

Re: PDC - One Lewis County - Alleged Violation of RCW 42.17A.205, .235 for failure to register as a political committee within two weeks after organization and for failure to report contributions or expenditures. (SEP 2017)

[Alicia Bull](#) reported (Mon, 25 Sep at 2:32 PM) via Email
To: pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov, kelly@developingclarity.com [1 more](#)
To Whom it may Concern,

Thank you very much for the notification regarding our One Lewis County PAC. We appreciate your patience with us as we learn the rules of reporting. In response to your email notification we are very regretful that we missed the appropriate deadline for some reporting and will not let that happen again. To ensure we are following the rules correctly we have hired CAM Consulting to do the appropriate PDC filings for us moving forward.

CAM consulting is in the process of helping us get all of the proper reports filed and up to date to address the two violations you have listed in the e-mail. Again, thank you for your patience.

Kind regards,
Alicia Bull

[Alicia Bull](#) replied (Wed, 27 Sep at 2:42 PM)
to : pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov , cc : kelly@developingclarity.com, gsmorse@gmail.com
To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing in response to the addendum from Mr. VerValen regarding the One Lewis County PAC. The website was not billed until September 2nd via GoDaddy. I have attached a photo of the Chamber board minutes from the July 2017 meeting and have circled our motion, second and approval. It is clearly stated there that no public funds, nor dues are being used for the PAC funds that we transferred.

I have spoken to consultants on my end, my fear is that perhaps Mr. VerValen is unaware of the Chambers status as a 501c6 and our rights as an organization. In addition Mr. Vervalen has been calling valued members and threatening them regarding this very topic and has caused some business relation issues and has damaged us. Our organization understands that he is free to file PDC complaints and we will do our best to stay educated, follow the law , and be transparent.

Please let me know if you need further information.

Kind regards,
Alicia Bull

Centralia-Chehalis Chamber of Commerce

Board Committee Meeting Minutes – (July Meeting) 07/26/2017, Start time 12:10pm

Attendees: Todd Chaput, Julie Pendleton, Kyle Heaton, Amanda Singleton, Cori Taylor, Mitch Moberg, Walter Cuestas, Matt Moses, Chris Thomas, Alicia Bull & Dolly Tardiff

Minutes

June 2017 minutes were reviewed. Amanda made a motion to approve minutes. Matt seconded. All approved.

Financials

June 2017:

Review income: Financials are good. The Audit should be done by mid August. We will need final results for LTAC. Matt made a motion to approve financials. Amanda seconded. All approved.

Old Business

- **GAC Committee/PAC-** Coralee is heading the PAC committee and will be working with the group to organize. The paperwork should be done by next week. We will need to get donations for expenditures. Chamber would like to designate \$15,000 to a PAC Fund called One Lewis County. Todd made the motion and added for clarity that no public funds will be used per the law nor any membership dues. Amanda seconded. All approved.
- **STP-Wrap up-** The event went smooth and it gives back financially to the community in hotel stays, shopping & restaurants etc. The rider count was lower than usual which means less income for the Chamber. The First Aid tent was busy and food vendor placement needs to be out in the forefront not put in the back area. Private Housing had a few disappointed riders due to housing conditions & meals provided. The hosts will not be allowed back next year.
- **Hub City Car Show-** Registration is up compared to last year. It's been positive so far with the Quarter Milers Club. We will have a band & beer garden at the corner lot downtown Centralia. Let's hope for nice weather.
- **Best of Lewis County/Reveal-** This was a well attended event Co-hosted by The Chronicle & The Chamber. The food was great, they gave tours of the building and a lot of pictures were taken. The reveal of the "Best of Lewis County" winners was exciting.
- **Spry Marketing-Bite Size Social Media Strategies Class-** This Class was sold out and had an overflow of 5 additional attendees. We have had a lot of interest in these types of classes, so we will continue to provide them. Lunch was sponsored by Twin Star Credit Union. The classes are free to members and \$10.00 for non-members.