My name is Susan Allen Gehl.

My full address is 1414 E Shangri La Road, Phoenix, AZ 85020

I reviewed the 2017 campaign finance report for Kiana Sears' campaign (SearsforArizona) and discovered what appears to be violations of the Clean Elections rules. It is my understanding that the Clean Elections rules require, "A participating candidate must adhere to expenditure limits, and may not make expenditures in excess of the cash on hand. This includes both early contributions received and candidate funding (A.R.S. 16-941)." [http://www.azcleanelections.gov/en/candidates/running-for-office]

It appears that on October 5, 2017, Kiana Sears' campaign made expenditures that exceeded her campaign's cash on hand, and her campaign account does not return to a positive balance until a month later, November 6, 2017. On October 8, 2017, she appears to have spent over \$300 beyond her campaign account's cash on hand.

It appears Sears' campaign account used \$5 Clean Elections contributions monies to cover the checks written on her campaign account for operating expenses.

I request the Clean Elections Commission review my complaint and her campaign finance report for 2017, investigate, and take appropriate measures.

EXECUTED this 17 day of January, 2018, by the incorpor	rator.
Signature	5 5
Susan Allen Gehl Printed Name	3 M12:10 CCEC
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to me this	;

Filer Name:

SearsforArizona

Status: More >> Active Last Reported:

Candidate Name:

Office Sought:

Party:

1/15/2018 Year:

Sears, Kiana

**Corporation Commissioner** 

**Democratic** 

2018

Income for period

11/9/2016 to 12/31/2017

Amount

Personal and Family Contributions (C1)

\$200.36

Individual

Contributions (C2)

<u>\$1,9</u>80.00

Contributions from

**Political Committees** 

\$0.00

(C3)

**Business Contributions** 

\$0.00

(C4)

**Small Contributions** (C5)

\$560.18 IncomePersonal and Family Contributions (C1)Individual Contributions (C2)Small

CCEC Funding (C6)

\$0.00 Contributions (C5)Qualifying Contributions (C7)C1C2C5C7

Qualifying

\$5,215,00

Contributions (C7)

Loans Made to this Committee (L1)

\$0.00

Other Receipts incl.

Interest & Dividends

\$0.00

(R1)

Transfers from Other Committees (T1)

\$0.00

Cash Surplus from

**Previous Committee** 

\$0.00

(S1)

Total Income

\$7,955.54

**Expenditures for** period 11/9/2016 to 12/31/2017

Amount

**Operating Expenses** (E1)

\$1,739.28 ExpendituresOperating Expenses (E1)Expenditure of In-Kind Contributions (C8)E1C8

Independent

Expenditures (E2)

\$0.00

Contributions to Other

\$0.00

Committees (E3)	
Other Expenses (E4)	\$0.00
Transfers to other Committees (T1)	\$0.00
Loans Made by This Committee (L2)	\$0.00
Expenditure of In-Kind Contributions (C8)	\$200.36
Disposal of Surplus Cash (S1)	\$0.00
Total Expenditures	\$1,939.64
Bill Payments for Previous Expenditures (D1)	\$0.00
Total Disbursed	\$1,939.64

## Cash Balance as of 12/31/2017 \$6,015.90

Schedule C1 - Personal and family contributions Covers period 11/9/2016 to 12/31/2017

Name / Address

Date Amount Cycle To Date

Sears, Kiana 2403 N Raven Cir, Mesa, AZ 85207 Governing Board Member, Mesa Public Schools	08/25/2017	\$100.18	\$200.36
Sears, Kiana 2403 N Raven Cir, Mesa, AZ 85207 Governing Board Member, Mesa Public Schools	09/01/2017	\$100.18	\$200.36

## Schedule C2 - Individual contributions Covers period 11/9/2016 to 12/31/2017

Name / Address	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
MCCOY, Martha 5656 E Dodge St, Mesa, AZ 85205 RETIRED, RETIRED	07/27/2017	\$100.00	\$160.00
McCoy, Nelda 5656 E Dodge St, Mesa, AZ 85205 Retired, Retired	07/27/2017	\$100.00	\$160.00
GOGEK, ED 45 Limberlost Ln, Prescott, AZ 86303 Physician, Self	07/31/2017	\$100.00	\$100.00

Name / Address	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Hint, Dave 831 Bobcat Dr, Clifton, AZ 85533 Mechanic, Self	08/21/2017	\$100.00	\$100.00
CASWELL, CHARLES 1548 N Power Rd, Mesa, AZ 85205 RETIRED	08/25/2017	\$100.00	\$100.00
Haynes, Jodi R 4640 E Peach Tree Dr, Chandler, AZ 85249 Restaurant owner, Creole Cajun Bistro	10/08/2017	\$45.00	\$45.00
Rachal, Eric 4640 E Peach Tree Dr, Chandler, AZ 85249 Restaurant owner, Creole Cajun Bistro	10/08/2017	\$45.00	\$45.00
ZUKOSKI, ELIZABETH 1901 E Miraval Cuarto, Tucson, AZ 85718 RETIRED, N/A	10/08/2017	\$150.00	\$150.00
Gregory, Keauna 441 Buck Blvd SE, Calhoun, GA 30701 Regional Field Director, Planned Parenthood Federation of America	10/15/2017	\$50.00	\$50.00
Mormo, Paul 3048 W 28th Pl, Yuma, AZ 85364 retired, retired	10/28/2017	\$100.00	\$100.00
Harris, Michael 20375 W Springfield St, Buckeye, AZ 85396 Product Manager, USAA	11/06/2017	\$80.00	\$80.00
Harris, Michelle 20375 W Springfield St, Buckeye, AZ 85396 Retired, Retired	11/06/2017	\$80.00	\$80.00
Mcclelland, Karen 112 Courthouse Butte Rd, Sedona, AZ 86351 not employed, not employed	11/08/2017	\$160.00	\$160.00
LEONHARDT, CAROL A 29022 N 56th St, Cave Creek, AZ 85331 TEACHER, PVUSD #69	11/17/2017	\$50.00	\$50.00
Zukoski, Robin 1901 E Miraval Cuarto, Tucson, AZ 85718 retiired, N/A	11/19/2017	\$150.00	\$150.00
Cowan, Michael 3432 E Enrose St, Mesa, AZ 85213 Superintendent, Mesa Unified School District	11/20/2017	\$100.00	\$100.00
Broughton, Teniqua	12/02/2017	\$100.00	\$0.00

Name / A	Address	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
1601 E Highland Ave, Apt Program Director, Free Arts	1072, Phoenix, AZ 85 s of Arizona	5016		<b>-</b>
Smitherman, William 3984 E Cedar Dr, Chandler, Consultant, Self	, AZ 85249	12/08/2017	\$50.00	\$50.00
Mcclelland, Karen 112 Courthouse Butte Rd, S not employed, not employed		12/09/2017	\$160.00	\$160.00
Broughton, Teniqua 1601 E Highland Ave, Apt 1 Program Director, Free Arts	1072, Phoenix, AZ 85 of Arizona	5016 12/15/2017	(\$100.00)	\$0.00
MCCOY, Martha 5656 E Dodge St, Mesa, AZ RETIRED, RETIRED		12/27/2017	\$60.00	\$160.00
MCCOY, NELDA 5656 E Dodge St, Mesa, AZ RETIRED	85205	12/27/2017	\$60.00	\$160.00
Mangum, Kurt 1624 W Moody Trl, Phoenix Owner Coffee Shop, Press C	x, AZ 85041 Coffees	12/28/2017	\$150.00	\$150.00
Mangum, Lachele 1624 W Moody Trl, Phoenix Owner Coffee Shop, Press C	x, AZ 85041	12/28/2017	\$150.00	\$150.00
Mcclelland, Karen 112 Courthouse Butte Rd, Senot employed, not employed	edona, AZ 86351	12/30/2017 (	\$160.00)	\$160.00
Schedule C5 - Contributions 12/31/2017		Covers period 1	1/9/2016 to	
Name / Address	Date	Amount	Cyc	le To Date
Multiple Contributors	07/30/2017	\$30.00		\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	08/01/2017	\$25.00		\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	08/07/2017	\$25.00		\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	08/10/2017	\$25.00		\$560.18

Name / Address	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Multiple Contributors	08/16/2017	\$25.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	08/17/2017	\$25.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	08/24/2017	\$20.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	09/24/2017	\$10.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	10/04/2017	\$10.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	10/14/2017	\$10.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	10/27/2017	\$80.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	11/10/2017	\$10.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	11/12/2017	\$25.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	11/13/2017	\$5.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	11/16/2017	\$70.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	11/17/2017	\$5.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	11/18/2017	\$25.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	11/27/2017	\$5.00	\$560.18

Name / Address	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Multiple Contributors	12/14/2017	\$25.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	12/16/2017	\$20.18	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	12/19/2017	\$10.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	12/20/2017	\$35.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	12/21/2017	\$10.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	12/22/2017	\$5.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	12/25/2017	\$10.00	\$560.18
Multiple Contributors	12/31/2017	\$15.00	\$560.18
Schedule E1 - Operating expens	ses Covers period	11/9/2016 to 12/31/201	7
Name / Addr	ess	Date Amour	ot Cycle To Date
Baby Kay's Cajun Kitchen 2051 S Dobson Rd, Mesa, AZ 8	5202	08/09/2017 \$20.0	0 \$20.00
ALBERTSONS FOODS 2727 N Power Rd, Mesa, AZ 85	215	08/14/2017 \$12.9	3 \$40.92
Nunthaporns Thai Cuisine 17 W Main St, Mesa, AZ 85201		08/14/2017 \$30.0	0 \$30.00
Inside The Bungalow 48 N Robson, Mesa, AZ 85201		08/15/2017 \$12.93	3 \$12.93

Name / Address	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Redline Designs PO Box 40494, Phoenix, AZ 85067	08/31/2017	\$210.00	\$210.00
Urban Beans 3508 N 7th St, Ste 100, Phoenix, AZ 85014	08/31/2017	\$11.53	\$11.53
USPS 5155 E Eagle Dr, Mesa, AZ 85215	09/02/2017	\$39.20	\$39.20
QuickTrip 517 W McKellips Rd, Mesa, AZ 85201	09/16/2017	\$25.00	\$25.00
MV Pita Mediterran 1066 N Power Rd, Ste 103, Mesa, AZ 85205	09/19/2017	\$4.31	\$4.31
Quicktrip 4725 E Baseline Rd, Phoenix, AZ 85042	09/24/2017	\$29.71	\$29.71
Quicktrip 1331 S Country Club Dr, Mesa, AZ 85210	09/26/2017	\$30.26	\$30.26
Burger King 2024 E Southern Ave, Mesa, AZ 85204	09/27/2017	\$3.77	\$3.77
Vantiv eCommerce 8500 Governors Hill Dr, Symmes Township, OH 45249	09/28/2017	\$0.79	\$16.95
ARIZONA DEMOCRATIC PARTY 2900 N Central Ave, , Phoenix, AZ 85012	10/05/2017	\$500.00	\$500.00
Spectrum Experience PO Box 1266, Tempe, AZ 85281	10/13/2017	\$300.00	\$300.00
Vantiv eCommerce 8500 Governors Hill Dr, Symmes Township, OH 45249	11/09/2017	\$3.92	\$16.95
Sisterhood Extravaganza 7432 W Honeysuckle Dr, Peoria, AZ 85383	11/22/2017	\$297.00	\$297.00

Name / Address	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Arizona List PO Box 42294, Tucson, AZ 85733	12/01/2017	\$100.00	\$100.00
Hilton Garden Inn 15 W Monroe St, Phoenix, AZ 85003	12/03/2017	\$15.00	\$15.00
ActBlue PO Box 382110, Cambridge, MA 02238	12/04/2017	\$4.52	\$4.52
Google Ads 1600 Amphitheatre Pkwy, Mountain View, 94043	CA 12/10/2017	\$35.18	\$35.18
Vantiv eCommerce 8500 Governors Hill Dr, Symmes Township 45249	, ОН 12/11/2017	\$12.24	\$16.95
Renaissance Phoenix 50 E Adams St, Phoenix, AZ 85004	12/12/2017	\$13.00	\$13.00
ALBERTSONS FOODS 2727 N Power Rd, Mesa, AZ 85215	12/30/2017	\$27.99	\$40.92
Schedule C8 - In-Kind Contributions Covers Name / Address	period 11/9/2016 to <b>Date</b>	12/31/201	7 Amount
New In-Kind Contribution			
Sears, Kiana Original amount of Contribution: \$100.18 Original Transaction Date: 08/25/2017	08/25/201	7	\$100.18
Expenditure of In-Kind Contribution	08/25/201		(\$100.18) Balance: \$0.00
New In-Kind Contribution			
Sears, Kiana Original amount of Contribution: \$100.18 (	09/01/2017 \$10	00.18	
Original Transaction Date: 09/01/2017 Expenditure of In-Kind Contribution	09/01/2017 (\$10	0.18)	
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1/31/2018 Kiana Maria Sears C/o Sears for Arizona 2824 N. Power Road Mesa, AZ 85215

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Dear Clean Elections Commission and Mr. Tom Collins,

I am Kiana Maria Sears writing to respond to the complaint against Sears for Arizona. I am asking that you take no action against Sears for Arizona. The complaint alleges I did not have cash on hand to write The check to the Arizona Democratic Party for voter data available through the Arizona Democratic Party. I believe that I did have the cash on hand. I am also have complied with have one bank account for campaign fees. My ActBlue and Pay Pal accounts are also attached to this account. I believe I have ensured that all funds are available to produce one check to Clean Elections for the total amount of Clean Elections \$5 contributions via pages 63-66 online and listed in the handbook. I have made no promises to consultants, vendors, anyone, or any person for services regarding expected Clean Elections funds, I believe the complaint is mixed taking that language out on context to apply it to my committee. I have attached my most recurrent bank statement which verifies my balance which does agree with Ms. Gehl's statement that my account does have all the necessary funds to cover Clean Elections Qualifying \$5. I can assure you I have called Clean Elections on a regular basis to ensure that I have been in compliance. My bank statements and transactions do show I have the funds to write a Clean Elections Qualifying Check. Thank you for your consideration, I appreciate your time and look forward to working together to help average citizens like myself serve despite the barrier that finances have on elections.

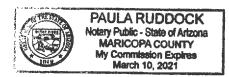
Respectfully, Kiana M. Sears

Committee
Sears for Arizona

STATE OF ARIZONA COUNTY OF MARICOPA SS

This instrument was acknowledged before me this \\_\_day

In witness whereof herewith set my hand and official seal NOTARY PUBLIC



STMT 7010	34742-70S	SEARS FOR ARIZON	A/	02/0	01/18	12:59 E	M BR:0008
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01/07/18	01/07/18	QUIKTRIP 5957	E MCDOWELL RO		-27.00	5657.08
01/08/18	01/06/18	EXXONMOBIL 9909	PHOENIX	A	-20.00	5637.08
01/08/18	01/08/18	OFFICE MAX/OFFI 1738	W 8TH ST		-100.00	5537.08
01/09/18	01/09/18	Vantiv eCommerce - Fu	nds Disb		-2.34	5534.74
01/09/18	01/09/18	GOOGLE *ADWS153749	cc@google.com	mC	-4.07	5530.67
01/10/18	01/10/18	Vantiv eCommerce - Fu	nds Disb		20.00	5550.67
01/10/18	01/09/18	ALBERTSONS STORE	MESA	A	-39.83	5510.84
01/10/18	01/10/18	CIRCLE K 00661	FLORENCE	A	-27.59	5483.25
01/11/18	01/10/18	QT 495 0500	QUEEN CREEK	A	-21.92	5461.33
01/13/18	01/12/18	DOLLAR TREE	MESA	A	-7.56	5453.77
01/13/18	01/13/18	DNH*GODADDY.COM	480-5058855	A	-24.34	5429.43
01/14/18	01/14/18	CHEVRON 0202401	YUMA	A	-27.00	5402.43
01/15/18	01/14/18	QT 447 0500	MESA	A	-25.80	5376.63
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**Doug Ducey** Governor

Thomas M. Collins Executive Director



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Kiana Sears Sears for Arizona 2824 N. Power Road Mesa, AZ 85215 kiana.sears@gmail.com

> Via E-Mail Only Re: MUR 18-01

Dear Ms. Sears:

We have received your response to the Complaint. Because the response shows that you did not incur debt or make expenditures beyond cash on hand, I am closing the Complaint. Participating candidates may use the money collected in qualifying contributions, provided at the time of qualifying they have sufficient cash on hand to submit the necessary dollar amount.

At this time, the Commission will not take any action in this matter based on the information that is available. Please contact me if you have any questions at (602) 364-3477 or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:thomas.collins@azcleanelections.gov">thomas.collins@azcleanelections.gov</a>.

Sincerely, S/Thomas M. Collins Executive Director

cc: Susan Gehl, Regular Mail. Sara Larsen, E-Mail