

<b>Respondent Name</b>
18TH Leg Dist Demo Cent Comm
<b>Complainant Name</b>
Glenn Morgan
<b>Complaint Description</b>
<p><a href="#">Glen Morgan</a>  reported via the portal  (Mon, 26 Feb 2024 at 4:08 PM)</p> <p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>It has come to my attention that the 18<sup>th</sup> Legislative District Democrats appears to have, once again, violated Washington State's campaign finance laws (<b>RCW 42.17A</b>). The details of these violations are as follows:</p> <p><b>1) Attempt to conceal large contribution from the public, failure to report contribution (Violation of RCW 42.17A.240, .235)</b></p> <p>While I was bored, I thought I would check out some PDC reports and since I had nothing better to do, I discovered the bizarre fact that it appears the 18<sup>th</sup> Legislative District Democrats have decided for some odd reason to conceal a \$2,000 contribution made to their organization by the Washington State Democrats on 8/23/2023 (See <b>PDC Report #110172389, attached for staff reference</b>). For some reason, this secretive dark money crew decided to conceal this contribution from the public and appear to not have reported it on any of their C3 contribution reports.</p> <p>It has been a while since I looked at this group, but I obviously have been remiss in failing to review their books more recently. I would suggest that their bank records be subpoenaed by the PDC in order to better understand what else has been concealed from the public. Their bank records will obviously not match the line 18 reports on their C4 expenditure reports if they are concealing large checks like this one. Of course, they haven't filed any C4 or C3 reports for 2023, so everything is a black hole and a mystery here. I've attached their C1 for reference, as they updated it in 2022 for full reporting, even if they aren't following the law.</p> <p>Let me know if you need anything more on this crew.</p> <p>Best Regards,</p> <p>Glen Morgan</p>
<b>What impact does the alleged violation(s) have on the public?</b>
The public has a right to know what shady dark money groups like this one are doing with their secret contributions. How are they influencing elections and why aren't they following the law? How come they are keeping it all secret?

<b>List of attached evidence or contact information where evidence may be found</b>
Clearly referenced in the body of the complaint and attached as an exhibit
<b>List of potential witnesses</b>
Everyone listed on the C-1 report attached should be contacted. Obviously, their bank accounts should be subpoenaed as well since they have not reported anything.
<b>Certification (Complainant)</b>
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.



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### Registration Filed

Bonafide District Non-Exempt

Democratic Party

Full Reporting

Submitted date: 11/23/2022

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**Name**

**Description**





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**SUMMARY, FULL REPORT RECEIPTS  
AND EXPENDITURES**

**C4**

Washington State Democratic Committee - NonExempt

615 2nd Ave Suite 580  
Seattle, WA

Coverage: 07/25/2023 to 08/31/2023

Final report: No

Report number: 110172389

Reporting year: 2023

Date submitted: 09/11/2023

**RECEIPTS**

1. Previous total cash and in-kind contributions (last C4 line 8).		\$1,536,038.33
2. Cash received (Schedule A line 1).	\$132,025.00	
3. In-kind contributions received (Line 1 schedule B).	\$21,566.00	
4. Total cash and in-kind contributions received this period (Lines 2 + 3).		\$153,591.00
5. Loan principal repayments made (Line 2 schedule L).	\$0.00	
6. Corrections (Lines 1 or 3 schedule C).	\$0.00	
7. Net adjustments this period (Lines 5 + 6).		\$0.00
8. Total cash and in-kind contributions during campaign (Lines 1 + 4 + 7).		\$1,689,629.33
9. Total pledge payments due (Line 2 schedule B).	\$0.00	

**EXPENDITURES**

10. Previous total cash and in-kind expenditures (Last C-4 line 17).		\$31,911.10
11. Cash expenditures (Line 3 schedule A).	\$46,378.01	
12. In-kind expenditures (Line 1 schedule B).	\$21,566.00	
13. Total cash and in-kind expenditures made this period (Lines 11 + 12).		\$67,944.01
14. Loan principal repayment made (Line 2 schedule L).	\$0.00	
15. Corrections (Lines 2 + 3 schedule C).	\$0.00	
16. Net adjustments this period (Lines 14 + 15).		\$0.00
17. Total cash and in-kind expenditures during campaign (Lines 10 + 13 + 16).		\$99,855.11

**CASH SUMMARY**

18. Cash on hand (Lines 8 - 17)		\$1,589,774.22
Line 18 should equal your bank account balance(s) plus your petty cash balance.		
19. Liabilities: (Sum of loans and debts owed)		\$0.00
20. Balance (Lines 18 - 19)		\$1,589,774.22

**I certify this report is true and complete to the best of my knowledge**

Treasurer's name and date

David Kim - 09/11/2023

## Schedule A: Cash Receipts and Expenditure Detail

### 1. CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER CASH RECEIPTS REPORTED ON THE C3:

Deposit date	Amount	Deposit date	Amount	Deposit date	Amount
07/27/2023	\$25.00	08/09/2023	\$30.00	08/24/2023	\$35.00
07/27/2023	\$30.00	08/10/2023	\$5,000.00	08/25/2023	\$100,000.00
08/02/2023	\$20,000.00	08/15/2023	\$20.00	08/28/2023	\$20.00
08/03/2023	\$110.00	08/17/2023	\$20.00	08/28/2023	\$4,000.00
08/03/2023	\$10.00	08/17/2023	\$100.00	08/29/2023	\$25.00
08/07/2023	\$2,500.00	08/23/2023	\$100.00		

2. TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS (LINE 2 OF C4): \$132,025.00

### 3. EXPENDITURES (CASH AND CREDIT TRANSACTION DETAIL):

Date paid	Vendor or recipient (Name and address)	Purpose of expense and/or description	Cash
N/A	Expenses	Non-itemized expenditures	\$30.32
08/02/2023	Paragon 3901 Centerview Dr Ste W , Chantilly, VA 20151-3229	G Bank Fees	\$27.50
08/23/2023	10th District Democrats PO Box 1473 , Stanwood, WA 98292-1473	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	11th District Democrats 17917 162nd Pl SE , Renton, WA 98058-9166	C Contribution	\$500.00
08/23/2023	18th Legislative District Democrats 2125 Seaview St West 2125 Ave W , University Place, WA 98466	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	19th LD Democrats PO Box 823 , Montesano, WA 98563-0823	C Contribution	\$500.00
08/23/2023	23rd Legislative District Democrats 7245 Cornell Ct Northwest 7245 Ct NW , Bremerton, WA 98311	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	27th District Democrats PO Box 1532 , Tacoma, WA 98401-1532	C Contribution	\$4,000.00
08/23/2023	31st Legislative District Democrats PO Box 161 , Sumner, WA 98390-0030	C Contribution	\$564.00
08/23/2023	33rd District Democratic Organization PO Box 90608 , Bellevue, WA 98009	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	39th LD Democratic Party Organization 4405 95th Northeast 4405 - St NE , Marysville, WA 98270	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	40th LD Democrats 422 N Barker St , Mount Vernon, WA 98273-3118	C Contribution	\$450.00
08/23/2023	49th Legislative District Democrats 7010 NE 56th St , Vancouver, WA 98661-3639	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	Clallam County Democratic Central Committee PO Box 2454 , Port Angeles, WA 98362-0314	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
			<b>\$46,378.01</b>

Date paid	Vendor or recipient (Name and address)	Purpose of expense and/or description	Cash
08/23/2023	Cowlitz County Democratic Central Committee 536 Oregon Way , Longview, WA 98632-1536	C Contribution	\$1,955.00
08/23/2023	Grays Harbor Democratic Committee PO Box 1423 , Aberdeen, WA 98520-0299	C Contribution	\$500.00
08/23/2023	Jefferson County Democrats PO Box 85 , Port Townsend, WA 98368-0085	C Contribution	\$1,300.00
08/23/2023	Kittitas County Democratic Central Committee 1106 E 3rd Ave , Ellensburg, WA 98926-3525	C Contribution	\$1,991.19
08/23/2023	Klickitat County Democratic Central Committee PO Box 154 , Lyle, WA 98635-0004	C Contribution	\$500.00
08/23/2023	Mason County Democratic Central Committee PO Box 1272 , Shelton, WA 98584-0952	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	NCW Democrats 1 S Chelan Ave Bsmt STE , Wenatchee, WA 98801-2202	C Contribution	\$1,060.00
08/23/2023	Skagit County Democratic Party 1919 Tweed Pl , Anacortes, WA 98221-3132	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	Snohomish County Democrats 2720 Rucker Ave Ste 101 , Everett, WA 98201-3464	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	Spokane County Democratic Central Committee 321 S Cedar St , Spokane, WA 99201-7029	C Contribution	\$5,000.00
08/23/2023	Walla Walla Democratic Central Committee PO Box 1323 , Walla Walla, WA 99362-0024	C Contribution	\$2,000.00
08/23/2023	Whatcom County Democrats PO Box 3095 , Bellingham, WA 98227-3095	C Contribution	\$4,000.00
08/23/2023	Yakima Democratic Club 1607 S 1st Ave , Yakima, WA 98902-6005	C Contribution	\$2,000.00

**\$46,378.01**

4. TOTAL EXPENDITURES:

**\$46,378.01**

Schedule B: In-kind Contributions, Pledges, Orders, Debts and Obligations

1. IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED:

Date Received	Contributor	Employer/Occupation	Description	Amount
08/16/2023	Empowering Resources LLC 24 A Trolley Sq # 1223 , Wilmington, DE 19806-3334		Training Fees	Fair market value: \$3,216.00 Aggregate total (N): \$3,216.00
07/31/2023	Eric Schmidt 1600 Amphitheatre Pkwy , Mountain View, CA 94043- 1351	CEO, Hillspire LLC Mountain View, CA	Stac Labs, Inc - Data Software	Fair market value: \$18,350.00 Aggregate total (N): \$18,350.00

2. PLEDGES RECEIVED BUT NOT YET PAID:

No pledges reported this period

3. ORDERS PLACED, DEBTS AND OBLIGATIONS:

No debt reported this period

**Report notes/attachments**

In Kind Contributions