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October 2, 2019

Delivered electronically to “nancymanostukwila@gmail.com”

Subject: Complaint filed by Glen Morgan, PDC Case 57721

Dear Nancy Manos:

Below is a copy of an electronic letter sent to Glen Morgan concerning a complaint filed with the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC).

As noted in the letter to Glen Morgan, the PDC has dismissed this matter in accordance with RCW 42.17A.755(1) and will not conduct a more formal investigation into these allegations or take further enforcement action in this matter.

If you have questions, you may contact Fox Blackhorn at 1-360-753-1980 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

/s

Fox Blackhorn
Compliance Coordinator 2

Endorsed by,

/s

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Delivered electronically to “glen@wethegoverned.com”

Subject: Complaint regarding Nancy Manos, PDC Case 57721

Dear Glen Morgan:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) has completed its review of the complaint you filed on September 19, 2019. The complaint alleged that Nancy Manos (Respondent), a 2019 candidate for Tukwila City Council, may have violated RCW 42.17A.235 and .240 for failure to report the value of the candidate’s filing fee as an expenditure or in-kind contribution to the Campaign on Summary Full Campaign Contribution and Expenditure reports (C-4 reports).

PDC staff reviewed the allegations; the applicable statutes, rules, and reporting requirements; the response provided by the Respondent; the applicable PDC reports filed by Respondent; and queried the Respondent’s data in the PDC contribution and expenditure database, to determine whether the record supports a finding of one or more violations.

Based on staff’s review, we found the following:

- On May 16, 2019, the Respondent made an in-kind contribution of \$150 to the Campaign for the candidate’s filing fee to run for Tukwila City Council, which was due to be reported in accordance with RCW 42.17A.235 once the Campaign had raised or spent more than \$200, or no later than the C-4 report due on July 10, 2019.
- On July 13, 2019, the Respondent filed C-4 report 100916220, disclosing \$400 in contributions and \$4.30 in expenditures, 3 days beyond the statutory deadline of RCW 42.17A.235, and failed to include the value of the \$150 in-kind contribution for the candidate’s filing fee.
- On September 24, 2019, one day after notification of noncompliance by PDC staff, the Respondent filed C-4 report 100933006, disclosing the \$150 in-kind contribution for the candidate’s filing fee, and a series of amendments to correct the running contribution total over the life of the Campaign.

Based on our findings staff has determined that, in this instance, failure to timely report contributions and expenditures does not amount to a violation that warrants further investigation.

While the alleged non-compliance appears to constitute violations of PDC laws and rules made by Nancy Manos, the violations are remedial in nature, and do not warrant further investigation or enforcement action. The expenditures totaled no more than \$1000, occurred more than 30 days before the election, were inadvertent and minor in nature, did not materially affect the public interest.

Based on this information, the PDC finds that no further action is warranted and has dismissed this matter in accordance with RCW 42.17A.755(1).

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cc: Nancy Manos