

WA State Public Disclosure
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6/18/2021

PDC Kurt Young:

Thank you for your inquire discussion and letter regarding last years candidate filing, copy of your letter enclosed. As indicated in the paperwork supplied all correspondence ended in November last year though documents show an email sent me that I did not get. So hopefully to resolve all concerns I believe due to circumstances I will demonstrate that a campaign short filing adjustment is in order so please look at the exhibits and I hope you will agree as it turns out very little money was spent.

Most all the financial concern revolves around, a print and mail flier, (documents 1 and 2) as contracted for but never delivered to 3rd Legislative District voters contracted through the company, ValPac. However ValPac needed credit card to get working and as check would take to long for mailing to have been sent timely so as a result I used a personnel credit card as evidenced in documents (3, 4, 5, 6 ,) showing, expenditure on my private account ending on number (4043) followed by contest letter and credit applied to next statement. So there was an intent to donate but unfortunately that did not happen so the expected contribution never actually occurred and due to circumstances beyond my control.

Further the campaign had a bank account, (7, 8)as set up with initially \$500 that was to be refunded at the end of the campaign and the lessor residue was. Documents provided show account and closing of that account after the end of the campaign.

So in the end less that a thousand-dollars was actually received or spent during the campaign. And that simply needs to be reflected in the PDC filings made so the easiest way to reflect that is likely the best but the question is now in you're court?

 6/18/2021

Bob Apple

2509 N Upriver Ct.

Spokane, WA 99217

cometapple@msn.com, (please note many people are having difficulties with MSN these days)

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June 3, 2021

Robert Apple
2509 N Upriver Court
Spokane WA 99217

Subject: PDC Staff-generated complaint filed against Robert Apple, PDC Case 86767;
Mailed by US Postal Service and sent electronically to Robert Apple

Mr. Apple:

After conducting a preliminary review and assessment of the PDC staff-generated complaint filed against you on March 10, 2021, concerning several alleged campaign finance violations, PDC staff has opened a formal investigation. On June 1, 2021, staff held a case status review, referred to as an initial hearing in accordance with RCW 42.17A.755, and WACs 390-37-060 and 390-37-071.

Thank you for participation by telephone at the hearing, where it was noted that the case status review is not an adjudicative proceeding. I stated during the hearing that RCW 42.17A.755 provides PDC staff with additional tools to resolve complaints through the use of alternatives to full, formal adjudication, or through referral to the Attorney General's Office. I encouraged PDC staff to work with you on resolving this matter.

As noted during the hearing, while the PDC's official form of communication is by email, you requested that you receive all correspondence concerning this matter by US Postal Service and staff agreed with your request. If you have questions, please contact Kurt Young, PDC Compliance Officer at (360) 664-8854.

Mr. Young has attached copies of the PDC staff-generated complaint for this matter, an email string between you and Kim Bradford, PDC Director of Community Outreach, and blank PDC C-3 and C-4 report forms for you to complete and mail to the PDC along with the documentation for the ValPak expenditure/reimbursement.

Sincerely,

/s/

Electronically Signed by Peter Lavallee
PDC Executive Director



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Email exchange between Robert Apple and Kim Bradford

6 months ago (Fri, 13 Nov 2020 at 4:25 PM)

To: cometapple@msn.com

Mr. Apple,

We received a C-3 report from your campaign this week. We are unable to accept it without a deposit date, as that is required information. Per the letter you attached, it appears there was no deposit date because you signed the check over to a third party. Under RCW 42.17A, campaigns are prohibited from giving away active campaign funds. Candidates may donate surplus funds after the election to a charity registered with the Secretary of State. Fagan LLC does not appear to be such a charity. If you are able to recoup the contribution, one option open to you is to refund the contribution to the original contributor.

You also provided information about a vendor refund. We need a C-3 showing the receipt of the refund from Valpak. You also need to submit a C-4 showing the money received on line 2, and the vendor refund as a negative number on lines 6 and 15. Please also provide a schedule C showing the vendor refund. I have attached extra copies of the forms you will need. They are due Dec. 10.

If you repay part of your candidate loan, you can show that information on the C-4, lines 5 and 14. You also need to complete Schedule L, section 2 (loan payments). Please be aware that candidates are limited to \$6,000 in loan repayment for the general election.

Kim Bradford

6 months ago (Fri, 13 Nov 2020 at 8:50 PM)

To: "PDC Support" <pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov>

PDC:

In response to the following regarding a date of deposit and the funds were as clearly expressed signed over without depositing as it was a check on 11-2-2020.

Please be advised that the whole campaign expenditures did not in actuality exceed \$1,000.00 and as to circumstances beyond my control.

My business with you is concluded for another year.

Bob Apple, resident and voter of WA

6 months ago (Mon, 16 Nov 2020 at 8:48 AM)

To: cometapple@msn.com

Mr. Apple,

Please be aware that unless you correct and complete your reporting, your campaign will be out of compliance. We are prepared to assist you with completing your disclosures as required by Washington state law. If you do not follow up, PDC staff are prepared to open an enforcement case.

Kim Bradford

Elect Bob Apple to our State 3rd District Position #2 • Washington Legislature

In these troubled times we need better representation and Bob Apple should be your choice, twice elected previously and served on your City Council when the right decisions were made.

Love our Spokane, born and raised in our community with great family and friends. Educated from grade school to higher education in our region where I have worked for large businesses and owned and operated small successful ones.

As you have noticed, all is not right and much is horribly wrong and we, can turn that around:

- ✓ I will seek to limit taxation for real needs and cap administrative costs.
- ✓ I support our voter to enacted Initiative and Referendum process, I support Initiative #976 already passed by the voters to limit Car Tabs to \$30 annually. I support Referendum #90 on this same November ballot and ask you to also vote "NO" to remove sex education the State Legislature proposed for toddlers through Grade School. Spokane residents should have the right to vote on water fluoridation and as they have three times previously.
- ✓ I will seek for the prosecution of those who commit crimes and further demand our laws be equally enforced. We all know the difference between protest and riot and it's often clear when a defensive action is taken. It's also clear when someone or owned property is placed in peril, and we need a thorough investigation to show who is really responsible for crimes and who are acting defensively.
- ✓ I will speak out against any claim of law that is not properly created and executed in its burden to we the people.



Elect Bob Apple
Leadership Spokane Can Trust

**I hope I can engage your support for my
candidacy, tell friends, relatives and those you
work with to also vote for Bob Apple.**

 cometapple@msn.com

 [electbobapple](#) (website found by simple search on device)

 [Bob Apple](#) (Facebook, Spokane search)

 509-487-4107

*I am Bob
Apple and
I approve this
message.*

**Throughout the years I have served on many
Organization Boards, including:**

Lions Club, Hearts of America Northwest, Spokane City
Council, Spokane Neighborhood Action Programs, Aging
and Long Term Care of Eastern Washington, Spokane
Regional Health District, Spokane Parks Board, Hillyard
Festival Association, Spokane Human Services Advisory
Board, Hillyard Historic District, Lincoln Heights
Neighborhood Council, Citizens for Clean Air, Washington
Families United.

I have and do support Donald Trump for President 2020

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SPOKANE WA 99217-7294

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Mail billing inquiries to:

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P.O. Box 982234
El Paso TX 79998-2234

Mail payment to:

Bank of America
P.O. Box 851001
Dallas TX 75285-1001

October 7 - November 6, 2020

Account Summary

Previous Balance	\$6,592.95
Payments and Other Credits	-\$13,185.90
Purchases and Adjustments	\$0.00
Fees Charged	\$0.00
Interest Charged	\$0.00

New Balance Total **-\$6,592.95**
Credit balance, please do not pay

Total Credit Line	\$5,400.00
Total Credit Available	\$5,400.00
Cash Credit Line	\$1,100.00
Portion of Credit Available for Cash	\$1,100.00
Statement Closing Date	11/06/2020
Days in Billing Cycle	31

Payment Information

New Balance Total	-\$6,592.95
Current Payment Due	\$0.00
Total Minimum Payment Due	\$0.00
Payment Due Date	12/03/2020

Late Payment Warning: If we do not receive your Total Minimum Payment by the date listed above, you may have to pay a late fee of up to **\$39.00** and your APRs may be increased up to the Penalty APR of **29.99%**.
If you would like information about credit counseling services, call 866.300.5238.

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Enter payment amount \$

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Transactions

Transaction Date	Posting Date	Description	Reference Number	Account Number	Amount	Total
Payments and Other Credits						
10/03	10/28	BOA ADJ/VALPAK FRANCHISE	3609	4043	-6,592.95	
10/29	10/30	VALPAK FRANCHISE OPERA 7273931270 FL	1963	4043	-6,592.95	
TOTAL PAYMENTS AND OTHER CREDITS FOR THIS PERIOD						-\$13,185.90
Interest Charged						
11/06	11/06	INTEREST CHARGED ON PURCHASES			0.00	
11/06	11/06	INTEREST CHARGED ON BALANCE TRANSFERS			0.00	
11/06	11/06	INTEREST CHARGED ON DIR DEP&CHK CASHADV			0.00	
11/06	11/06	INTEREST CHARGED ON BANK CASH ADVANCES			0.00	
TOTAL INTEREST CHARGED FOR THIS PERIOD						\$0.00

2020 Totals Year-to-Date	
Total fees charged in 2020	\$0.00
Total interest charged in 2020	\$115.82

Interest Charge Calculation

Your **Annual Percentage Rate (APR)** is the annual interest rate on your account.

Type of Balance	Annual Percentage Rate	Promotional Transaction Type	Promotional Offer ID	Promotional Rate End Date	Balance Subject to Interest Rate	Interest Charges by Transaction Type
Purchases	23.74%V				\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Balance Transfers	23.74%V				\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Direct Deposit and Check Cash Advances	23.74%V				\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Bank Cash Advances	23.74%V				\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

APR Type Definitions Daily Interest Rate Type: V= Variable Rate (rate may vary)



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ROBERT W APPLE
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October 28, 2020

Account number ending in: [REDACTED]
Case number: 103224061

Robert W Apple:

We've temporarily credited your account for the following charges while we work with the merchant to resolve your dispute.

Here are the details:

MERCHANT NAME	DISPUTED AMOUNT
VALPAK FRANCHISE OPERA	\$6,592.95

In addition, we gave you credit for any interest charges or fees related to this claim - you'll see the adjustment(s) on your monthly statement.

Here's what you can expect

- Please allow up to 60 calendar days for us to resolve this with the merchant. We'll let you know if we need more information, so please keep copies of all the documentation related to the claim.
- If we determine the transaction(s) is valid, we'll let you know and the credit(s) we gave you may be removed.
- If the merchant(s) doesn't respond, the credit(s) we gave you will remain and we'll consider your claim resolved.



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November 7 - December 6, 2020

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for October 23, 2020 to November 19, 2020

ROBERT W APPLE

Account summary

Beginning balance on October 23, 2020	\$480.20
Deposits and other additions	0.00
ATM and debit card subtractions	-0.00
Other subtractions	-480.20
Service fees	-4.95
Ending balance on November 19, 2020	-\$4.95

