIAL)	13 Contribu	utor's job title (FOR JU	DICIAL) (See Instructions)	
14 Contributor's	s employer/law firm (FOR JUDICIAL)	15 Law firm	n of contributor's spous	se (if any) (FOR JUDICIAL)	
16 If contributo	r is a child, law firm of parent(s) (if any) (FOR JUDICIAL)				
Date	Full name of contributor out-of-state PAC (ID#:	)	Amount of Contribution \$	In-kind contribution description	
	Contributor address; City; State;	Zip Code	Check if travel outsic	de of Texas. Complete Schedule T.	
Principal oc	cupation / Job title (FOR NON-JUDICIAL) (See Instructions)	Employe	er (FOR NON-JUDICIA	AL)(See Instructions)	
Contributor'	s principal occupation (FOR JUDICIAL)	Contribu	utor's job title (FOR JU	DICIAL) (See Instructions)	
Contributor'	s employer/law firm (FOR JUDICIAL)	Law firm of contributor's spouse (if any) (FOR JUDICIAL)			
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# PLEDGED CONTRIBUTIONS

# SCHEDULE **B**

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2	FILER NAME			3 Filer ID (Ethics C	commission Filers)
4	TOTAL OF	UNITEMIZED PLEDGES		\$	
5	Date	6 Full name of pledgor out-of-state PAC (ID#:		8 Amount of Pledge \$	9 In-kind contribution description
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		Pledgor address; City; S	tate; Zip Code		 
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	Date	Full name of pledgor out-of-state PAC (ID#:		Amount of Pledge \$	In-kind contribution description
		Pledgor address; City; S	tate; Zip Code		
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	Date	Full name of pledgor out-of-state PAC (ID#:	)	Amount of Pledge \$	In-kind contribution description
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# SCHEDULE E

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2 FILER NAME		3 Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers)	
4 TOTAL OF UN	NITEMIZED LOANS		\$
5 Date of loan	7 Name of lender 🗌 out-of-state F	PAC (ID#: )	9 Loan Amount (\$)
6 Is lender a financial Institution?	8 Lender address; City;	State; Zip Code	10 Interest rate
Y N			<b>11</b> Maturity date
12 Principal occupati	on / Job title (See Instructions)	13 Employer (See Instructions)	
<b>14</b> Description of Col	lateral	15 Check if personal fun account (See Instruc	ds were deposited into political tions)
16 GUARANTOR INFORMATION	<b>17</b> Name of guarantor		<b>19</b> Amount Guaranteed (\$)
	<b>18</b> Guarantor address; City;	State; Zip Code	
not applicable			
20 Principal Occupa	tion (See Instructions)	21 Employer (See Instructions)	
Date of loan	Name of lender Out-of-state	PAC (ID#:)	Loan Amount (\$)
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	Guarantor address; City;	State; Zip Code	
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# POLITICAL EXPENDITURES MADE FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

# SCHEDULE F1

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#### **EXPENDITURE CATEGORIES FOR BOX 8(a)**

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The Instruction Guide explains how to complete this for
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<b>1</b> Total pages Schedule F1:	2 FILER NAME		<b>3</b> Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers)
4 Date	5 Payee name		I
<b>6</b> Amount (\$)	<b>7</b> Payee address;	City;	State; Zip Code
8 PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	(a) Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule)	(b) Description	
	(C) Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T.	Check if Austi	in, TX, officeholder living expense
9 Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OI	Candidate / Officeholder name	Office sought	Office held
Date	Payee name		
Amount (\$)	Payee address;	City;	State; Zip Code
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Date	Payee name		
Amount (\$)	Payee address;	City;	State; Zip Code
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule)	Description	
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# **UNPAID INCURRED OBLIGATIONS**

# SCHEDULE F2

	EXPENDITURE CATEGORIES FOR BOX 10(a)								
Advertising Expense Accounting/Banking Consulting Expense Contributions/Donations Made B Candidate/Officeholder/Politica	Event Expense Fees Food/Beverage Expe Gift/Awards/Memoria Legal Services		Office Ove Polling Exp Printing Ex		Transport Travel In I Travel Ou	District It Of District	Expense nt & Related Expense not listed above)		
		The Instruction	Guide explain	s how to c	omplete this form.				
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4 TOTAL OF UNITER	MIZED UN	IPAID INCURF		GATION	S	\$			
5 Date	6 Payee	name							
<b>7</b> Amount (\$)	<b>8</b> Payee	address;			City;		State;	Zip Code	
9 TYPE OF EXPENDITURE		Political		Non-Po	itical				
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# PURCHASE OF INVESTMENTS MADE FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

SCHEDULE F3

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# CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER REPORT: DESIGNATION OF FINAL REPORT

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# CODE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

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Pursuant to chapter 258 of the Election Code, every candidate and political committee is encouraged to subscribe to the Code of Fair Campaign Practices. The Code may be filed with the proper filing authority upon submission of a campaign treasurer appointment form. Candidates or political committees that already have a current campaign treasurer appointment on file as of September 1, 1997, may subscribe to the code at any time. <i>Subscription to the Code of Fair Campaign Practices is voluntary.</i>				Date Received Date Hand-delivered or R Date Processed Date Imaged	Postmarked	
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# **CODE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES**

There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play that every candidate and political committee in this state has a moral obligation to observe and uphold, in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their constitutional rights to a free and untrammeled choice and the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

# THEREFORE:

- (1) I will conduct the campaign openly and publicly and limit attacks on my opponent to legitimate challenges to my opponent's record and stated positions on issues.
- (2) I will not use or permit the use of character defamation, whispering campaigns, libel, slander, or scurrilous attacks on any candidate or the candidate's personal or family life.
- (3) I will not use or permit any appeal to negative prejudice based on race, sex, religion, or national origin.
- (4) I will not use campaign material of any sort that misrepresents, distorts, or otherwise falsifies the facts, nor will I use malicious or unfounded accusations that aim at creating or exploiting doubts, without justification, as to the personal integrity or patriotism of my opponent.
- (5) I will not undertake or condone any dishonest or unethical practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our system of free elections or that hampers or prevents the full and free expression of the will of the voters, including any activity aimed at intimidating voters or discouraging them from voting.
- (6) I will defend and uphold the right of every qualified voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process, and will not engage in any activity aimed at intimidating voters or discouraging them from voting.
- (7) I will immediately and publicly repudiate methods and tactics that may come from others that I have pledged not to use or condone. I shall take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this code or the laws governing elections.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of Texas or campaign treasurer of a political committee, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct the campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.

Signature

Date

# POLITICAL ADVERTISING What You Need to Know



The Texas Election Code requires certain disclosures and notices on political advertising. The law also prohibits certain types of misrepresentation in political advertising and campaign communications. This brochure explains what you need to know to insure that your political advertising and campaign communications comply with the law.

If you are not sure what the law requires, do the cautious thing. Use the political advertising disclosure statement whenever you think it might be necessary, and do not use any possibly misleading information in political advertising or a campaign communication. If you are using political advertising or campaign communications from a prior campaign, you should check to see if the law has changed since that campaign.

Candidates for federal office should check with the Federal Election Commission at (800) 424-9530 for information on federal political advertising laws.

**NOTICE:** This guide is intended only as a general overview of the disclosure statements that must appear on political advertising as required under <u>Chapter 255 of the Election Code</u>, which is distinct from political reporting requirements under <u>Chapter 254 of the Election Code</u>.

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# **REQUIRED DISCLOSURE ON POLITICAL ADVERTISING**

# I. What Is Political Advertising?

The disclosure statement and notice requirements discussed in this section apply to "political advertising." In the law, "political advertising" is a specifically defined term. Do not confuse this special term with your own common-sense understanding of advertising.

To figure out if a communication is political advertising, you must look at what it says and where it appears. If a communication fits in one of the categories listed in Part A (below) and if it fits in one of the categories listed in Part B (below), it is political advertising.

# Part A. What Does It Say?

- 1. Political advertising includes communications supporting or opposing a candidate for nomination or election to either a public office or an office of a political party (including county and precinct chairs).
- 2. Political advertising includes communications supporting or opposing an officeholder, a political party, or a measure (a ballot proposition).

# Part B. Where Does It Appear?

- 1. Political advertising includes communications that appear in pamphlets, circulars, fliers, billboards or other signs, bumper stickers, or similar forms of written communication.
- 2. Political advertising includes communications that are published in newspapers, magazines, or other periodicals in return for consideration.
- 3. Political advertising includes communications that are broadcast by radio or television in return for consideration.
- 4. Political advertising includes communications that appear on an Internet website.

# **II.** When Is a Disclosure Statement Required?

The law provides that political advertising that contains express advocacy is required to include a disclosure statement. The person who causes the political advertising to be published, distributed, or broadcast is responsible for including the disclosure statement.

The law does not define the term "express advocacy." However, the law does provide that political advertising is deemed to contain express advocacy if it is authorized by a candidate, an agent of a candidate, or a political committee filing campaign finance reports. Therefore, a disclosure statement is required any time a candidate, a candidate's agent, or a political committee authorizes political advertising.

The precise language of political advertising authorized by someone other than a candidate, the candidate's agent, or a political committee will determine if the advertising contains express advocacy and is therefore required to include a disclosure statement. Generally, the question is whether the communication expressly advocates the election or defeat of an identified candidate, or expressly advocates the passage or defeat of a measure, such as a bond election. The inclusion of words such as "vote for," "elect," "support," "defeat," "reject," or "Smith for Senate" would clearly constitute express advocacy, but express advocacy is not limited to communications that use those words. Similar phrases, such as "Cast your ballot for X," would also constitute express advocacy or its functional equivalent "if the ad is susceptible to no reasonable interpretation other than as an appeal to vote for or against a specific candidate." FEC v. Wis. Right to Life, Inc., 551 U.S. 449 (2007). It is a question of fact whether a particular communication constitutes express advocacy. If you are not sure whether political advertising contains express advocacy, do the cautious thing and include the disclosure statement. That way, there is no need to worry about whether you have violated the law.

Remember: The concept of "express advocacy" is relevant in determining whether political advertising is required to include a disclosure statement. However, the political advertising laws governing the right-of-way notice, misrepresentation, and use of public funds by political subdivisions will apply to political advertising regardless of whether the advertising contains express advocacy.

# **III. What Should the Disclosure Statement Say?**

A disclosure statement must include the following:

- 1. the words "political advertising" or a recognizable abbreviation such as "pol. adv."; and
- 2. the full name of one of the following: (a) the person who paid for the political advertising; (b) the political committee authorizing the political advertising; or (c) the candidate or specific-purpose committee supporting the candidate, if the political advertising is authorized by the candidate.

The disclosure statement must appear on the face of the political advertising or be clearly spoken if the political advertising is audio only and does not include written text.

The advertising should not be attributed to entities such as "Committee to Elect John Doe" unless a specific-purpose committee named "Committee to Elect John Doe" has filed a campaign treasurer appointment with the Ethics Commission or a local filing authority.

# **IV. Are There Any Exceptions to the Disclosure Statement Requirement?**

The following types of political advertising do not need the disclosure statement:

- 1. t-shirts, balloons, buttons, emery boards, hats, lapel stickers, small magnets, pencils, pens, pins, wooden nickels, candy wrappers, and similar materials;
- 2. invitations or tickets to political fundraising events or to events held to establish support for a candidate or officeholder;

- 3. an envelope that is used to transmit political advertising, provided that the political advertising in the envelope includes the disclosure statement;
- 4. circulars or fliers that cost in the aggregate less than \$500 to publish and distribute;
- 5. political advertising printed on letterhead stationery, if the letterhead includes the name of one of the following: (a) the person who paid for the advertising, (b) the political committee authorizing the advertising, or, (c) the candidate or specific-purpose committee supporting the candidate, if the political advertising is authorized by the candidate. (Note: There is also an exception for holiday greeting cards sent by an officeholder, provided that the officeholder's name and address appear on the card or the envelope.)
- postings or re-postings on an Internet website if the person posting or re-posting is not an officeholder, candidate, or political committee and did not make an expenditure exceeding \$100 in a reporting period for political advertising beyond the basic cost of hardware messaging software and bandwidth;
- 7. an Internet social media profile webpage of a candidate or officeholder, if the webpage clearly and conspicuously displays the full name of the candidate or officeholder; and
- 8. postings or re-postings on an Internet website if the advertising is posted with a link to a publicly viewable Internet webpage that either contains the disclosure statement or is an Internet social media profile webpage of a candidate or officeholder that clearly and conspicuously displays the candidate's or officeholder's full name.

# V. What Should I Do If I Discover That My Political Advertising Does Not Contain a Disclosure Statement?

The law prohibits a person from using, causing or permitting to be used, or continuing to use political advertising containing express advocacy if the person knows it does not include the disclosure statement. A person is presumed to know that the use is prohibited if the Texas Ethics Commission notifies the person in writing that the use is prohibited. If you receive notice from the Texas Ethics Commission that your political advertising does not comply with the law, you should stop using it immediately.

If you learn that a political advertising sign designed to be seen from the road does not contain a disclosure statement or contains an inaccurate disclosure statement, you should make a good faith attempt to remove or correct those signs that have been distributed. You are not required to attempt to recover other types of political advertising that have been distributed with a missing or inaccurate disclosure statement.

# VI. The Fair Campaign Practices Act.

The <u>Fair Campaign Practices Act</u> sets out basic rules of decency, honesty, and fair play to be followed by candidates and political committees during a campaign. A candidate or political committee may choose to subscribe to the voluntary code by signing a copy of the code and filing it with the authority with whom the candidate or committee is required to file its campaign

treasurer appointment. A person subscribing to the code may indicate that fact on political advertising by including the following or a substantially similar statement:

# (Name of the candidate or political committee, as appropriate) subscribes to the Code of Fair Campaign Practices.

### VII. Special Notice to Political Subdivisions and School Districts.

You may not use public funds or resources for political advertising. Please see our "Publications and Guides" section of our website for more information.

# **ROAD SIGNS**

#### I. When Is the "Right-Of-Way" Notice Required?

All written political advertising that is meant to be seen from a road must carry a "right-of-way" notice. It is a criminal offense to omit the "right-of-way" notice in the following circumstances:

- 1. if you enter into a contract or agreement to print or make written political advertising meant to be seen from a road; or
- 2. if you instruct another person to place the written political advertising meant to be seen from a road.

#### II. What Should the "Right-Of-Way" Notice Say?

Section 259.001 of the Texas Election Code prescribes the exact language of the notice:

# NOTICE: IT IS A VIOLATION OF STATE LAW (CHAPTERS 392 AND 393, TRANSPORTATION CODE) TO PLACE THIS SIGN IN THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF A HIGHWAY.

#### III. Do Yard Signs Have to Have the "Right-Of-Way" Notice?

Yes. The "right-of-way" notice requirement applies to signs meant to be seen from any road. The notice requirement assures that a person responsible for placing signs is aware of the restriction on placing the sign in the right-of-way of a highway.

#### **IV. What About Bumper Stickers?**

Bumper stickers do not need the "right-of-way" notice. They do, however, need a political advertising disclosure statement.

#### V. Where May I Place My Signs and How Long May Signs Be Posted?

For information about exactly where you may or may not place signs, or for information regarding the length of time your signs may be posted, check with your city or county government or your homeowner's association. The Texas Ethics Commission does not have

jurisdiction over matters involving the location of signs, and the length of time that they may be posted.

# MISREPRESENTATION

#### I. Are There Restrictions on the Contents of Political Advertising?

Political advertising and campaign communications may not misrepresent a person's identity or official title, nor may they misrepresent the true source of the advertising or communication. The election law does not address other types of misrepresentation in political advertising or campaign communications.

Note that the misrepresentation rules apply to both political advertising and campaign communications. "Campaign communication" is a broader term than "political advertising."

A "campaign communication" means "a written or oral communication relating to a campaign for nomination or election to public office or office of a political party or to a campaign on a measure."

#### II. Misrepresentation of Office Title.

A candidate may not represent that he or she holds an office that he or she does not hold at the time of the representation. If you are not the incumbent in the office you are seeking, you must make it clear that you are seeking election rather than reelection by using the word "for" to clarify that you don't hold that office. The word "for" must be at least one-half the type size as the name of the office and should appear immediately before the name of the office. For example, a non-incumbent may use the following formats:

Vote John Doe for Attorney General John Doe For Attorney General

A non-incumbent may not be allowed to use the following verbiage:

Elect John Doe Attorney General John Doe Attorney General

#### **III.** Misrepresentation of Identity or Source.

A person violates the law if, with intent to injure a candidate or influence the result of an election, the person misrepresents the source of political advertising or a campaign communication or if the person misrepresents his or her own identity or the identity of his or her agent in political advertising or in a campaign communication. (If someone else is doing something for you, that person is your agent.) For example, you may not take out an ad in favor of your opponent that purports to be sponsored by a notoriously unpopular group.

#### IV. Use of State Seal.

Only current officeholders may use the state seal in political advertising.

#### V. Criminal Offenses.

Be aware that many violations of the Election Code are criminal offenses. For example, unlawfully using public funds for political advertising can be a Class A misdemeanor. So can misrepresenting one's identity or office title in political advertising. For more details on these offenses and political advertising in general, see <u>Chapter 255 of the Election Code</u>.