



November 2, 2023

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Washington State Public Disclosure Commission
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Via Email Only

RE: Case No. 140213 Let's Go Washington

Mr. Young:

Thank you for your email of October 19, 2023, asking Let's Go Washington (the Committee) to respond to the October 17, 2023, "supplemental complaint" regarding case No. 140213 filed by Abby Lawlor of Barnard Iglitzin & Lavitt LLP on behalf of opponents (the Complainants) to the ballot measures supported by the Committee.

Most of the allegations in this new letter revolve around issues addressed in Barnard Iglitzin's earlier letters and in the Committee's responses. I will not address those here, yet again, but I will address a few of the specific allegations in this latest filing.

I. Paid signature gathering contract

Complainants suggest that any contract between Your Choice Petitions, LLC (YCP) and the Committee must have been guaranteed by Brian Heywood, Sponsor of the Committee (Sponsor), and therefore should have been disclosed as such. This is false: No such guarantor arrangement was made and there is no language to that effect in any contract of any kind. The Sponsor did not make any commitment to the Committee or to YCP, either through the Committee or directly, to pay for any portion of any such agreement. The Sponsor had every intention of, and did, in fact, solicit additional funding for the signature gathering project which would then therefore require none or just some direct financial support from the Sponsor.

II. September 13, 2023 "gas station event"

Complainants suggest that an event jointly directed by Americans for Prosperity (AFP) and Future 42 (F42) was an inkind contribution to the Committee. However, the Committee did not plan and was not made aware of this event until just days before it occurred. Both Americans for Prosperity and Future 42 have indicated that the purpose of this event was to raise awareness of "Cap and Trade" legislation recently adopted in Washington and, most importantly, to asked Washingtonians to contact their legislators and ask them to fix the legislation. The Committee's understanding is that a Grassroots

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Lobbying Report either has been or soon will be filed to this effect. There were no materials, signs, banners, or anything else created by the organizers asking or suggesting that voters support I-2117.

The Committee has been made aware, however, of some statements by at least one organizer supporting I-2117 through the event and, as mentioned, the organizers did contact the Committee about the event eventually. Because there was some small amount of support for I-2117 at the event by that organizer, the Committee has asked for an accounting of the value of any support for I-2117 and will amend the appropriate C4 when received.

III. We the Governed interviews

Glen Morgan and his organization, We the Governed, has for years published countless media stories in writing, audio, and video formats about all things political. He has endorsed or opposed candidates and ballot measures just as the Northwest Progressive Institute has done. The Committee did not pay for any of the interviews conducted by We the Governed, nor has the Committee been notified that there is an inkind contribution intended. The Committee on its own simply imbedded the interviews on its website as allowed by anyone.

I hope you find this information useful. As mentioned previously, portions of this supplemental complaint have already been answered. The Committee is now in the process of considering making one or amendments next week that might address additional questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dan Brady', with a stylized, cursive script.

Dan Brady
Counsel to Let's Go Washington

CC: Conner Edwards