

Respondent Names
Friends of Selah
Complainant Name
Conner Edwards
Complaint Description
<p>Conner Edwards</p> <p>Sat, 29 Jun 2024 at 2:59 PM</p> <p>Description of Complaint</p> <p>See attached.</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 committees and enforce filing requirements damages both the public and the committees 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 committees 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</p>

as opposed to the 24 hours candidates currently get, and d) improvements to the ORCA online campaign finance filing system to improve useability.

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.

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.

What impact does the alleged violation(s) have on the public?

Because this committee 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.

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 committees and enforce filing requirements damages both the public and the candidates themselves.

It is imperative that PDC staff reach out to this committee immediately to bring them into compliance.

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.



Friends of Selah (FOS)

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509-580-0231

Registration Filed

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Full Reporting
Submitted date: 03/02/2023
Certified by stacywhite646@gmail.com
2026S2
FRIEN--942

Bank Information

Banner Bank
598 N. Park Drive
Selah, WA 98942
To schedule books review contact chrisscacco@selahschools.org

Officers

Stacy White

Ministerial Treasurer
160 Kinne Lane
Selah, wa 98942
stacy@selahschools.org
509-580-0231

Stefanie Henry

Treasurer
1201 W Home Ave
Selah, WA 98942
stefaniejesperson@yahoo.com
509-432-5352

Ballot Propositions

Supporting

Selah Sd 119 *
Levy, Bond or Advisory Vote
2026S2

Attachments

Name	Description
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Friends of Selah (FOS) - 2026

Committee Information

Registration

March 02, 2023

Treasurer

Stefanie Henry
1201 W Home Ave
selah, WA, 98942
509-432-5352

Political Committee Type

Education

Jurisdiction

SELAH SD 119 *

Committee Address

311 Hillcrest
Selah, WA 98942

Phone

509-580-0231

Email

adpeters@charter.net

Financial Information

Campaign Starting Balance

\$0.00

Contributions Amount

\$1,400.00

Loans Amount

\$0.00

Total Receipts

\$1,400.00

Expenditures

\$0.00

Pledges

\$0.00

Debts

\$0.00

Made to committee for 2026

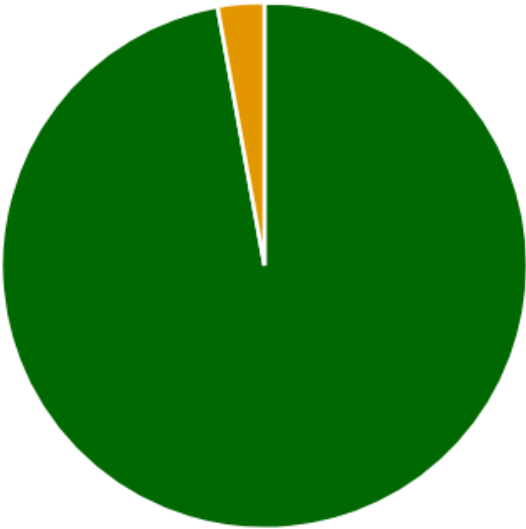
Contributions

See who has contributed cash and in-kind (non-monetary) contributions to the committee.

Contributions made to committee for 2026

Other
\$1,360.00

Individual
\$40.00



Made by committee for 2026

Expenditures

See how the committee has spent money, and what kind of goods and services it received as in-kind contributions.

No expenditures reported.

Made to committee

Loans

See loans received, forgiven or paid by the campaign.

\$0.00

Held by committee

Debts

See the campaign's debt reporting history.

\$0.00

Campaign Finance Reports

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

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Period	Report Number	Filed	Report	Form Type	Election Year
05/01/2023 - 05/01/2023	110224827	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
05/31/2023 - 05/31/2023	110149464	06/05/2023	View Report	C3	2026
06/01/2023 - 06/01/2023	110224826	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
09/01/2023 - 09/01/2023	110224828	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
10/02/2023 - 10/02/2023	110224829	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
11/01/2023 - 11/01/2023	110224831	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
12/01/2023 - 12/01/2023	110224847	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
01/01/2024 - 01/01/2024	110224835	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
02/01/2024 - 02/01/2024	110224834	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
03/01/2024 - 03/01/2024	110224832	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
05/01/2024 - 05/01/2024	110224833	06/26/2024	View Report	C3	2026
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FILE ONLINE

See below:

receipt_date	contributor_name	amount	url	election_year
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2023-05-01T00:00:00.000	SMALL CONTRIBUTIONS	106	https://apollo.pdc.wa.gov/public/registrations/campaign-finance-report/110224827	2026

Based on the activity disclosed, the C3 reports in yellow should have been filed no later than March 10, 2024, but were not disclosed until June 2024.

Also, a C4 covering this time period should have been filed by March 10, 2024, but this committee has still not filed a C4 covering the applicable time period.

Additionally, this PAC failed to include the number of postcards printed on this C4 for 2023:
<https://apollo.pdc.wa.gov/public/registrations/campaign-finance-report/110134580> .