

Respondent Name
Kelly Chambers
Complainant Name
Joseph Colombo
Complaint Description
Joseph Colombo (Mon, 20 Jul 2020 at 6:26 PM) Please see above.
What impact does the alleged violation(s) have on the public?
<p>Kelly Chambers, running for the State Legislature in the 25th Legislative District, recently sent out a campaign mailer without any mention of who paid for these letters. As a sitting Representative, Chambers should know this is illegal, but it is also deceptive to voters who may think this is coming as an official communication from her legislative office rather than a political piece from her campaign. The law is clear that sponsors need to identify themselves — that’s the only way us voters can see who is actually behind political communications and keep our elections transparent.</p> <p>The law also states that this requirement can be waived “where identification is impractical,” but that is clearly not the case here. This is a page-long letter in a sealed envelope — she could have included a small ‘paid for by...’ anywhere, but she didn’t. This letter has already been sent out to hundreds if not thousands of voters and Kelly can’t take them back or fix the mistake. I hope there can be some kind of reminder or enforcement so that this veteran politician doesn’t make this same violation again and voters can know who it is that’s paying for political advertising.</p>
List of attached evidence or contact information where evidence may be found
Four jpegs of photos of Kelly Chambers’ letters (back and front, letter and envelope) are attached. Also attached is a screenshot of a Facebook post/photo where Kelly Chambers can be seen with these letters.
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.

Dear Neighbor,

My name is Kelly Chambers. Two years ago our community chose me to represent us in Olympia. I hope to earn your vote again.

As a former school teacher, and the first in my family to graduate from college, I know just how important our local schools are to our children's future. Education is my top priority in Olympia.

Today, I'm a small business owner, serving seniors, those most vulnerable to the Corona Virus. As we work to reopen our State, we must protect those most at risk.

18 years ago I moved with my daughter to Puyallup because I wanted her to grow up in a safer place and neighborhood than I did.

As your Representative I look for ways to bring people together, working with both Democrats and Republicans. We're seeing so much division and extremism it's never been more important to stand up for the values of our community.

Thank you for the opportunity to represent you in Olympia. Give me a call if you have any questions, or want to talk about the issues 253-267-8553.

Warmly,

Kelly

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