

[Jim](#) replied 2 months ago (Wed, 7 Dec, 2016 at 8:43 PM)

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Hi Kurt,

here are my responses:

- The individuals listed on the Kennedy Dinner spreadsheet that contributed to your campaign, did you solicit those contributions from those individuals to attend the Kennedy Dinner? If no, how did you determine the contributions were to be used for that event? Yes, I personally invited each person and asked them to contribute towards the sponsorship cost.
- Can you find out from the Thurston County Democrat's the actual costs for just the meal, beverages, wine at the table taxes and gratuities portion of the Kennedy Dinner, or if it is easier, how much of the \$100 per table costs was a contribution to the party? I know you previously estimated the costs based on the \$65 admittance price for an individual, but we requesting additional information. I have asked for this from TCD and will send it to you under separate cover as soon as I have a number.
- The individuals listed on the Kennedy Dinner spreadsheet that contributed directly to the Thurston County Democrats, did your campaign request or direct those individuals to send their contributions directly to the party? No. They had already purchased tickets when I invited them or misunderstood the request for contribution.
- Did the campaign receive any additional benefits from the Kennedy Dinner sponsorship other than what was listed on the flyer from the Thurston County Democrats? Not that I know of.
- Concerning the \$46.08 in-kind contribution from Matt Albrecht, you indicated in your response that it was a 2015 charge, do you recall when the expenditure was made? Yes, it was 8/3/2015.
- The complaint alleged that your campaign failed to disclose expenditures or in-kind contributions for the "professional photography" services provided to the campaign for the website and mail piece photo's that were used. I don't see a response to that specific allegation, but I know you responded to another complaint about the You Tube videos. Please respond to that issue. I apologize for missing that. As Jacob and I discussed these photos were taken in a local studio for my family and paid for by me personally for personal use. Others were personal photographs from my iphone. We then used some of them in campaign materials.

I'll send the per plate number as soon as I have it. Thanks!

Jim