Respondent Name

John Higgins

Complainant Name

Erin Bishop

Complaint Description

<u>Erin Bishop</u> reported via the portal

(Tue, 30 Sep 2025 at 11:04 AM)

Mr. John Higgins, candidate for mayor of Medical Lake, WA, is in violation of incomplete and misleading campaign advertising, as described below:

WAC 390-18-040(1), RCW 42.17A.335: Candidate uses term and false statement "re-elect" on campaign signs. He is a former mayor of Medical Lake, but his opponent is the current mayor. Mr. Higgins does not, "in the same advertisement clearly state that the candidate is not the incumbent."

RCW 42.17A.320: Candidate fails to identify sponsor on political advertising.

What impact does the alleged violation(s) have on the public?

The public is being given incomplete and misleading campaign advertising information.

List of attached evidence or contact information where evidence may be found

Photographic evidence of incomplete and misleading campaign advertising as described in complaint.

List of potential witnesses with contact information to reach them

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.







