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Campaign Finance and Practices

Complaint Form (08/17)

HAND DELIVERED

SIGNED/NOTARIZED

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

Person bringing complaint (Complainant):

Complete Name Sean Logan
Complete Mailing Address 1954 Stuart Street
Helena, MT 59601
Phone Numbers: Work _____ Home (406) 431-8725

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

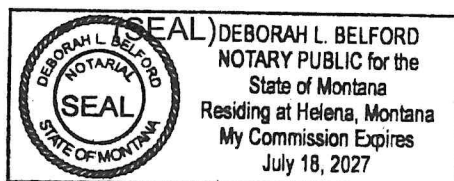
Complete Name Andy Shirliff
Complete Mailing Address 903 Hollins Avenue
Helena, MT 59601
Phone Numbers: Work (406) 442-4479 Home _____

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 Le. & Clark

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



Sean Logan
Signature of Complainant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of November, 2025.

Deborah L. Belford
Notary Public
Deborah L. Belford

My Commission Expires:

Statement of facts:

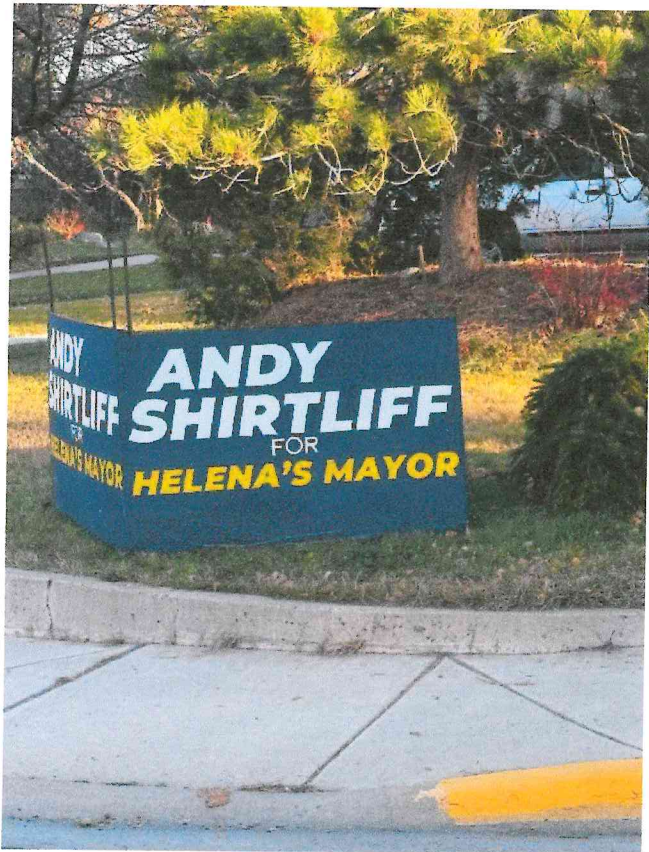
Describe in detail the alleged violation(s) and cite the statute or statutes you believe have been violated. Please attach copies of documentary evidence to support the facts alleged in your statement.

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

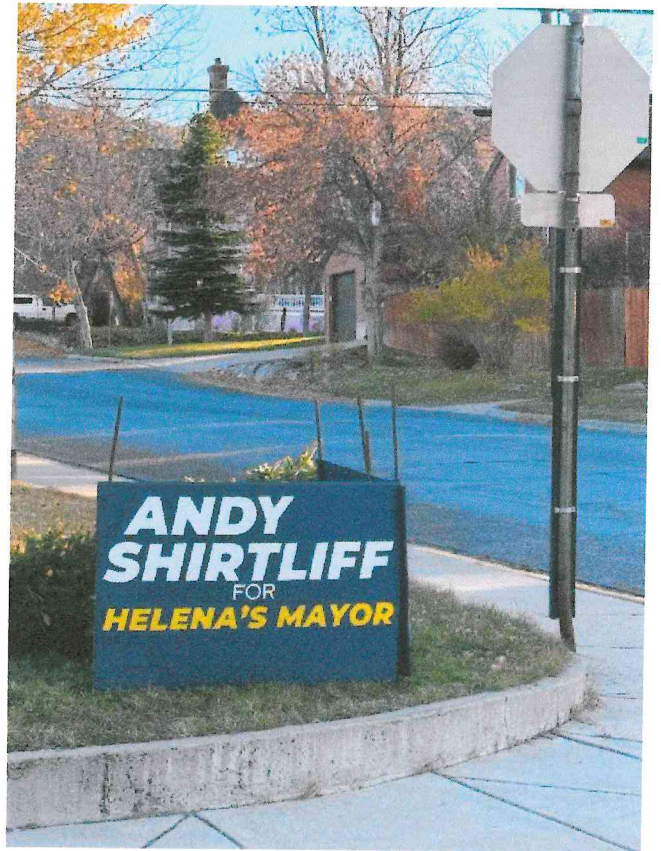
1. Multiple large Shirtliff campaign signs throughout town without attribution information.
2. Multiple Shirtliff campaign texts without attribution information.
3. In-kind contribution for video campaign ad reported far below market value (\$450 vs. \$2,000 - \$4,000) see attached email from Big Sky Production Services

Complaints must be:

- signed
- notarized
- delivered in person or by mail



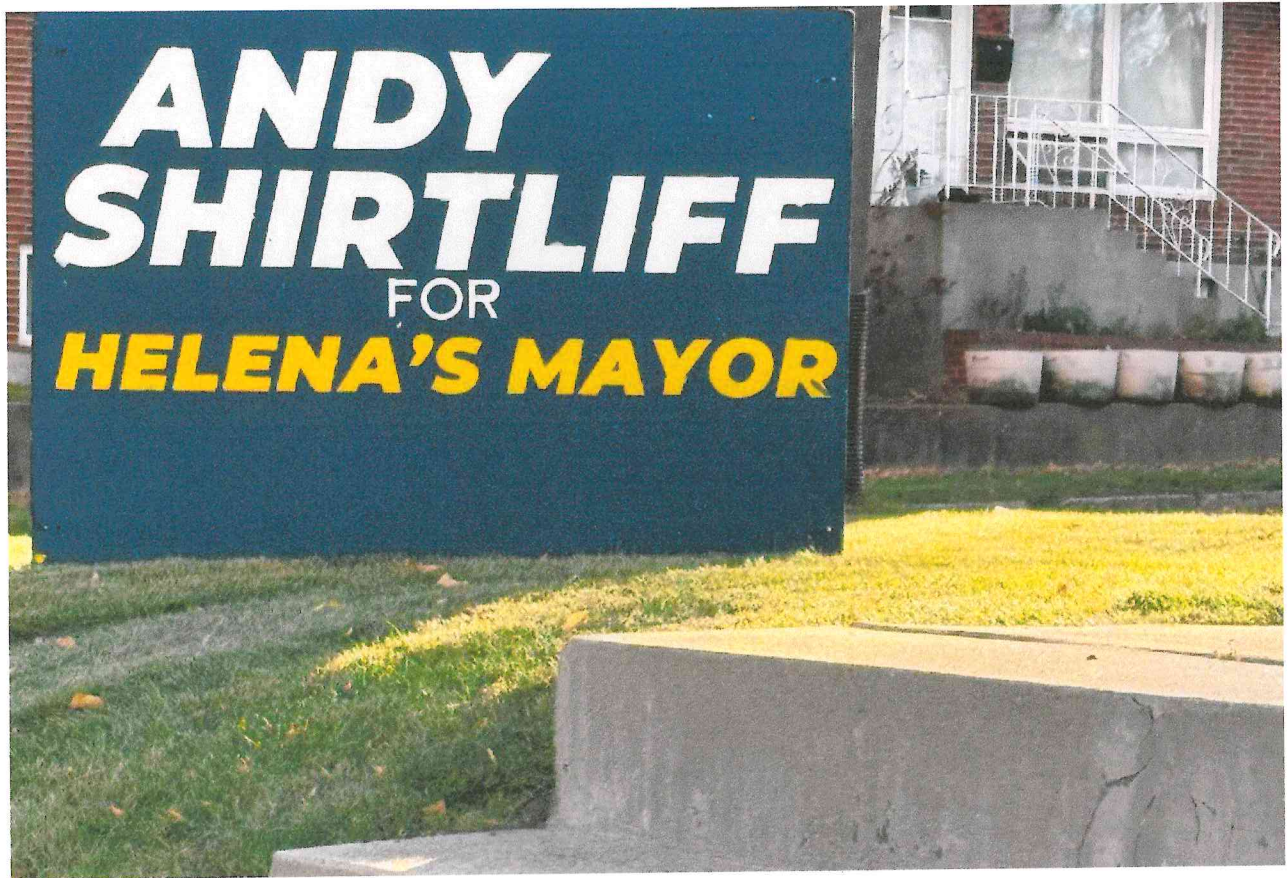
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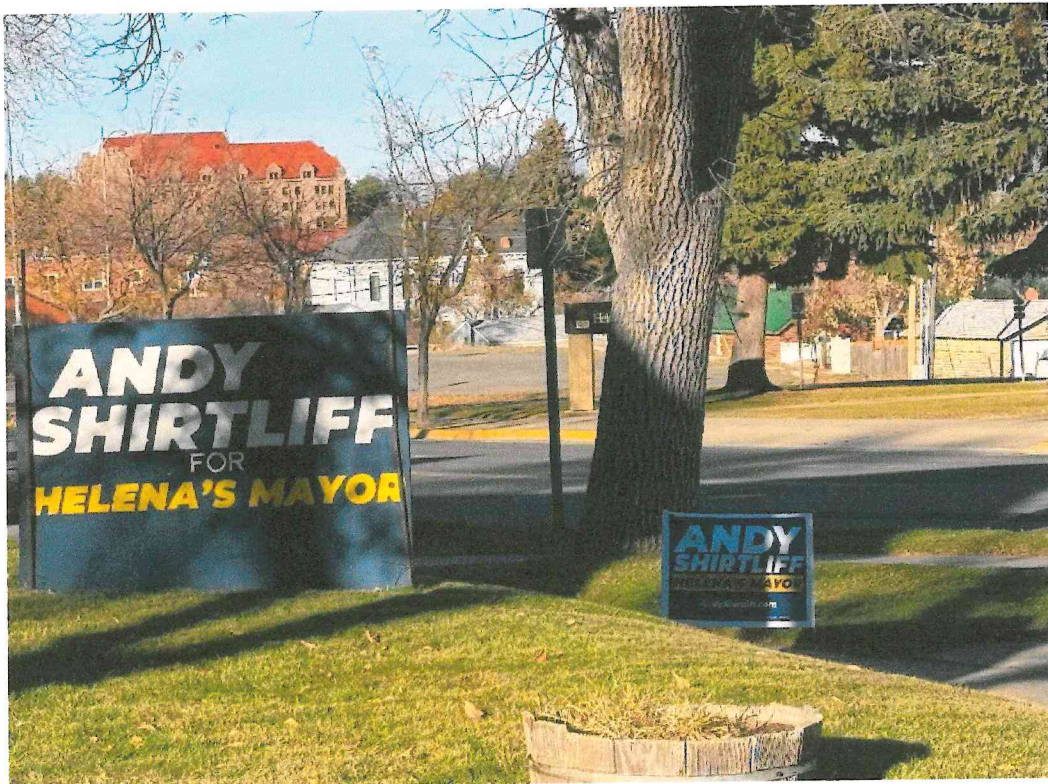
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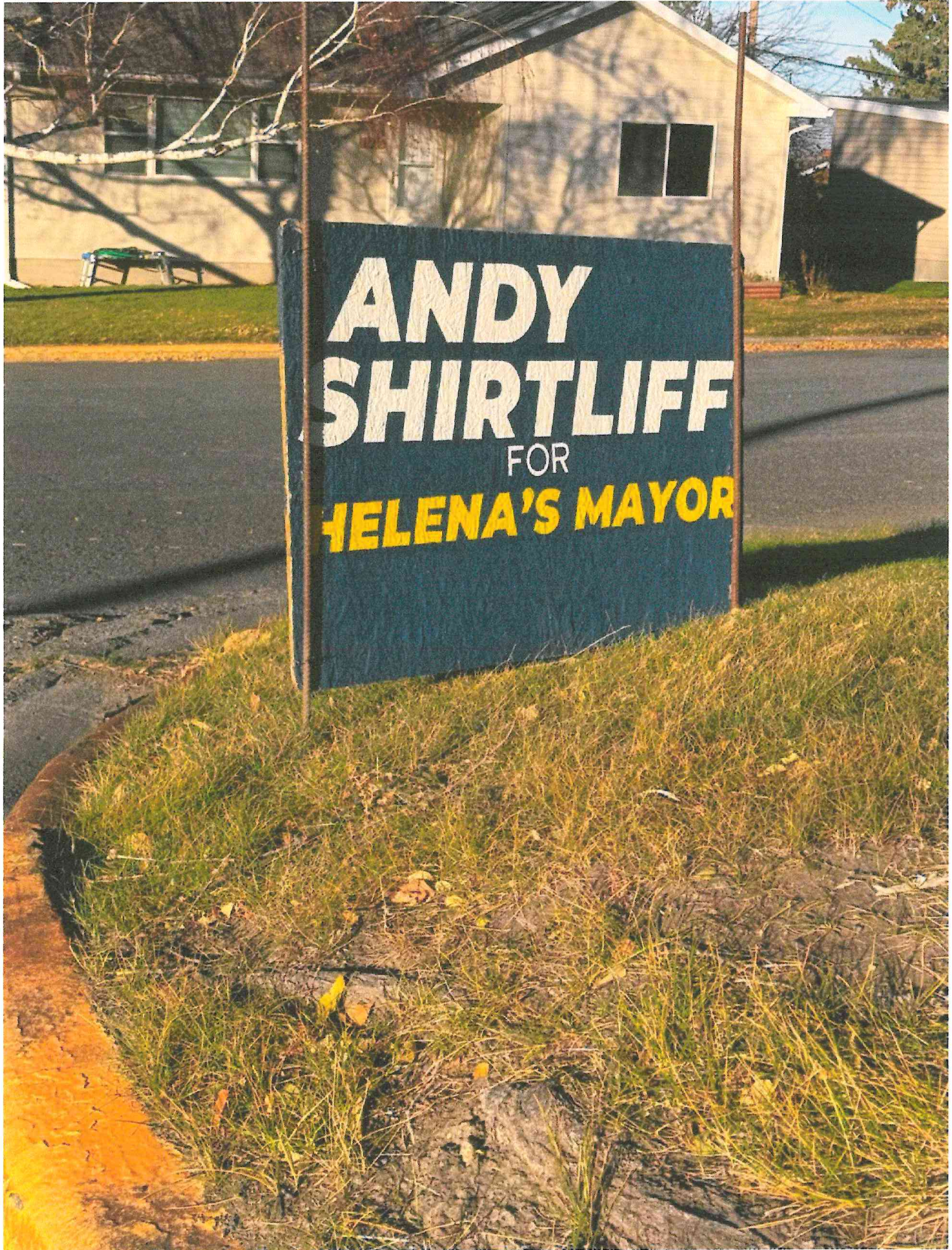


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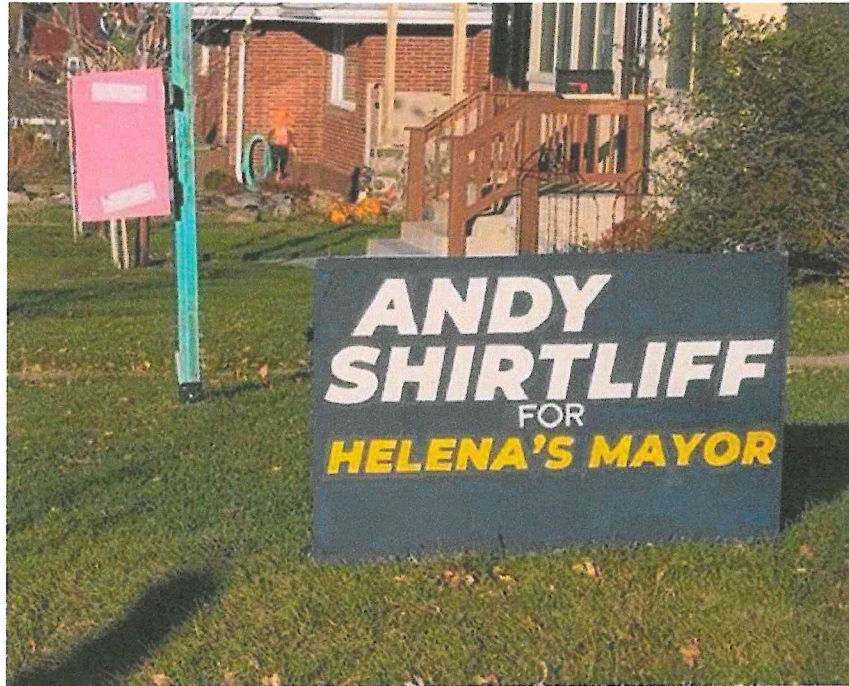


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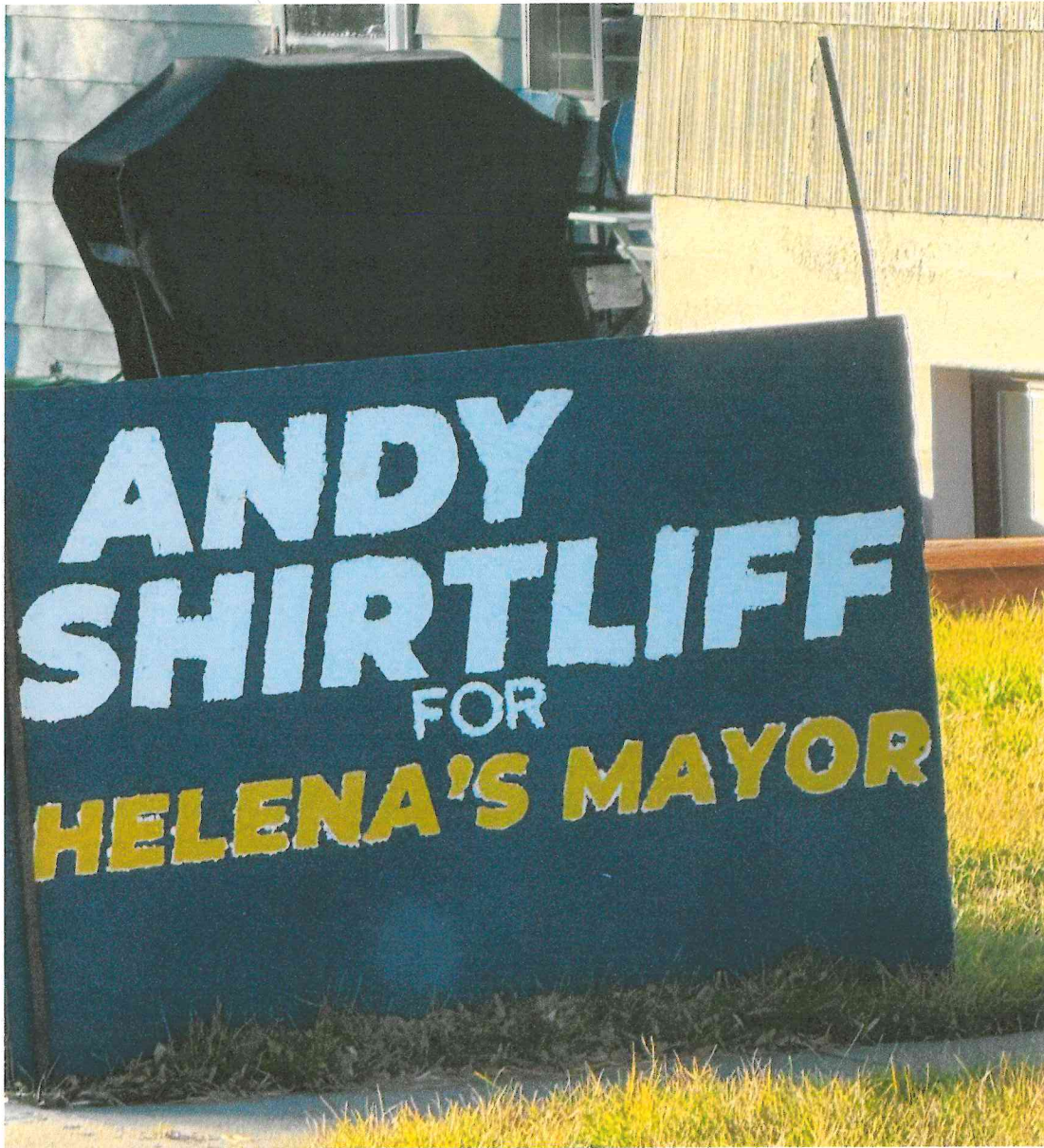


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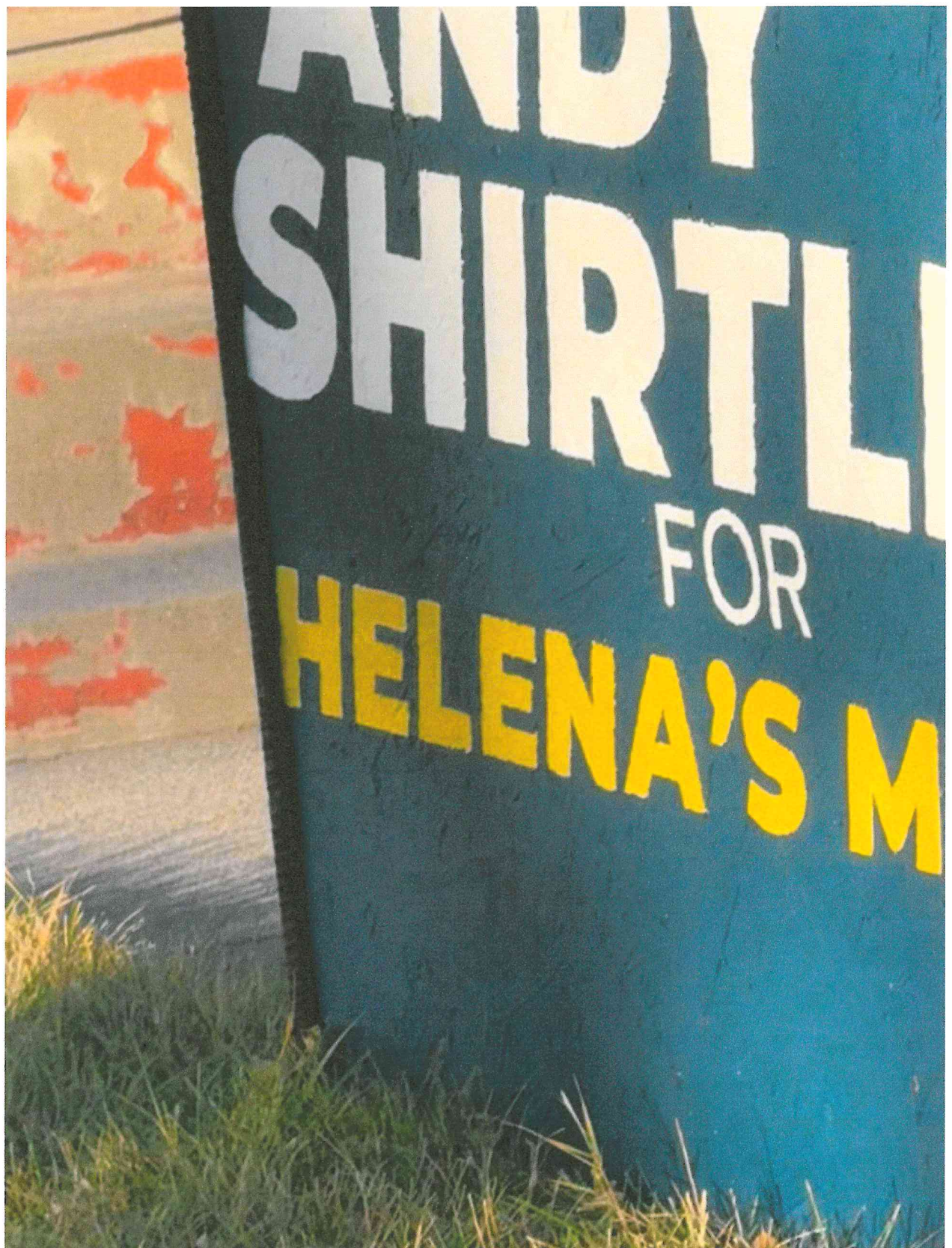


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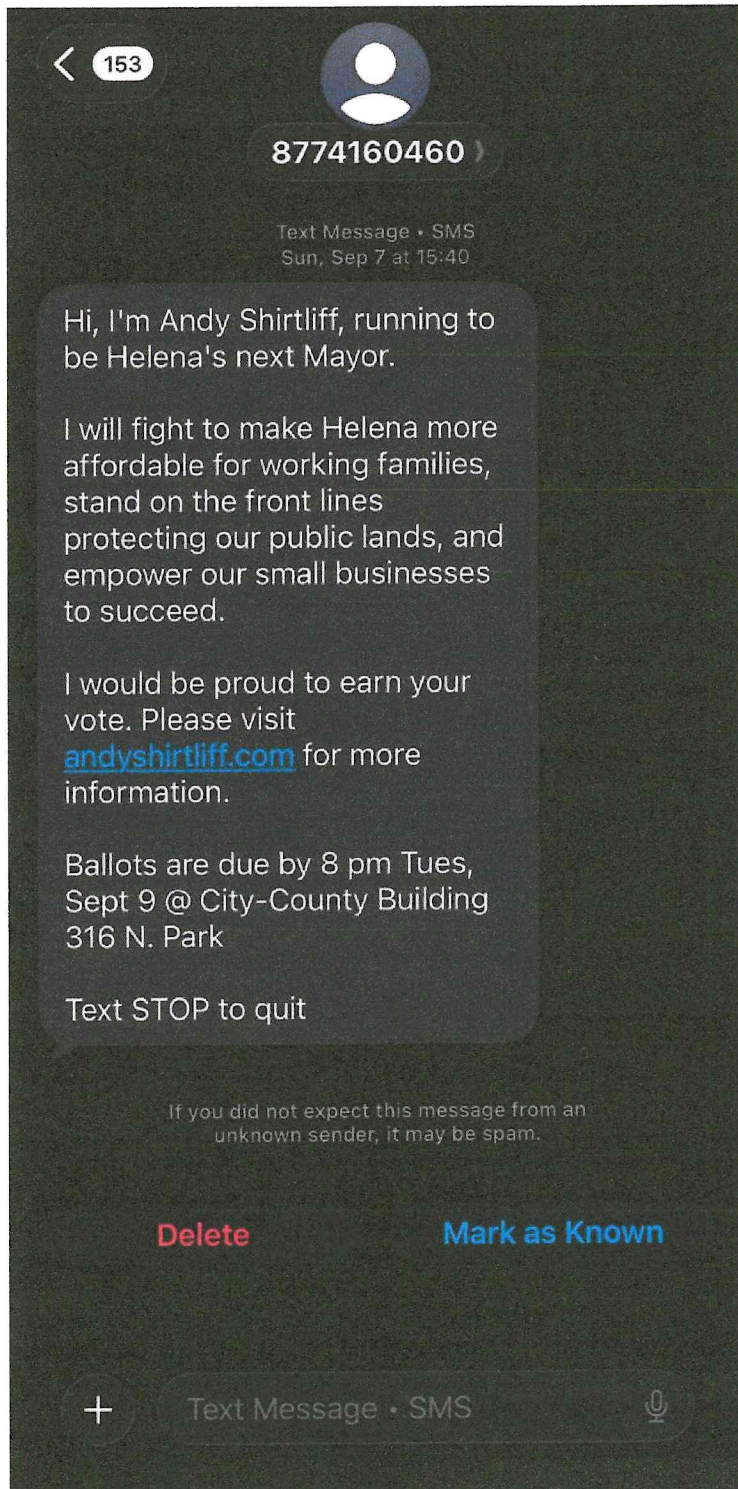




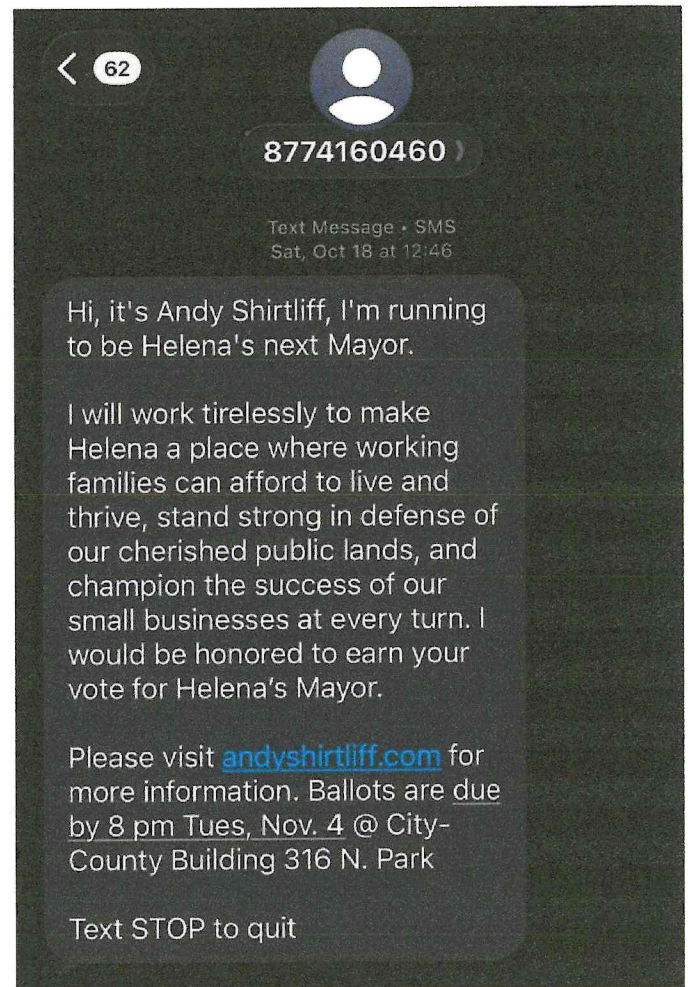
540 E. Broadway



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Sept. 7, 2025



Oct. 18, 2025



Text STOP to quit

8774160460

Thu, Oct 23 at 14:51

Hello Helena, I'm Andy Shirtliff, and I'm running to be your next Mayor.

I'm running for mayor because I love our town, and I am excited about our future. I'm running to build a stronger Helena, a city with responsive city services, clean water, and safer neighborhoods. A Helena where families can find homes they can afford, local businesses thrive and every neighbor has a real voice in shaping our shared future. I'd humbly ask for the honor of your vote.

Please visit andyshirtliff.com for more information. Ballots are due by 8 pm Tues, Nov. 4 @ City-County Building 316 N. Park

Text STOP to quit

If you did not expect this message from an unknown sender, it may be spam.

Delete

Mark as Known



Text Message • SMS



Oct. 23, 2025

Candidate Campaign Finance Report (C-7)

Candidate Information

Date Filed: 06/10/2025

D1 Received Date:

C118 Received Date:

Original Filing for: 08/22/2025 - 08/24/2025

Report Type: Initial

Receive and File Date: 08/24/2025

Report Status: Incorporated

Shirtliff, Andy

PO Box 327, Helena, MT 59624

Election Year: 2025

Resident County: Lewis & Clark

(406) 249-4546

andy@andyshirtliff.com

Office Sought: Mayor

Political Party: Non-Partisan

Candidate Type: City

Candidate Status: Active

Treasurer:

Deitle, MBA, Jillian

2047 N Last Chance Gulch #295 Helena, MT 59601

Bank Information:

First Interstate Bank

25 E. Lyndale Helena, MT 59601

Candidate Contributions

No entries found.

Loans

No entries found.

Fundraisers

No entries found.

Refunds, Etc ...

No entries found.

Committee Contributions

No entries found.

Individual Contributors (Total Contributions < \$50: \$0.00) (Primary Contributions < \$50: \$0.00) (General Contributions < \$50: \$0.00)

Entity	Employer	Election	In-Kind Description	In-Kind Value	Cash/Check Amount	Total to Date
Nilles, John 412 S 3rd St W, Missoula, MT 59801	owner Big Sky Production Services	Primary	Production of Campaign Ad	450.00	0.00	450.00(P) 0.00(G)

VIDEO PRODUCTION QUESTIONNAIRE

This form will give us an idea of how best to serve your needs. Answer as many questions as you can and feel free to reach out if you have any questions for us. Thank you!

COMPANY/ORGANIZATION: Wendy Brenden Date: September 5, 2025

Short description of the video(s):

Political campaign ad

What is the primary message you want your video(s) to convey?

Character, experience, commitment

Who will watch these videos? (Demographic)

Voters

Where will they watch them? (Social media/Youtube/Embedded on website/Television/etc)

Social media and TV

QUANTITY & LENGTH

How many videos?

1

Length of videos?

30 seconds

TIMELINE

Are there specific shoot dates? (Example: dates of an event)

TBD

Ideally, when would you like to receive the completed video(s)?

2026

DEVELOPMENT

Is there a script or an outline? Do you need help developing one?

Yes, no help needed

LOGISTICS (Locations/Travel):

Where will the videos be filmed? (on location, in a business, at our studio in Missoula, etc)

6 locations in Butte, 5 outdoors, 1 indoors

Do you need help with casting/finding on-camera talent?

No

5 LEVELS OF PRODUCTION QUALITY (Select the levels you are interested in)

LOW - We don't do this level.



MEDIUM - Content is the priority over aesthetics. Minimal pre-production. 2-3 Crew members on set. Basic lighting. Minimal b-roll. "Run and gun" shooting style. Basic titles & graphics. Basic color correction. This level is best for employee training videos and customer walk-throughs, but isn't effective at impressing new customers or clients.



HIGH - This level looks great. It includes basic pre-production to prep overall story and talent. 4-8 crew members on set. Advanced lighting techniques. Include more b-roll. Basic sound design & mixing. Animated titles & graphics. Advanced color correction. A slicker looking overall product. The audience will feel the quality and will be conscious of the content. This level is great for attracting statewide and regional customers/clients.

Examples: Shivelight - https://youtu.be/qt47qQlqg_w Poverello Center <https://youtu.be/dBaQDctQcdE>



CINEMATIC - This level is national quality. It includes comprehensive pre-production with several meetings with you, locations, talent, & crew leading up to the shoot. Every shot is storyboarded and approved by you prior to shooting. 8-18 crew members on set. We implement unique camera techniques to add an extra dimension. Cinematic, movie-like lighting. Hair & make-up will be on set. Advanced sound design & mixing. A custom titles/graphic/VFX package. In-depth color correction. Every shot looks and sounds like a movie. This level will impress anyone, anywhere.

Example: "Saving For The Day" Feature Film - <https://youtu.be/kpqzlw7K2Fc>



HOLLYWOOD - This is unsuitable for most productions. Includes a team for comprehensive pre-production, dozens more crew members, the potential for known talent, trailers & special accommodations for talent, set building, complicated VFX, large post production crew, and more. The logistics and budget grow exponentially at this level.

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Fwd: Quote needed

Wendy Brenden [REDACTED]
To: [REDACTED]

Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 11:34 AM

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Wendy Brenden <[REDACTED]>
Date: Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 11:22 AM
Subject: Re: Quote needed
To: Big Sky Production Services <bsps@shootmontana.com>

Thanks for getting back to me. That helps me build a budget. I appreciate your time with this. I'm hoping someone makes a decision sooner rather than later on this.

Thanks again! Wen

On Wed, Sep 17, 2025 at 11:15 AM Big Sky Production Services <bsps@shootmontana.com> wrote:
Hi Wendy,

Thanks for sending this over! I've produced and shot a lot of videos like this. Without a call to dig into the details, this would cost between \$2,000-4,000 depending on a number of factors. If this is within your budget let me know and let's set up a call!

Thank you!
John

On Fri, Sep 12, 2025 at 12:14 PM Wendy Brenden <[REDACTED]> wrote:
Hello,

I've attached the questionnaire. I hope that helps. I'm just looking for some pricing so we can budget. I think video can go a long way, but we need to see if it might fit into the budget.

Thanks! Wen

On Fri, Sep 5, 2025 at 1:26 PM Big Sky Production Services <bsps@shootmontana.com> wrote:
Hi Wendy,

Thanks for reaching out. I can travel to Butte. I'd like to know a bit more about the project. Can you fill out this questionnaire then we can schedule a call?

Thank,
John

On Fri, Sep 5, 2025 at 12:34 PM Wendy Brenden <[REDACTED]> wrote:
Hello,

I work as a freelance designer on a few projects. I just had a client, who is also a friend, ask about video/drone footage (I just video my dogs - that's the level of my expertise:).

She's in Butte, so I'm hoping you travel. I'm not sure she can afford this, but I'd like a quote for a 30-second ad and a quote for a 60-second ad. We have an idea of 6-7 locations for the ads, and one location that would include drone footage.