

Respondent Name
Michael Ferguson
Complainant Name
Conner Edwards
Complaint Description
<p>Conner Edwards reported via the portal (Tue, 20 Feb 2024 at 3:38 PM)</p> <p>Description of Complaint</p> <p>This candidate failed to timely file the required 21-day pre-primary C4 report, the required 7-day pre-primary C4 report, and the required post-primary C4 report.</p> <p>By any objective measure, it is unacceptable that the PDC would take no action to help bring this filer into compliance now that the statute of limitations is rapidly approaching. The PDC has an obligation to provide transparency to the voters by enforcing filing requirements. The agency's failure to actively monitor the filings of candidates and enforce filing requirements damages both the public and the candidates themselves.</p> <p>I have tried many different times to get the PDC to take action on this type of issue with no tangible results whatsoever. At one point, I believe the agency discussed the possibility of internally flagging non-filers in the PDC's system and proactively reaching out to them to bring them into compliance, but it appears this is not happening.</p> <p>Having exhausted all of my other options to pursue reform, the only remaining option available to me to compel the agency to take action here is to file PDC complaints against these noncompliant filers in an effort to force the agency to take action.</p> <p>By highlighting the agency's failure to meaningfully enforce current reporting deadlines, my hope is that the agency will look to improve its own enforcement procedures and help candidates and treasurers comply with the law.</p> <p>Notice to Respondents:</p> <p>I apologize to you for any inconvenience caused by this complaint; it is not my intention.</p> <p>No campaign treasurer or campaign/committee is perfect. Trying to comply with the myriad of requirements and deadlines the PDC enforces can be extremely difficult, even for those who have been doing this for years. The agency could adopt any number of strategies to help filers "get it right" when it comes to deadlines and other requirements. Some of these strategies might include: a) automated electronic filing reminders to a filer when they have missed a deadline, b) mandatory attendance in a PDC training course before a person is allowed to serve as treasurer, c) giving filers 48 hours to file 21- & 7-day pre-election reports as opposed to the 24 hours candidates currently get, and d) improvements to the ORCA online campaign finance filing system to improve useability.</p> <p>In my opinion, the agency has failed to provide many filers with the knowledge and tools that they need to file reports on time and be compliant.</p> <p>If you are confused by the filing requirements that the agency enforces or are experiencing technical difficulties and/or usability issues with the ORCA system, please be sure to indicate this in your response to the PDC: your comments will provide valuable feedback for the agency.</p>
What impact does the alleged violation(s) have on the public?
<p>Because this candidate has not timely filed one or more required reports, members of the public are unable to view up to date financial information, significantly reducing transparency available to voters.</p> <p>The PDC has an obligation to provide transparency to the voters by enforcing filing requirements. The agency's failure to actively monitor the filings of candidates and enforce filing requirements damages both the public and the candidates themselves.</p> <p>It is imperative that PDC staff reach out to this candidate immediately to bring them into compliance.</p>
List of attached evidence or contact information where evidence may be found
PDC Website.
List of potential witnesses with contact information to reach them

See respondent contact info on PDC website.

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.



Michael Ferguson

Michael Ferguson for Kent City Council 2023

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Registration Filed

Candidate

Full Reporting

Submitted date: 06/18/2023

Certified by mfergus56@gmail.com

2023

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Candidacy

Michael Ferguson

City Of Kent

City Council Member

Position City Council Member Position 3

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Bank Information

JP Morgan Chase Bank

270 Park Avenue

New York, NY 10017

To schedule books review contact mfergus56@gmail.com

Officers

Candidate is treasurer.

Attachments

Name	Description
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Michael Ferguson - 2023

Candidate Information

Office:

CITY COUNCIL MEMBER

Jurisdiction:

CITY OF KENT

Registration:

June 18, 2023

Address:

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Financial Information

No data available.

Status
Primary Election Status: Lost in primary
Campaign Status: Candidate declared

Reports

[Candidate's Personal Financial Affairs disclosure](#)

[Candidate's surplus funds account](#)

Spending for and against this candidate

Independent Expenditures

Independent expenditures are made by third parties that are not part of a candidate's campaign.

No Independent Expenditures reported.

Campaign Finance Reports

See the reports filed by the candidate. Reports with a strikethrough were amended by another report.

Show entries

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Period	Report Number	Filed	Report	Form Type	Election Year
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No records found

There are no reports available for this campaign

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August 1, 2023 Primary

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Number of Precincts	2,750
Number of Registered Voters	1,381,975
Total Ballots Counted	417,972
Estimated Ballots Left to Count	
Next Ballot Count On	FINAL
Last Tabulated	08/15/2023 2:39 PM
Voter Turnout	30.24%
Certification Date	08/15/2023
Export Results	CSV · XML Precincts CSV

County

METROPOLITAN KING COUNTY Proposition No. 1

Measure	Vote	Vote %
Approved	292,006	71.6%
Rejected	115,814	28.4%
Total Votes	407,820	

**County Council District No. 4 Metropolitan King County
Council District No. 4**

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Becka Johnson Poppe	11,340	19.59%
Jorge L. Barón	29,324	50.66%
Sarah Reyneveld	16,606	28.69%
WRITE-IN	617	1.07%
Total Votes	57,887	

**COUNTY COUNCIL DISTRICT NO. 8 Metropolitan King County
Council District No. 8**

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Teresa Mosqueda	28,966	57.57%
Sofia Aragon	18,900	37.56%
GoodSpaceGuy	2,216	4.4%
WRITE-IN	234	0.47%
Total Votes	50,316	

Port

Port of Seattle Commissioner Position No. 5

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Jesse Tam	97,548	25.63%
Fred Felleman	215,148	56.52%
Todd Curtis	65,935	17.32%
WRITE-IN	2,006	0.53%
Total Votes	380,637	

City/Town

City of Auburn Council Position No. 5

*Multi-county race. Results include only King County.

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Robyn Mulenga	3,077	38.75%
Clinton Taylor	3,840	48.36%
Adeeb Altallal	975	12.28%
WRITE-IN	49	0.62%
Total Votes	7,941	
Multi-county Results »		

City of Auburn Council Position No. 7

*Multi-county race. Results include only King County.

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Brian Lott	3,399	42.84%
Hanan Amer	4,185	52.74%
Ofa Langi	299	3.77%
WRITE-IN	52	0.66%
Total Votes	7,935	
Multi-county Results »		

CITY OF BOTHELL Council Position No. 4

*Multi-county race. Results include only King County.

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Carston Curd	2,654	50.49%
Mark Swanson	1,303	24.79%
Ann Aagaard	1,280	24.35%
WRITE-IN	19	0.36%
Total Votes	5,256	
Multi-county Results »		

City of Burien Council Position No. 2

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Brittany Williams	1,146	13.06%
Linda Akey	2,797	31.88%
Cydney Moore	2,482	28.29%
Rut Perez-Studer	2,283	26.02%
WRITE-IN	66	0.75%
Total Votes	8,774	

City of Burien Council Position No. 4

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Kevin J. Schilling	4,859	55.74%
Patricia Hudson	2,778	31.87%
Daniel Reed Martin	1,002	11.49%
WRITE-IN	78	0.89%
Total Votes	8,717	

City of Clyde Hill Council Position No. 2

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Ashley Eckel	372	46.91%
Spencer Hamlin	135	17.02%
Steve Sinwell	283	35.69%
WRITE-IN	3	0.38%
Total Votes	793	

City of Issaquah Council Position No. 6

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Marc "Marquez" Lazzara	261	4%
Victoria Hunt	4,456	68.33%
Katia Zakharoff	694	10.64%
Sam Sheehan	1,086	16.65%
WRITE-IN	24	0.37%
Total Votes	6,521	

CITY OF KENMORE Council Position No. 5

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
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David Baker	1,951	38.49%
Mark Prince	1,089	21.48%
Jon Culver	2,022	39.89%
WRITE-IN	7	0.14%
Total Votes	5,069	

CITY OF KENMORE Council Position No. 7

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Nathan MacDonald	1,482	28.93%
Nathan Loutsis	1,607	31.37%
Corina Pfeil	2,024	39.51%
WRITE-IN	10	0.2%
Total Votes	5,123	

City of Kent Council Position No. 3

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Kelly Wiggans-Crawford	2,884	22.06%
Jamie Lee	2,760	21.11%

John Boyd	4,916	37.6%
Michael Ferguson	1,184	9.06%
Cody T. Clark	1,274	9.74%
WRITE-IN	57	0.44%
Total Votes	13,075	

City of Kirkland Council Position No. 2

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Kelli Curtis	9,303	60.79%
Zoltan Szilagyi	1,576	10.3%
Catie Malik	4,364	28.52%
WRITE-IN	61	0.4%
Total Votes	15,304	

City of Lake Forest Park Council Position No. 6

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Paula Goode	1,974	52.02%
Dustin Shaffer	842	22.19%

Stephanie Angelis	963	25.38%
WRITE-IN	16	0.42%
Total Votes	3,795	

City of Newcastle Council Position No. 1

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Len Trautman	755	29.64%
Kevin Turner	703	27.6%
Sun Burford	1,081	42.44%
WRITE-IN	8	0.31%
Total Votes	2,547	

CITY OF PACIFIC Mayor

*Multi-county race. Results include only King County.

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Vic Kave	381	51.49%
Kerry G. Garberding	243	32.84%
Nancy Franklin	111	15%
WRITE-IN	5	0.68%

Total Votes	740	
Multi-county Results »		

City of Redmond Council Position No. 1

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Osman Salahuddin	6,548	68.36%
Nate Niederhausern	1,647	17.19%
Paul Stepanov	1,355	14.15%
WRITE-IN	29	0.3%
Total Votes	9,579	

City of Redmond Council Position No. 7

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
David M. Carson	3,745	39.4%
Amit Gupta	1,939	20.4%
Angie Nuevacamina	3,795	39.93%
WRITE-IN	25	0.26%
Total Votes	9,504	

CITY OF RENTON Council Position No. 7

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Nancy Sivitilli	1,248	9.77%
Steven Vargas	969	7.59%
Kim-Khanh Van	5,414	42.39%
Michael Westgaard	1,217	9.53%
Sean Atchison	164	1.28%
Camila Lagow	574	4.49%
Randy Corman	3,121	24.44%
WRITE-IN	64	0.5%
Total Votes	12,771	

City of SeaTac Council Position No. 3

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Marianne "Ginger" West	196	5.86%
Elizabeth Greninger	966	28.87%
Peter Kwon	2,168	64.79%

WRITE-IN	16	0.48%
Total Votes	3,346	

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 1 Council District No. 1

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Lucy Barefoot	767	2.89%
Stephen Brown	1,659	6.26%
Jean Iannelli Craciun	838	3.16%
Rob Saka	6,397	24.12%
Preston Anderson	2,222	8.38%
Maren Costa	8,787	33.13%
Mia Jacobson	472	1.78%
Phil Tavel	5,324	20.07%
WRITE-IN	55	0.21%
Total Votes	26,521	

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 2 Council District No. 2

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
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Tammy J. Morales	10,326	52.28%
Tanya Woo	8,406	42.56%
Margaret Elisabeth	937	4.74%
WRITE-IN	81	0.41%
Total Votes	19,750	

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 3 Council District No. 3

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Alex Cooley	1,118	4.25%
Bobby Goodwin	2,755	10.48%
Ry Armstrong	488	1.86%
Shobhit Agarwal	406	1.54%
Joy Hollingsworth	9,690	36.87%
Andrew Ashiofu	1,059	4.03%
Alex Hudson	9,601	36.53%
Efrain Hudnell	1,081	4.11%
WRITE-IN	82	0.31%

Total Votes	26,280	
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SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 4 Council District No. 4

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Ron Davis	10,105	44.81%
Ken Wilson	4,772	21.16%
Maritza Rivera	7,174	31.82%
George Artem	460	2.04%
WRITE-IN	38	0.17%
Total Votes	22,549	

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 5 Council District No. 5

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Shane Macomber	356	1.49%
ChrisTiana ObeySumner	5,823	24.41%
Justin Simmons	2,619	10.98%
Rebecca Williamson	317	1.33%
Nilu Jenks	4,494	18.84%

Boegart Bibby	1,021	4.28%
Cathy Moore	7,327	30.72%
Lucca Murdoch Howard	266	1.12%
Bobby J. Tucker	442	1.85%
Tye Reed	1,103	4.62%
WRITE-IN	84	0.35%
Total Votes	23,852	

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 6 Council District No. 6

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Dan Strauss	15,869	51.76%
Shea Wilson	1,900	6.2%
Pete Hanning	8,996	29.34%
Victoria Palmer	1,355	4.42%
Dale Kutzero	1,383	4.51%
Jon Lisbin	1,016	3.31%
WRITE-IN	140	0.46%

Total Votes	30,659	
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SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 7 Council District No. 7

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Andrew J. Lewis	8,114	43.45%
Aaron Marshall	1,372	7.35%
Olga Sagan	2,429	13.01%
Wade Sowders	323	1.73%
Bob Kettle	5,888	31.53%
Isabelle Kerner	502	2.69%
WRITE-IN	46	0.25%
Total Votes	18,674	

City of Snoqualmie Council Position No. 5

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Mandeep Kaur Walia	676	30.41%
Tanya Lavoy	618	27.8%
Catherine (Cat) Cotton	924	41.57%

WRITE-IN	5	0.22%
Total Votes	2,223	

City of Tukwila Proposition No. 1

Measure	Vote	Vote %
Yes	1,484	56.17%
No	1,158	43.83%
Total Votes	2,642	

School

Bellevue School District No. 405 Director District No. 2

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Carolyn Watson	14,204	70.44%
James vanRosmalen	2,323	11.52%
Ryan Sugden	3,492	17.32%
WRITE-IN	145	0.72%
Total Votes	20,164	

Enumclaw School District No. 216 Director District No. 4

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Lori Metschan	1,493	26.5%
Ben Stouffer	2,589	45.95%
Tonya Pettit	1,505	26.71%
WRITE-IN	47	0.83%
Total Votes	5,634	

Federal Way School District No. 210 Director District No. 2

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Jennifer Jones	11,365	66.67%
Daniel Kukhar	3,361	19.72%
Robert Ribaud	2,212	12.98%
WRITE-IN	108	0.63%
Total Votes	17,046	

Highline School District No. 401 Director District No. 1

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Michael T. Lewis	6,235	31.42%

Stephanie Tidholm	7,428	37.44%
Loren Dugan	5,082	25.61%
Mitchell Khayim	1,009	5.09%
WRITE-IN	87	0.44%
Total Votes	19,841	

Highline School District No. 401 Director District No. 4

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Carlos M. Ruiz	6,130	31.31%
Joey Martinez	4,477	22.87%
Melissa Petrini	8,869	45.3%
WRITE-IN	101	0.52%
Total Votes	19,577	

Kent School District No. 415 Director District No. 3

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Leslie Kae Hamada	10,126	48.13%
Lizz Morgan	1,681	7.99%

Stephanie Lawson	4,045	19.23%
Donald Cook	5,029	23.9%
WRITE-IN	159	0.76%
Total Votes	21,040	

Mercer Island School District No. 400 Director Position No. 5

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Jody Lee	2,944	47.7%
Todd White	1,910	30.95%
David Figatner	1,307	21.18%
WRITE-IN	11	0.18%
Total Votes	6,172	

NORTHSHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 417 Director District No. 3

*Multi-county race. Results include only King County.

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Chris Cazares	2,716	15.82%
Han Tran	9,052	52.73%

Myriam Juritz	5,343	31.13%
WRITE-IN	55	0.32%
Total Votes	17,166	
Multi-county Results »		

Riverview School District No. 407 Director District No. 3

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Genessa Rose	1,557	30.44%
Carol Van Noy	2,426	47.43%
Dan Shieder	1,116	21.82%
WRITE-IN	16	0.31%
Total Votes	5,115	

SEATTLE SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT NO. 1 Director District No. 1

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Liza Rankin	14,022	61.44%
Michael Christophersen	2,783	12.19%
Blaine Parce	847	3.71%

Debbie Carlsen	5,103	22.36%
WRITE-IN	66	0.29%
Total Votes	22,821	

SEATTLE SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT NO. 3 Director District No. 3

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Christie Robertson	5,961	28.06%
Evan Briggs	8,539	40.19%
Ben Gitenstein	6,653	31.31%
WRITE-IN	93	0.44%
Total Votes	21,246	

SEATTLE SCHOOL DIRECTOR DISTRICT NO. 6 Director District No. 6

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Rosie McCarter	1,386	5.57%
Gina Topp	19,845	79.7%
Maryanne Wood	3,546	14.24%

WRITE-IN	123	0.49%
Total Votes	24,900	

Shoreline School District No. 412 Director District No. 4

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Sylvia Gil	8,153	55.13%
Zack Stallings	2,994	20.25%
Hazim Ghanim	3,558	24.06%
WRITE-IN	83	0.56%
Total Votes	14,788	

Vashon Island School District No. 402 Director Position No. 3

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Gator Lanphear	464	11.12%
Martha Woodard	2,252	53.99%
Angela Marshall	1,196	28.67%
River Branch	239	5.73%
WRITE-IN	20	0.48%

Total Votes	4,171	
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Fire

King County Fire Protection District No. 40 Proposition No. 1

Measure	Vote	Vote %
Approved	2,467	64.58%
Rejected	1,353	35.42%
Total Votes	3,820	

King County Fire Protection District No. 43 Proposition No. 1

Measure	Vote	Vote %
Approved	4,597	53.95%
Rejected	3,924	46.05%
Total Votes	8,521	

RENTON REGIONAL FIRE AUTHORITY Proposition No. 1

Measure	Vote	Vote %
Approved	8,926	61.49%
Rejected	5,590	38.51%

Total Votes	14,516	
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SOUTH KING FIRE & RESCUE Proposition No. 1

Measure	Vote	Vote %
Yes	11,378	56.26%
No	8,846	43.74%
Total Votes	20,224	

Vashon Island Fire and Rescue Proposition No. 1

Measure	Vote	Vote %
Approved	2,764	61.23%
Rejected	1,750	38.77%
Total Votes	4,514	

Water

Fall City Water District Commissioner Position No. 1

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Michael Bladow	104	18.21%
Spencer J. Slominski	118	20.67%

Dwight Miller	336	58.84%
WRITE-IN	13	2.28%
Total Votes	571	

NORTHSHORE UTILITY DISTRICT Commissioner Position No. 4

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Bruce Gardiner	7,668	51.89%
Steve Hamilton	4,782	32.36%
David Arthur	2,290	15.5%
WRITE-IN	37	0.25%
Total Votes	14,777	

Park and Recreation

Si View Metropolitan Park District Commissioner Position No. 1

Candidate	Vote	Vote %
Mark S. Leen	1,134	30.96%
Linsey Tracy	768	20.97%
Tim Noonan	1,738	47.45%

WRITE-IN	23	0.63%
Total Votes	3,663	