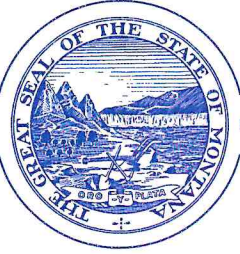


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Subject: Complaints received October 23 and 24, 2023;  
McCulloch v. Dudley and McCulloch v. Rosander

Richard,

I hope you are well. This letter acknowledges the receipt of your formal Campaign Finance and Practices (CFP) complaints, received by this Office on October 23 (*Dudley*) and 24 (*Rosander*), 2023.

The complaint alleges violation of Montana election law under Montana Code Annotated (MCA) Title 13, Chapter 37 and related Administrative Rules of Montana (ARMs). Specifically, each complaint alleges that the named respondent has failed to properly report certain campaign expenditures with this office. I am provided proper jurisdiction to consider the alleged violations each complaint presents.

Pursuant to 44.11.106(4), ARM, the administrative rule pertaining to campaign complaints, I do request that you provide additional information or evidence pertaining to the alleged violations your complaints present. Specifically, I would request pictures or similar photographic evidence of the alleged unreported material. I require this information to be able to make a determination as to the appropriateness of accepting one or both complaints for further consideration. Absent pictures or similar photographic evidence that the alleged unreported material does indeed exist, I am not provided sufficient information to determine that the alleged violations require such further consideration.

Regards,

/s/ Chris J. Gallus

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