

# 2012 CITIZENS CLEAN ELECTIONS COMMISSION Annual Report



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The Annual Report is submitted to the Governor, the President of the Arizona Senate, and the Speaker of the State House of Representatives. This report made available online at [www.azcleanelections.gov](http://www.azcleanelections.gov)

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February 28, 2013

The Honorable Janice K. Brewer  
Governor of Arizona  
1700 West Washington  
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Governor Brewer:

We are pleased to submit, for your information, the 2012 Annual Report for the Citizens Clean Elections Commission, pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) § 16-956(A) (5). The Annual Report describes the activities performed by the Commission in the last calendar year.

With the knowledge and experience gained through prior years, the Commission strives to continuously improve a public funding system that has become the role model for states across the country.

The Commission accomplished its goals in 2012 and looks forward to a productive and successful year in 2013.

Respectfully,

Louis J. Hoffman, Chair  
Citizens Clean Elections Commission





# VOTER EDUCATION & OUTREACH

The Commission spends 10% of the expenditure cap on voter education. Outreach in 2012 consisted of speaking engagements to high schools and other interested parties. In addition, the Commission continued to provide information to the public regarding Clean Elections participation and the functions and purposes of the Clean Elections Act. This was accomplished through a myriad of press releases, media campaigns, and social media outreach.

The Commission's Education and Outreach for 2012 included:

- Candidate Debates
- Clean Elections Luche Libre Campaign
- Website & Social Media
- Candidate Statement Pamphlet

In addition to educating the public and voters, the Commission strives to educate candidates running for office.

- In 2012, the Commission hosted 21 candidate training workshops. In all, 228 candidates, campaign staff, and potential candidates attended the workshops.



# CANDIDATE DEBATES

The Commission proudly sponsored the 2012 statewide and legislative debates. The debates occurred throughout Arizona. The debate planning process included soliciting sponsors, developing the questions for the debates, finding locations within each legislative district, and working with KAET-Channel 8 to televise the statewide debate.

The Commission sponsored 34 Primary election debates and 31 General election debates. All of the debates were videotaped and made available on the Commission's website.





# “VOTE WITH CONFIDENCE. BE INFORMED” CAMPAIGN SPOTS →

The Commission developed new educational materials informing voters about the Voter Education tools provided by the Commission. The materials were designed to provide voters information on how to access and use voter education tools provided by the Clean Elections Act. Voters were directed to read the candidate statement pamphlet and visit [www.cleanelections101.com](http://www.cleanelections101.com). The site included a district locator, where voters had the ability to enter their address, locate their district, read candidate statements, and watch candidate debates. The campaign used television, radio, and print media to get the message out to the public. In addition, the campaign also utilized the Internet through banner ads as well as YouTube.

## WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA

The Commission continued to provide public information through the Internet. Social media sites such as Twitter and Facebook allow instant communication to the public. In addition to regular posts reminding our social media audience about debates and voter education tools, the Commission created a like campaign that featured a social “I Voted Sticker” that could be shared on Facebook and Twitter. Friends who had not yet voted were then redirected to the candidate statements and debates for each district.

CANDIDATE	OFFICE	PARTY
<a href="#">Angel Torres</a>	State Representative	Green
<a href="#">Bob Stump</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Republican
<a href="#">Catherine Miranda</a>	State Representative	Democrat
<a href="#">Christopher Gohl</a>	Corporate Commissioner	Libertarian
<a href="#">Daniel Coleman</a>	State Representative	Republican
<a href="#">Daniel Poyt</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Green
<a href="#">Leah Landrum</a>	State Senator	Democrat
<a href="#">Marcia Busching</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Democrat
<a href="#">Paul Newman</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Democrat
<a href="#">Robert "Bob" Burns</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Republican
<a href="#">Ruben Gallego</a>	State Representative	Democrat
<a href="#">Sandra Kennedy</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Democrat
<a href="#">Sarah Coleman</a>	State Senator	Republican
<a href="#">Susan Bitter Smith</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Republican
<a href="#">Thomas Meadows</a>	Corporation Commissioner	Green

[View Corporation Commission Debate from October 1st, 2012](#)  
[View District 27 Candidate Debate from September 27th, 2012](#)  
[View District 27 Candidate Debate from June 28th, 2012](#)

The Facebook page displays a prominent banner with the text "EXERCISE YOUR RIGHT TO GET INVOLVED" and the Citizens Clean Elections Commission logo. Below the banner, there are several posts, including one about a public meeting on Monday, December 10, 2012, and another about the 2012 Key Dates for the election. The Twitter page shows tweets from the account @AZCEC, including a tweet about a public meeting on Monday, December 10, 2012, and another about the 2012 Key Dates for the election.



## **“FEW THINGS GET PEOPLE GOING LIKE POLITICS.**

CLEAN ELECTIONS101.COM IS A SAFE PLACE WHERE YOU CAN GO TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT CANDIDATES, WATCH THE DEBATES, AND VOTE INFORMED.”



# **CLEANELECTIONS101.COM**

YOUR GUIDE TO ARIZONA'S POLITICAL PROCESS.



# CANDIDATE STATEMENT PAMPHLETS

Two separate Candidate Statement Pamphlets were created, printed, and distributed in 2012. The pamphlets contained a 200-word statement and a picture from each statewide and legislative candidate. Submission of a statement and picture is not a requirement for using the Clean Elections system. The Commission distributed 1.8 million copies of the Primary election pamphlet and another 1.8 million copies of the General election pamphlet to registered voters in Arizona. In addition to the candidates' statements and photos, the pamphlet also contained information on who to contact to locate polling places and how to request an early ballot.

**CITIZENS CLEAN ELECTIONS COMMISSION**  
Statewide & Legislative Candidate Statement Pamphlet

**EVERY  
VOTE  
COUNTS**



2012 Primary Election  
August 28, 2012

Citizens Clean Elections Commission Voter Education Guide  
Paid for by the Citizens Clean Elections Fund

[www.cleanelections101.com](http://www.cleanelections101.com)

**CITIZENS CLEAN ELECTIONS COMMISSION**  
Statewide & Legislative Candidate Statement Pamphlet  
Centennial Edition



2012 General Election  
November 6, 2012

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# 2012 ELECTION SUMMARY

During the Primary election 182 candidates sought statewide and legislative offices, with 69 of those participating in the Clean Elections system. The Clean Elections candidate participation rate was 38% in the Primary election.

During the General election there were 155 candidates seeking statewide and legislative offices, 69 of which were participating candidates. The Clean Elections candidate participation rate was 37% in the General election.

In 2012, more than \$3.3 million was distributed from the Clean Elections Fund to participating candidates.

The following pages list every candidate for statewide and legislative office who raised funds and qualified for the ballot. Please note each legislative district elects two representatives to serve in the House of Representatives and one State senator to serve in the Senate. This listing is compiled using data provided at [www.azsos.gov](http://www.azsos.gov). The graphs are comprehensive and include data from the Primary and General elections.



# **2012 PRIMARY ELECTION CANDIDATE LISTING**



# List of All Candidate Committees for the 2012 Primary Election

Total Number of Committees = 181

Total Number of Participating Committees = 69

Corporation Commissioner	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Bitter Smith, Susan	Rep	X	\$91,874.00
Burns, Robert	Rep	X	\$91,874.00
Busching, Marcia	Dem	X	\$91,874.00
Kennedy, Sandra	Dem	X	\$91,874.00
Newman, Paul	Dem	X	\$91,874.00
Stump, Bob	Rep	X	\$91,874.00

**\$551,244.00**

State Senator - District No. 1	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Pierce, Stephen	Rep		\$0.00

**\$0.00**

State Representative - District 1	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Fann, Karen	Rep		\$0.00
Klein, Lori	Rep		\$0.00
Tobin, Andrew	Rep		\$0.00

**\$0.00**

State Senator - District No. 2	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Lopez, Linda	Dem		\$0.00

**\$0.00**

State Representative - District 2	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Ackerley, John	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
Dalessandro, Andrea	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
Gabaldon, Rosanna	Dem	X	\$14,355.00

**\$43,065.00**

State Senator - District No. 3	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Cajero Bedford, Olivia	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
Garcia, Maria	Dem	X	\$21,533.00

**\$43,066.00**

State Representative - District 3	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Gonzales, Sally Ann	Dem		\$0.00
Saldate, Macario	Dem		\$0.00

**\$0.00**

State Senator - District No. 4	Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
Pancrazi, Lynne	Dem		\$0.00

**\$0.00**

State Representative - District 4		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Escamilla, Juan	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Fernandez, Charlene	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Otondo, Lisa	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$64,599.00</b>

State Senator - District No. 5		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	McLain, Nancy	Rep		\$0.00
	Scarmardo, Salvatore	Rep		\$0.00
	Ward, Kelli	Rep		\$0.00
	Weisser, Beth	Dem	X	\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Representative - District 5		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Borrelli, Sonny	Rep		\$0.00
	Brooks, Wyatt	Rep		\$0.00
	Durbin, Pamela	Dem	X	\$0.00
	Goodale, Doris	Rep		\$0.00
	Schnittgrund, George	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Senator - District No. 6		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Chabin, Tom	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Crandell, Chester	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$28,710.00</b>

State Representative - District 6		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Ballard, Douglas	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Barton, Brenda	Rep		\$0.00
	Lefevre, Angela	Dem		\$0.00
	Thorpe, Robert	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$28,710.00</b>

State Senator - District No. 7		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Jackson, Jack	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Representative - District 7		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Hale, Albert	Dem		\$0.00
	Peshlakai, Jamescita	Dem		\$0.00
	Stago, Phil	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>

State Senator - District No. 8		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	McGuire, Barbara	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Ortiz, Joe	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$28,710.00</b>



State Representative - District 8		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Arredondo, George	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Bustamante, Ernest	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Pratt, Frank	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Shope, Thomas	Rep		\$0.00
	Verdugo, Emily	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$57,420.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 9		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Farley, Steve	Dem		\$0.00
	Mott, Tyler	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Representative - District 9		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Cox, Dustin	Dem		\$0.00
	Miley, Cynthia	Rep		\$0.00
	Orr, Ethan	Rep		\$0.00
	Sidhwa, Mohur Sarah	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Steele, Victoria	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 10		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Antenori, Frank	Rep		\$0.00
	Bradley, David	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 10		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Clodfelter, Todd	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Mach, Stefanie	Dem		\$0.00
	Patrick, Brandon	Dem		\$0.00
	Vogt, Ted	Rep		\$0.00
	Wheeler, Bruce	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 11		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Holt, Jo	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Melvin, Al	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Representative - District 11		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Joseph, David	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Kwasman, Adam	Rep		\$0.00
	Smith, Steve	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 12		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Biggs, Andy	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Representative - District 12		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Chesley, Larry	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Farnsworth, Eddie	Rep		\$0.00
	Petersen, Warren	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 13		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Shooter, Don	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 13		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Jones, Russ	Rep		\$0.00
	Mitchell, Darin	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Montenegro, Steve	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 14		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Fleming, Pat	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Griffin, Gail	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Representative - District 14		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Gowan, David	Rep		\$0.00
	Leach, Robert	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Stevens, David	Rep		\$0.00
	Stonebraker, Mark	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$28,710.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 15		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Barto, Nancy	Rep		\$0.00
	Grenier, Dennis	Lib		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 15		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Allen, John	Rep		\$0.00
	Bearup, James	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Carter, Heather	Rep		\$0.00
	Flickner, Patricia	Dem	X	\$0.00
	Smith, David	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 16		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Crandall, Rich	Rep		\$0.00
	Fillmore, John	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Prior, Scott	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>



State Representative - District 16		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Cerra, Matthew	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Coleman, Douglas	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Davis, Jeff	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Novalsky, Judy	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Townsend, Kelly	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$100,487.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 17		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Gates, Bill	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Yarbrough, Steven	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Representative - District 17		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Forese III, Tom	Rep		\$0.00
	Lathan, Karyn	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Mesnard, J.	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 18		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Hydrick, Janie	Dem		\$0.00
	McComish, John	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 18		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Dial, Jeff	Rep		\$0.00
	Fine, Brent	Ind	X	\$0.00
	Fisher, Darin	Dem		\$0.00
	Harris, Corey	Dem		\$0.00
	Robson, Bob	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 19		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Tovar, Anna	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 19		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Cardenas, Mark	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Contreras, Guadalupe	Dem		\$0.00
	Kilgore, Bryan	Dem		\$0.00
	Sierra, Lorenzo	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 20		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Powell, Michael	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Yee, Kimberly	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>

State Representative - District 20		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Benavides, George	Rep		\$0.00
	Boyer, Paul	Rep		\$0.00
	Norwood, Tonya	Dem		\$0.00
	Seel, Carl	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Thrasher, Jackie	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$28,710.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 21		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Murphy, Rick	Rep		\$0.00
	Tarrats, Michael	Dem	X	\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 21		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Gray, Rick	Rep		\$0.00
	Lesko, Debbie	Rep		\$0.00
	Lokare, Carol	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Van Horsen, Sheri	Dem	X	\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 22		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Burges, Judy	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 22		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Dubreil, Jeanette	Rep		\$0.00
	Livingston, David	Rep		\$0.00
	Lovas, Phil	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 23		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Reagan, Michele	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 23		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Kavanagh, John	Rep		\$0.00
	Petersen, Jennifer	Rep		\$0.00
	Ugenti, Michelle	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 24		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Bartning, Augustine	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Cheuvront, Ken	Dem		\$0.00
	Hobbs, Katie	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>

State Representative - District 24		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Alston, Lela	Dem		\$0.00
	Campbell, Chad	Dem		\$0.00
	Fistler, Scott	Rep		\$0.00
	Kaufman, Brian	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Mcdermott, Jean Cheuvront	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Nerini, Tom	Dem		\$0.00

**\$35,888.00**

State Senator - District No. 25		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Gadek, Greg	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Pearce, Russell	Rep		\$0.00
	Worsley, Robert	Rep		\$0.00

**\$14,355.00**

State Representative - District 25		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Butler, David	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Olson, Justin	Rep		\$0.00
	Pierce, Justin	Rep		\$0.00

**\$14,355.00**

State Senator - District No. 26		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Ableser, Edward	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Lewis, Jerry	Rep		\$0.00
	Trabel, Damian	Lib		\$0.00

**\$14,355.00**

State Representative - District 26		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Knauer, Haryaksha	Green		\$0.00
	Mendez, Juan	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Merrill, Buckley	Rep		\$0.00
	Sherwood, Andrew	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
	Speakman, Raymond	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Taylor, Mary Lou	Rep		\$0.00
	Will, Chris	Lib		\$0.00
	Youn, Jason	Rep		\$0.00

**\$43,065.00**

State Senator - District No. 27		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Coleman, Sarah	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Contreras, Victor	Dem		\$0.00
	Landrum, Leah	Dem		\$0.00

**\$14,355.00**

State Representative - District 27		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Bolding, Reginald	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Coleman, Daniel	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Gallego, Ruben	Dem		\$0.00
	Miranda, Catherine	Dem		\$0.00
	Torres, Angel	Green		\$0.00

**\$35,888.00**

State Senator - District No. 28		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Driggs, Adam	Rep		\$0.00
	Shelley, Eric	Dem	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$14,355.00</b>

State Representative - District 28		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Brophy McGee, Kate	Rep		\$0.00
	Meyer, Eric	Dem		\$0.00
	Reeve, Amanda	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Representative - District 29		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Hernandez, Lydia	Dem		\$0.00
	Quezada, Martin	Dem		\$0.00
	Samaniego, Martin	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Senator - District No. 30		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Meza, Robert	Dem		\$0.00
	Teran, Raquel	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>

State Representative - District 30		Party	Participating?	Primary Disbursement
	Larkin, Jonathan	Dem		\$0.00
	McCune Davis, Debbie	Dem		\$0.00
	Snitz, Michael	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

**Grand Total                      \$1,498,683.00**



# **2012 GENERAL ELECTION CANDIDATE LISTING**

# List of All Candidate Committees for the 2012 General Election

Total Number of Committees = 155

Total Number of Participating Committees = 57

Corporation Commissioner		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Bitter Smith, Susan	Rep	X	\$137,811.00
	Burns, Robert	Rep	X	\$137,811.00
	Busching, Marcia	Dem	X	\$137,811.00
	Gohl, Christopher	Lib		\$0.00
	Kennedy, Sandra	Dem	X	\$137,811.00
	Meadows, Thomas	Green		\$0.00
	Newman, Paul	Dem	X	\$137,811.00
	Pout, Daniel	Green		\$0.00
	Stump, Bob	Rep	X	\$137,811.00
				<b>\$826,866.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 1		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Pierce, Stephen	Rep		\$0.00
	Rawles, Tom	Ind		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 1		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Fann, Karen	Rep		\$0.00
	Tobin, Andrew	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 2		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Lopez, Linda	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 2		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Ackerley, John	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Dalessandro, Andrea	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Gabaldon, Rosanna	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$64,599.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 3		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Cajero Bedford, Olivia	Dem	X	\$1,430.00
				<b>\$1,430.00</b>
State Representative - District 3		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Gonzales, Sally Ann	Dem		\$0.00
	Saldate, Macario	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 4		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Pancrazi, Lynne	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Representative - District 4		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Escamilla, Juan	Dem	X	\$1,795.00
	Otondo, Lisa	Dem	X	\$1,215.00
				<b>\$3,010.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 5		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Ward, Kelli	Rep		\$0.00
	Weisser, Beth	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Representative - District 5		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Borrelli, Sonny	Rep		\$0.00
	Durbin, Pamela	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Goodale, Doris	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 6		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Chabin, Tom	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Crandell, Chester	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$43,066.00</b>
State Representative - District 6		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Ballard, Douglas	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Barton, Brenda	Rep		\$0.00
	Lefevre, Angela	Dem		\$0.00
	Thorpe, Robert	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$43,066.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 7		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Jackson, Jack	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 7		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Hale, Albert	Dem		\$0.00
	Peshlakai, Jamescita	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 8		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Dill, Dean	Lib		\$0.00
	McGuire, Barbara	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Ortiz, Joe	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$43,066.00</b>
State Representative - District 8		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Bustamante, Ernest	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Pratt, Frank	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Shope, Thomas	Rep		\$0.00
	Verdugo, Emily	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$64,599.00</b>

<b>State Senator - District No. 9</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Farley, Steve	Dem		\$0.00
	Mott, Tyler	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 9</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Orr, Ethan	Rep		\$0.00
	Sidhwa, Mohur Sarah	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Steele, Victoria	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 10</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Antenori, Frank	Rep		\$0.00
	Bradley, David	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 10</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Clodfelter, Todd	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Mach, Stefanie	Dem		\$0.00
	Vogt, Ted	Rep		\$0.00
	Wheeler, Bruce	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 11</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Holt, Jo	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Melvin, Al	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 11</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Joseph, David	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Kwasman, Adam	Rep		\$0.00
	Smith, Steve	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 12</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Biggs, Andy	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 12</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Farnsworth, Eddie	Rep		\$0.00
	Petersen, Warren	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 13</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Shooter, Don	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 13</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Mitchell, Darin	Rep	X	\$1,300.00
	Montenegro, Steve	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$1,300.00</b>



<b>State Senator - District No. 14</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Fleming, Pat	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Griffin, Gail	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 14</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Gowan, David	Rep		\$0.00
	Leach, Robert	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Stevens, David	Rep		\$0.00
	Stonebraker, Mark	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$43,066.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 15</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Barto, Nancy	Rep		\$0.00
	Grenier, Dennis	Lib		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 15</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Allen, John	Rep		\$0.00
	Carter, Heather	Rep		\$0.00
	Flickner, Patricia	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 16</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Crandall, Rich	Rep		\$0.00
	Prior, Scott	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 16</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Cerra, Matthew	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Coleman, Douglas	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
	Maher, William	Green		\$0.00
	Townsend, Kelly	Rep	X	\$14,355.00
				<b>\$50,243.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 17</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Gates, Bill	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Yarbrough, Steven	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Representative - District 17</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Forese III, Tom	Rep		\$0.00
	Lathan, Karyn	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Mesnard, J.	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
<b>State Senator - District No. 18</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Hydrick, Janie	Dem		\$0.00
	McComish, John	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

State Representative - District 18		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Dial, Jeff	Rep		\$0.00
	Fine, Brent	Ind	X	\$25,122.00
	Fisher, Darin	Dem		\$0.00
	Harris, Corey	Dem		\$0.00
	Robson, Bob	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$25,122.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 19		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Tovar, Anna	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 19		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Cardenas, Mark	Dem	X	\$1,240.00
	Contreras, Guadalupe	Dem		\$0.00
				<b>\$1,240.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 20		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Powell, Michael	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Quelland, Doug	Ind		\$0.00
	Yee, Kimberly	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Representative - District 20		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Boyer, Paul	Rep		\$0.00
	Norwood, Tonya	Dem		\$0.00
	Seel, Carl	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Thrasher, Jackie	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$43,066.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 21		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Murphy, Rick	Rep		\$0.00
	Tarrats, Michael	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$21,533.00</b>
State Representative - District 21		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Gray, Rick	Rep		\$0.00
	Lesko, Debbie	Rep		\$0.00
	Lokare, Carol	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Van Horsen, Sheri	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				<b>\$43,066.00</b>
State Senator - District No. 22		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Burges, Judy	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>
State Representative - District 22		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Livingston, David	Rep		\$0.00
	Lovas, Phil	Rep		\$0.00
				<b>\$0.00</b>

<b>State Senator - District No. 23</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Reagan, Michele	Rep		\$0.00
				\$0.00
<b>State Representative - District 23</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Kavanagh, John	Rep		\$0.00
	Ugenti, Michelle	Rep		\$0.00
				\$0.00
<b>State Senator - District No. 24</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Bartning, Augustine	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Hobbs, Katie	Dem		\$0.00
				\$21,533.00
<b>State Representative - District 24</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Alston, Lela	Dem		\$0.00
	Campbell, Chad	Dem		\$0.00
	Davis, Gerard	Green		\$0.00
	Kaufman, Brian	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
				\$21,533.00
<b>State Senator - District No. 25</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Gadek, Greg	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Worsley, Robert	Rep		\$0.00
				\$21,533.00
<b>State Representative - District 25</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Butler, David	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Olson, Justin	Rep		\$0.00
	Pierce, Justin	Rep		\$0.00
				\$21,533.00
<b>State Senator - District No. 26</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Ableser, Edward	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Lewis, Jerry	Rep		\$0.00
	Trabel, Damian	Lib		\$0.00
				\$21,533.00
<b>State Representative - District 26</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Knauer, Haryaksha	Green		\$0.00
	Mendez, Juan	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Sherwood, Andrew	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
	Speakman, Raymond	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Taylor, Mary Lou	Rep		\$0.00
	Will, Chris	Lib		\$0.00
				\$64,599.00
<b>State Senator - District No. 27</b>		<b>Party</b>	<b>Participating?</b>	<b>General Disbursement</b>
	Coleman, Sarah	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Landrum, Leah	Dem		\$0.00
				\$21,533.00

State Representative - District 27		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Coleman, Daniel	Rep	X	\$21,533.00
	Gallego, Ruben	Dem		\$0.00
	Miranda, Catherine	Dem		\$0.00
	Torres, Angel	Green		\$0.00
				\$21,533.00
State Senator - District No. 28		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Driggs, Adam	Rep		\$0.00
	Shelley, Eric	Dem	X	\$21,533.00
				\$21,533.00
State Representative - District 28		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Brophy McGee, Kate	Rep		\$0.00
	Iannuzo, James	Lib		\$0.00
	Meyer, Eric	Dem		\$0.00
	Reeve, Amanda	Rep		\$0.00
				\$0.00
State Senator - District No. 29		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Gallardo, Steve	Dem		\$0.00
				\$0.00
State Representative - District 29		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Hernandez, Lydia	Dem		\$0.00
	Quezada, Martin	Dem		\$0.00
				\$0.00
State Senator - District No. 30		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Meza, Robert	Dem		\$0.00
				\$0.00
State Representative - District 30		Party	Participating?	General Disbursement
	Larkin, Jonathan	Dem		\$0.00
	McCune Davis, Debbie	Dem		\$0.00
				\$0.00

Total \$1,813,597.00





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# LITIGATION

## **No Taxpayer Money For Politicians v. Lang, et al.**

In December 2011, a group of plaintiffs dedicated to repealing the Citizens Clean Elections Act brought an action against the Clean Elections Commissioners and staff members of the Clean Elections Commission alleging that the Commission's voter education activities violated state law. The lawsuit sought to enjoin the Commission from conducting much of its voter education duties and to prevent the Commission from exercising its discretion in making expenditures pursuant to the Act and Arizona Supreme Court precedent. The Commissioners and staff filed a motion to dismiss all claims because their actions have been and continue to be consistent with state law and the purpose of the Act as enacted by the voters of Arizona. Maricopa County Superior Court Judge Mark H. Brain dismissed the lawsuit. In his ruling, Judge Brain struck down every point raised by the plaintiffs and concluded: "[M]any of the plaintiffs' requests are contrary to the statutory scheme and First Amendment principles." In one of their arguments, the plaintiffs asked the Court to prohibit the Citizens Clean Elections Commission from communicating with alleged "special interest groups" who favor Clean Elections. In his ruling, Judge Brain stated "The Court is unaware of any other situation in which a person or entity has sought to preclude a government commission from communicating with the citizenry—that's not how government works. Indeed, the criticism generally leveled at government is that it is not responsive to members of the public, not that it responds to them." After telling members of the press that they intended to appeal, plaintiffs quietly dropped their lawsuit and decided not to challenge Judge Brain's ruling.

# LEGISLATION

The following is a summary of how HB 2779, signed into law by Governor Brewer on April 12, 2012, affected the Citizens Clean Elections Act.

- Revised the qualifying period to begin on the first day of August preceding an election year, an increase of six months for legislative candidates. The qualifying period now ends one week prior to the primary election.
- Provided candidates the authority to accept qualifying contributions with an electronic signature.
- Made ineligible to be certified as a participating candidate any candidate who was removed from office by the Commission or a candidate delinquent in payment of debt to the Commission.
- Increased the initial random sample of qualifying contributions selected by the Secretary of State for purposes of verification from 5% to 20% for legislative candidates.
- Placed a 10% cap on public education expenses; excludes expenses for debates and the candidate statement pamphlets from this cap.
- Removed equalizing funding language struck down by the Supreme Court in *Arizona Free Enterprise v. Bennett*.
- Allowed the Commission to deliver candidate statement pamphlets by methods other than direct mail.
- Removed the optional check-off box on tax forms, which allowed taxpayers to designate a five dollar voluntary contribution to the Clean Elections fund.
- Removed the dollar-for-dollar tax credit for donations to the Clean Elections fund.



# FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Citizens Clean Elections Commission funding comes from a few different sources:

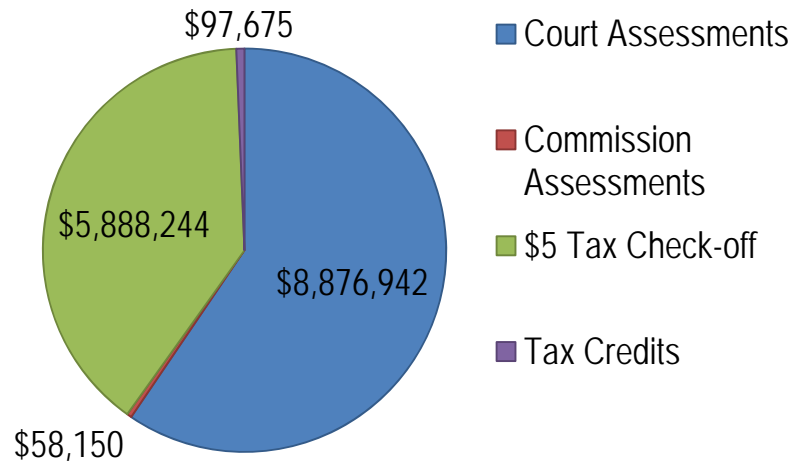
- 10% surcharge on all civil penalties and criminal fines
- Civil penalties paid by candidates.
- \$5 qualifying contributions collected from participating candidates.

In the past, Arizona citizens could contribute voluntarily through a \$5 check-off box on Arizona state income tax return forms and through dollar for dollar tax credits. This portion of the Act was removed, effective August 2, 2012.

Rather than taking money from taxpayers, Clean Elections has donated \$74 million to the State's General Fund since the beginning of the Act.

The removal of the \$5 check-off box on Arizona state income tax return forms and dollar for dollar tax credits caused a decrease in revenue to the Fund, and as a result the Commission was unable to transfer excess monies to the General Fund in 2012.

## REVENUE SOURCES



## REVENUE

2012 Revenues	Actual
Court Assessments	\$ 8,876,942
Commission Assessments	\$ 58,150
\$5 Tax Check-off	\$ 5,888,244
Tax Credits	\$ 97,675
Candidate \$5 Dollar Qualifying Contributions	\$ 143,965
Miscellaneous	\$ 19,776

## CALENDAR YEAR 2012 EXPENDITURES

Admin & Enforcement	Voter Education	Public Education	Total Expenditures
\$506,397	\$ 2,423,001	\$2,408,582	\$8,650,260

## TRANSFER

Transfers to General Fund	
Total to Date	\$ 74,000,000.00



# 2012 COMMISSION & STAFF

## Commissioners

Lori S. Daniels (R), 2012 Chair  
Maricopa County  
*Appointed 2008*

Jeffrey Fairman (D)  
Pinal County  
*Appointed 2007*

Louis J. Hoffman (D)  
Maricopa County  
*Appointed 2009*

Timothy J. Reckart (R)  
Pima County  
*Appointed 2011*

Thomas J. Koester (I)  
Pima County  
*Appointed 2011*

## Commission Staff

Todd F. Lang, Executive Director  
Colleen McGee, Deputy Director  
Daniel Ruiz II, Public Information Officer  
Sara A. Larsen, Campaign Finance Manager  
Paula Thomas, Executive Assistant

## Commission Structure & Mission

The Citizens Clean Elections Commission was established by the Citizens Clean Elections Act, A.R.S., Title 16, Chapter 6, Article 2. In addition to administering the provisions of Article 2, the Commission promulgates rules and enforces A.R.S. §§ 16-940 through 16-961.

The Commission's mission is to fairly, faithfully, and fully implement and administer the Citizens Clean Elections Act.

The Citizens Clean Elections Commission consists of five members. All members must be registered to vote in the State of Arizona. No more than two members of the Commission may be members of the same political party. No more than two members of the Commission may be residents of the same county.

# 2012 COMMISSIONER BIOGRAPHIES

## **Lori S. Daniels - Republican - Maricopa County (2012 Chairwoman)**

Secretary of State Jan Brewer appointed former State Senator Lori Daniels for a five year term that will expire January 31, 2013. Commissioner Daniels served ten years in the State Legislature, eight in the House of Representatives and two in the Senate. While a member of the House of Representatives, Ms. Daniels served as the House Majority Leader from 1997 to 2000. In addition to her service in the State Legislature, Commissioner Daniels has served in the Ahwatukee, Gilbert and Chandler Chambers of Commerce as well as working with the United Way, Junior Achievement and Soroptimist. She is a resident of Maricopa County.

## **Jeffrey L Fairman - Democrat - Pinal County**

Governor Janet Napolitano appointed Casa Grande resident Jeffrey Fairman (D) in 2007 for a 5-year term that will expire January 31, 2012. Commissioner Fairman is the former Economic Development Director for the City of Avondale. In addition, Mr. Fairman served on many area entities including GPEC, the Arizona Association for Economic Development, and the Peoria Sports Complex and is currently the Business Development Representative for Sundt. Commissioner Fairman is the first Pinal County resident to serve on the Commission.

## **Louis Hoffman - Democrat – Maricopa County**

Former Attorney General Terry Goddard appointed Louis Hoffman. Commissioner Hoffman earned his undergraduate degree from Princeton University and his law degree from Harvard Law School. Mr. Hoffman moved to Arizona in 1984 and joined the law firm of Brown & Bain. In 1991 Commissioner Hoffman started the law firm of Louis J. Hoffman, P.C. (now the Hoffman Patent Firm) to assist inventors and companies in protecting patents, copyrights, and trademarks. As one of the original drafters of the Citizens Clean Elections Act, Commissioner Hoffman has been at the forefront of campaign finance reform in Arizona. Commissioner Hoffman has been married to his wife, Kathy, for 24 years and has two children, Seth and Ellie. His term will expire on January 31, 2014.

## **Timothy J. Reckart- Republican– Pima County**

Governor Jan Brewer appointed Timothy Reckart to the Citizens Clean Elections Commission to serve a term ending January 31, 2015. Mr. Reckart is a partner of the law firm of Rusing Lopez & Lizardi, PLLC where his practice focuses on the formation and venture financing of emerging growth companies, intellectual property transactions and commercial corporate matters. He holds a bachelor's degree in nuclear engineering from MIT, a master's degree in nuclear engineering from the University of California, Berkley and an MBA and law degree from Stanford University. Mr. Reckart has been married to his wife, Jane, for 29 years and has six children, Angela, Timothy Jr., Daniel, Justin, Madeline and Elizabeth.

## **Thomas J. Koester – Independent - Pima County**

Corporation Commissioner Paul Newman appointed Thomas Koester, an Independent, to the Citizens Clean Elections Commission for a 5-year terms expiring January 31, 2016. Commissioner Koester served as Vice President of Morgan Stanley for 38 years. In addition, Mr. Koester served honorably in the United States Air Force, achieving the rank of Captain. Commissioner Koester and his wife, Patricia, currently reside in Tucson. They have three sons.

# STAFF DUTIES

## **Todd F. Lang - Executive Director**

Facilitate achievement of the Commission's goals and objectives. Direct agency operations and supervise staff, advise and support the Commission, oversee and monitor the implementation of the Commission policies and procedures, publications and forms. Advise the Commission on potential and pending issues and provide and establish efficient and effective mechanisms of communication among various stakeholders of the Act. Oversee and monitor the implementation of Commission policies and procedures. Set agenda and prepare materials for Commission and committee meetings. Serve as the Commission's representative to the Legislative and Executive Branch. Educate and assist candidates in compliance with reporting requirements, limits, and prohibitions, and assist candidates in participating and obtaining public funding.

## **Colleen McGee - Deputy Director**

Serve as advisor to the Executive Director and assist in the daily administration and management of agency operations. Provide assistance and support to Executive Director in all aspects of staff supervision including program management, performance evaluations, strategic planning, implementation of Commission policies and special projects as requested. Provide oversight, direction and assistance to agency staff on voter education, public relations, candidate education, candidate debates, compliance programs, budgeting, annual reports, financial systems and other areas as directed or needed. Serve in an external relations function through public speaking engagements, and through membership, participation and involvement in relevant civic and professional organizations. Assist Executive Director in serving as a liaison to state agencies, legislators, other intergovernmental jurisdictions. Acts as the agency's Information & Technology coordinator

## **Daniel Ruiz II – Public Information Officer**

Responsible for the development and distribution of the Candidate Statement Pamphlet to every household with a registered voter. Provide advice and guidance to debate sponsors and candidates for candidate debates. Manage all aspects of publicity, marketing and educational publications for the Commission, including advertising the Commission activities for debates, candidate statement pamphlets, and tax donations in newspapers, on radio, and other media. Travel statewide to provide educational seminars to candidate committees and community groups. Work with elected officials, community leaders, large and small employers, political parties, media and other state and local officials to enhance the understanding of the Act. Update interested parties on topics of interest regarding the Act. Provide updates for the website. Create informational brochures and handouts for distribution to voters. Establish fundamental measures for the execution of bi-yearly market research. Develop, maintain, and manage complex database applications to support administration of all Commission programs and activities.

## **Sara Larsen - Campaign Finance Manager**

Monitor and review both participating candidate campaign finance reports. Maintain contact with campaign treasurers and Secretary of State Elections staff. Responsible for the enforcement complaint process, including investigation and analysis; making recommendations to the Executive Director regarding the statute or rule violation; and tracking each complaint on the complaint tracking database program. Determines one-party-dominant legislative districts.

## **Paula Thomas - Executive Assistant**

Manage human resource procedures and systems requirements. Serve as agency liaison to candidates and other state agencies. Provide technical service, assistance and training to Commission staff. Assist the Executive Director in the development of operating policies and procedures; assist in long-range organization planning; conduct special studies; recommend changes to correct operating deficiencies; recommend improvements to the provision of services to the public; prepare administrative directives; provide assistance and guidance as requested; represent the Executive Director at meetings involving personnel, government officials, political candidates and public leaders; prepare a variety of administrative reports; supervise personnel; assist Executive Director in executing the Citizens Clean Elections Act.

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