

Dear Ms. Townsend,

This letter responds to the complaint from Mr. Glen Morgan dated July 15th, 2020.

The complaint alleges that the Tana Senn Surplus Funds knowingly disregarded RCW 42.17A.430(8) pertaining to the permissible use of Surplus Funds by donating to a PAC. While it is true that the Surplus Funds account gave \$1,000 to the Eastside Democrats, the Candidate & Treasurer mistakenly believed it was a political party and not a PAC (and therefore a permissible use of the funds). It was not until reading the complaint that we realized our mistake, and a request was immediately made for the refund of the donation.

The complaint was sent to us on July 21st, the refunded donation was deposited back into the Surplus account on July 23rd, and a C3 showing the refund was filed with the PDC on July 24th (confirmation #100985720).

We always strive to comply fully with all WA State Laws regarding the use of Campaign & Surplus Funds, and we hope our immediate actions taken to correct our mistake are taken into account as a demonstration that no wrong-doing was intended.

Sincerely,

Melissa Pfeifer, Treasurer
Tana Senn Surplus Funds

CC Tana Senn