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Campaign Finance and Practices

Complaint Form (08/17)

Type or print in ink all information on this form except for verification signature

Person bringing complaint (Complainant):

Complete Name Jake Eaton
Complete Mailing Address PO Box 81274
Billings, MT 59108
Phone Numbers: Work _____ Home _____

Person or organization against whom complaint is brought (Respondent):

Complete Name Jacob Bachmeier
Complete Mailing Address 714 14th Street
Havre, MT
Phone Numbers: Work _____ Home _____

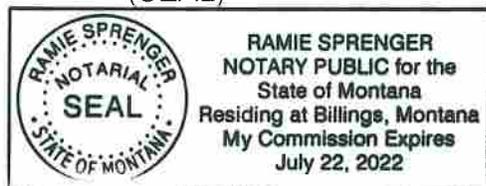
Please complete the second page of this form and describe in detail the facts of the alleged violation.

Verification by oath or affirmation

State of Montana, County of Yellowstone

I, Jake Eaton, being duly sworn, state that the information in this Complaint is complete, true, and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[Signature]
Signature of Complainant



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August, 2018.
[Signature]
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Statement of facts:

Describe in detail the alleged violation(s) and cite the statute or statutes you believe have been violated. Please attach copies of documentary evidence to support the facts alleged in your statement.

If the space provided below is insufficient, you may attach additional pages as necessary.

see attached

Complaints must be:

- signed
- notarized
- delivered in person or by mail.

Jacob Bachmeier, candidate for House District 28 in 2016 has violated ARM 44.11.502(7) by failing to report the purpose, subject matter.

ARM 44.11.502 states:

EXPENDITURES. REPORTING

(1) A campaign expense paid personally by an individual in his or her own campaign is always coordinated with, and is a campaign expense of, the campaign that must be reported and disclosed as an expense by the campaign in the same manner as an expense paid through the campaign depository account.

(2) An obligation to pay for a campaign expenditure is incurred on the date the obligation is made, and shall be reported as a debt of the campaign until the campaign pays the obligation by making an expenditure.

(3) An expenditure is made on the date payment is made, or in the case of an in-kind expenditure, on the date the consideration is given.

(4) The date of each expenditure shall be reported in the reporting period during which it is made.

(5) Expenditures made from the petty cash fund need not be reported, except that an accounting shall be maintained pursuant to ARM 44.11.409.

(6) All expenditures must be supported by a contemporaneous written agreement, invoice, billing statement, or similar documentation appropriate to the transaction that describes the services provided, the billing period identifying the specific dates on which services were provided, an itemized basis for the payments made, and other pertinent information.

(7) For purposes of the disclosure requirements of 13-37-229 and 13-37-232, MCA, the "purpose" of each expenditure as reported on the commissioner's campaign finance reporting forms shall specifically describe the purpose, quantity, subject matter, as appropriate to each expenditure, and must be detailed enough to distinguish among expenditures for similar purposes. For example, two expenditures for direct mail advertisements should not both be reported as "Flyers."

1. Violation ARM 44.11.501(7)

The: 10/04/16-10/26/16 c5 report (exhibit 1) lists a payment of \$664.23 on 10/20/16 to Mailing Technical Services of Billings, MT that is described only as "Mailing Fees (2 Mailers)" This description does not comply with the standards set for in ARM.

2. Violation ARM 44.11.501(7)

The: 10/04/16-10/26/16 c5 report (exhibit 1) lists a payment of \$351.65 on 10/20/16 to Mailing Technical Services of Billings, MT that is described only as "Mailer" This description does not comply with the standards set for in ARM.

Candidate Campaign Finance Report (C-5)

Candidate Information

Date Filed: 11/19/2015
 D1 Received Date: 01/20/2016
 C118 Received Date:

Amended Filing for: 10/04/2016 - 10/26/2016
 Report Type: Periodic
 Receive and File Date: 10/29/2016
 Report Status: Pending-Amended
 Amended Date: 12/09/2016

Bachmeier, Jacob D.
 714 14th St., Havre, MT 59501

Election Year: 2016

Resident County: Hill
 (406) 262-2189
 jbachmeier4hd28@gmail.com

Office Sought: House District No. 28
 Political Party: Democrat

Candidate Type: State District
 Candidate Status: Closed

Treasurer:
 Almas, Daniel
 215 Centurian St. Havre, MT 59501

Bank Information:
 Bear Paw Credit Union
 201 2nd St. Havre, MT 59501

Summary Report

Cash Summary: Money Received and Spent		Primary	General
1. Cash in Bank - Balance from previous report		\$36.57	\$2,986.54
2. Receipts - Total Received and deposited this period	+	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$1,280.00</u>
	Subtotal	\$36.57	\$4,266.54
3. Expenditures - Total paid out this period	-	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$4,088.33</u>
4. Cash in Bank - Ending Balance this report		\$36.57	\$178.21

Candidate Contributions

Election	Description	In-Kind	Value	Cash/Check Amount	Total to Date
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Loans

Entity	Occupation/ Employer	Election	Date	Description	In-Kind	Value	Cash/Check Amount	Total to Date
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Fundraisers

Entity	Election	Purpose	Date	Description	In-Kind	Value	Cash/Check Amount	Total to Date
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Committee Contributions

Entity	Committee Type	Election	Date	Description	In-Kind	Value	Cash/Check Amount	Total to Date
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Entity	Committee Type	Election	Date	Description	In-Kind	Value	Cash/Check Amount	Total to Date
Blaine County Democratic Central Committee Po Box 951, Harlem, MT 59526	Political Party Committee Contributions	General	10/11/2016			\$0.00	\$200.00	\$0.00(P) \$200.00(G)
EYEPAC 4033 Ave B, Billings, MT 59106	Independent Committee Contributions	General	10/04/2016			\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00(P) \$100.00(G)

Individual Contributors (Total Contributions < \$35: \$50.00) (Primary Contributions < \$35: \$0.00) (General Contributions < \$35: \$50.00)

Entity	Occupation/ Employer	Election	Description	In-Kind	Value	Cash/Check Amount	Total to Date
Codden, Pauline 1603 3rd Street, Havre, MT 59501	RETIRED not applicable	General			\$0.00	\$50.00	\$0.00(P) \$50.00(G)
Friede, Debi 322 20th St, Havre, MT 59501	Manager Yummy Foods	General			\$0.00	\$50.00	\$0.00(P) \$50.00(G)
Goodridge, Chris R 440 Clark Avenue, Billings, MT 59101	Production Manager MYtopo	General			\$0.00	\$170.00	\$0.00(P) \$170.00(G)
HENRY, DAVE PO 1844, HAVREHavre, MT 59501	CEO Northern Montana Healthcare	General			\$0.00	\$200.00	\$0.00(P) \$200.00(G)
Morse, Jennifer 1345 Boulevard Ave, Havre, MT 59501	Retired not applicable	General			\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00(P) \$100.00(G)
Nelson, Nora C. 606 16th Street, Havre, MT 59501	RETIRED Not Applicable	General			\$0.00	\$40.00	\$35.00(P) \$40.00(G)
Porter, Sally 104 Cottonwood Ct., Hamilton, MT 59501	Retired Teacher not applicable	General			\$0.00	\$20.00	\$25.00(P) \$50.00(G)
Schreiner, Casey J 2223 6th Ave. North, Great Falls, MT 59401	Legislator STATE OF MONTANA	General			\$0.00	\$50.00	\$0.00(P) \$50.00(G)
Terrel, Karen 1016 17th Street, Havre, MT 59501	Financial Aid Counselor MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY- NORTHERN	General			\$0.00	\$100.00	\$100.00(P) \$100.00(G)
Tierney, Thomas P. 505 9th Street, Havre, MT 59501	Retired Not Applicable	General			\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00(P) \$100.00(G)
Ulano, Patrick 1103 6th Street, Havre, MT 59501	ELECTRICIAN Liberty Electric	General			\$0.00	\$50.00	\$0.00(P) \$50.00(G)

Expenditures: Petty Cash

Election	Purpose	Date	Amount
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Expenditures: Other

Entity	Election	Purpose	Date	Amount
ActBlue 366 Summer Street, Somerville, ME 02144	General	Contribution processing fee	10/24/2016	\$1.98
ActBlue 366 Summer Street, Somerville, ME 02144	General	Contribution Processing Fee	10/20/2016	\$7.90
ActBlue 366 Summer Street, Somerville, ME 02144	General	Contribution Processing Fee	10/10/2016	\$1.98

Entity	Election	Purpose	Date	Amount
Fiveheads 39 1st ST, Havre, MT 59501	General	6 campaign t-shirts (\$12x6)	10/04/2016	\$72.00
Havre Daily News 119 2nd St, Havre, MT 59501	General	Front Page Ad	10/17/2016	\$450.00
Havre Daily News 119 2nd St, Havre, MT 59501	General	Front Page Ad	10/14/2016	\$450.00
Mailing Technical Service, Inc 850 S. 27th St., Billings, MT 59101	General	Mailing Fees (2 Mailers)	10/20/2016	\$664.23
Mailing Technical Services P.O. Box 1753, Billings, MT 59103	General	MAILER	10/04/2016	\$351.65
New Media Broadcasters 2210 31st ST N, Havre, MT 59501	General	72 Radio Ads	10/19/2016	\$399.60
New Media Broadcasters 2210 31st ST N, Havre, MT 59501	General	72 Adds	10/11/2016	\$399.60

Debts

Entity	Election	Type	Purpose	Date	Debt Amount	Balance Due
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Payments Only

Entity	Type	Debt Amount	Date	Paid Amount	Balance Due
MTS Mailing Service PO Box 1753, Billings, MT 59103	Debt	\$1,289.39	10/10/2016	\$1,289.39	\$0.00