

[Brent Ludeman](#) (Fri, 23 Oct 2020 at 11:30 AM)

This complaint is filled with inaccuracies and should be dismissed expeditiously with prejudice.

First, the mailer referenced here is in support of Jason Whalen. The complaint alleges the ad is against Hitchen. We filed this ad as an independent expenditure in support of Whalen because it only mentions his candidacy. The ad does not mention Jani Hitchen.

Second, we filed a C6 for this independent expenditure on October 15, 2020 within 24 hours of its presentation to the public, per PDC requirements. Per the previous point, if Ms. Thiessen had her facts straight, she would have seen that a C6 was filed the day before she filed her complaint on October 16, 2020.

Third, the complaint alleges our committee has failed to disclose this expenditure. We will disclose all expenditures made between October 13-26, including this ad, on our C4 report as is required on October 27, 2020.

Again, we respectfully ask the Commission to reject this complaint.