

Respondent Name
James Lovell
Complainant Name
Glen Morgan
Complaint Description
<u>Glen Morgan</u> reported via the portal (Mon, 1 May 2023 at 4:08 PM) To whom it should concern, It has come to my attention that SeaTac City Council candidate James Lovell has failed to comply with Washington State's campaign finance laws (RCW 42.17A). The details are as follows: 1) Failure to file Personal Financial disclosure information (F-1) in a timely manner (Violation of RCW 42.17A.700, .710) This candidate launched his well-funded and eccentric campaign for the SeaTac City Council position in February of 2023 (See attached). According to RCW 42.17A.700 (2) , this candidate would be required to file a Personal Financial Disclosure Report (F-1) within a few weeks of the launch of his campaign for 2023. I can find no F-1 filed for this candidate anywhere on the PDC website. It appears he is many weeks late and the public has a right to see this report. His registration was filed in February 2023 and was "certified" by john@winpowerstrategies.com . Please see his attached C1 submitted 2/10/2023. It should be noted that John Wyble has a reputation as a highly experienced campaign consultant, who knows the laws governing campaign disclosure. He's a known factor at Win Power Strategies. He should have ensured that his client obeyed the law, although I find that many of his clients appear to be PDC complaint magnets, presumably due to poor advice and a lack of concern regarding compliance with Washington State law. It should also be noted that James Lovell has previous experience as a Lobbyist and is known to the PDC for failing to file his L-2 reports for several months in the recent past. (See attached Enforcement Hearing Agenda.) Lovell should also have reason to know that he needs to file financial disclosures with the PDC, and at least pretend that he cares about the law. At best this is negligent, at worst it is disdain or indifference to the law, similar to his consultant. Please require James Lovell to file his F1 covering 2022 to fully disclose his income, as required by law. Let me know if you need any additional information. Best Regards, Glen Morgan

What impact does the alleged violation(s) have on the public?
The public has a right to know the truth about the financial special interests involved in launching candidates for public office. Even if those candidates hire shady consultants who might try to conceal the truth, the public still has a right to know the truth. Mr. Lovell just needs to at least go through the motions of pretending to follow the law.
List of attached evidence or contact information where evidence may be found
all included
List of potential witnesses with contact information to reach them
The candidate and the consultant both need to be contacted about these violations.
Certification (Complainant)
I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that information provided with this complaint is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



James Lovell

Elect James Lovell
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Registration Filed

Candidate
Full Reporting
Submitted date: 02/10/2023
Certified by john@winpowerstrategies.com
2023
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Candidacy

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Attachments

Name	Description
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**Brief Enforcement Hearing Case List
Commissioner Nancy Isserlis Presiding Officer
Wednesday, March 29, 2023 at 1:00PM**

**GROUP ENFORCEMENT
Lobbyists
L-2 REPORTS
[RCW 42.17A.615](#)**

[1:00PM] – Overview of Enforcement Process for Lobbyists

Presented by Ian Spencer, Compliance Coordinator

[1:00PM] – Resolved Cases Report for Lobbyists

PDC staff have identified cases that were resolved through receipt of a signed Statement of Understanding, the missing report(s) and penalty payment or have been resolved administratively¹. A list of resolved cases is appended to this document (see page 4).

[1:00PM] – Known MS Team or Telephone Participants – Lobbyists

Presented by Jordan Campbell, Compliance Coordinator

Lobbyists with No Prior Violations Who Filed Report(s) Before Hearing			
Case No.	Name	Report(s) Filed	Base Penalty
121680	BRANDON K HERSEY	March	\$0-\$150
121697	Juan Cotto	December	\$0-\$150
121708	Kari Reardon	February, March	\$0-\$150
121749	Summer Stinson	August, September, October, November, December	\$0-\$150

¹ Reasons the PDC may resolve cases administratively include, but are not limited to, death, terminal illness, military deployment, timely filed reports, termination of candidacy, and technical issues.

[1:00PM] – Known Written Participants – Lobbyists

Presented by Tabitha Townsend, Compliance Coordinator

Lobbyists with No Prior Violations Who Filed Report(s) Before Hearing			
Case No.	Name	Report(s) Filed	Base Penalty
121747	Shaun Scott	February, March April, May June, July, August, September, October, November, December	\$0-\$150

L-2 REPORTS (Lobbyists) **[RCW 42.17A.615](#)**

[1:00PM] – Lobbyists w/No Prior Violations Who Filed L-2 Report(s) Before Hearing

Presented by Jordan Campbell, Compliance Coordinator

Case No.	Name	Report(s) Filed	Base Penalty
121682	Christopher Ramirez	October, November, December	\$150
121722	Mark Rose	November, December	\$150
121730	Michael Cockrill	November, December	\$150

[1:00PM] – Lobbyists w/No Prior Violations Who Failed to File One or More L-2 Report(s) Before Hearing

Presented by Tabitha Townsend, Compliance Coordinator

Case No.	Name	Report(s) Filed	Report(s) Not Filed	Base Penalty
121660	James Lunsford		February	\$250
121687	Dawa'son Goes Behind		July, October, November, December	\$250
121724	MAURICIO AYON		April	\$250
121726	Hikma Sherka		March	\$250
121736	Neil Beaver		October, November, December	\$250

[1:00PM] – Lobbyists w/One Prior Violation Who Filed L-2 Report(s) Before Hearing (second occasion)

Presented by Ian Spencer, Compliance Coordinator

Case No.	Name	Report(s) Filed	Prior Case No.	Base Penalty
121675	Amanda Reeves	October	105286	\$300

[2:00PM] – PDC Case 110311 regarding Elle Nguyen

Presented by Erick Agina, Compliance Officer

PDC staff alleges that Elle Nguyen, a 2022 candidate for State Representative, violated RCW 42.17A.235 and .240 by failing to timely and accurately file Cash Receipts Monetary Contributions (C-3) and Summary, Full Report Receipts and Expenditures (C-4) reports, disclosing contributions and expenditures undertaken by her campaign, as required for candidates registered under the “Full Reporting” option.

[2:30PM] – Adjourn

Resolved Cases Report for Lobbyists (L-2 reports)

Resolved via Statement of Understanding		
Case No.	Name	Reports Filed
121677	Andres Guerrero-Guzman	October, December
121774	Washington State Farm Bureau	December
121681	CHECKERBOARD CONSULTING SERVICES LLC*	April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November
121671	Adrienne Hampton	February, June, September
121732	Nathaniel Lawver	January, February, March, November, December
121673	Alexei Calambokidis	December
121674	Alyssa Barton	May
121678	Arbutus Consulting LLC	December
121686	David Namura	November, December
121691	Emily Parzybok	August, September, October, November, December
121683	Clowers Consulting	December
121690	Emily Ho	January, February, March
121723	Matthew Sutherland	December
121750	Zach Dugovich	December
121746	S. D. Martin Consulting	November, December
121662	Jason Gauthier	January, February, March, October, November, December

Closed Administratively		
Case No.	Name	Reports Affected
121721	Katrina Johnson	November, December
121738	NWP	August, September, October, November, December
121741	Olgy Diaz	November, December
121661	Janice Deguchi	November
121664	JONI BOSH	May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December
121743	PATRICIA B CASE	April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December
121737	NICHOLAS ALLEN	May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December
121669	Aaron Yared	November, December
121670	ABBIE ZULOCK	June, July, August, September, October, November, December
121672	Alex Bergstrom	June, July, August, September, October, November, December
121693	Fernando Mejia-Ledesma	December

121728	Hyeeun Park	September, October, November, December
121679	Audrey Baker	December
121685	Darya Farivar	November, December
121676	Amber Barcel	April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December
121745	ROSS C BAKER	May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December
121725	James Lovell	May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December