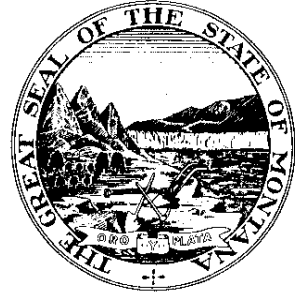


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Instructions (Revised 9/1/09) **Form C-7E** **Notice of Pre-Election Expenditures**

Who is required to file a Form C-7E?

- Any independent political committee that makes an expenditure or incurs a debt or obligation of \$500 or more for election material described in 13-35-225(1), MCA if made between the 17th day before the election and the day of the election. (13-37-226, MCA)

When must a Form C-7E be filed?

- Within 24 hours after making expenditure or incurring a debt of \$500 or more.

Where must a Form C-7E be filed?

- One copy is to be filed with the Commissioner of Political Practices at the address above.
- One copy is to be filed with the Election Administrator in the county where the committee has its headquarters.
- One copy is to be retained for the political committee's records.

Please note:

All expenditures reported on a Form C-7E *must be included on the next financial report*

Please detach this instruction page before filing Form C-7E

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Form C-7E (Revised 9/28/09)
Notice of pre-election expenditures
To be filed by political committee

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
Date Received and Postmark Date

Committee Name _____
Complete Mailing Address _____

(City, State, Zip Code)

TYPE OF COMMITTEE

DATE (Required)	Payee Name and Address (Required)	Purpose	In-Kind Description (if applicable)	Amount	Check	
					P=Primary	G=General
	Name _____ Address _____ City, State, Zip _____				P	G
	Name _____ Address _____ City, State, Zip _____				P	G
	Name _____ Address _____ City, State, Zip _____				P	G

This report **must be signed by an officer** whose name is on the Statement of Organization (Form C-2) on file in our office. If you submit online, a signed hard copy must be mailed as well.

Signature _____

Title _____

Date _____