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October 22, 2018

Delivered electronically to "jackie4fcc@gmail.com"

Subject: PDC Case 40294

Dear Jacqueline Lopez Giddens:

As noted below, the PDC will not be conducting a more formal investigation into these allegations or taking further enforcement action in this matter. There was no evidence of violation regarding the August, 2018 radio ads.

If you have questions, you may contact Micaiah Ragins at 1-360-586-4555 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail at pdcc@pdcc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

/s _____
Micaiah Ragins
Compliance Coordinator

Endorsed by,

/s _____
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Subject: Complaint regarding Jackie Lopez Giddens, PDC Case 40294

Dear Michael Killian:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) has completed its review of the complaint you filed on August 20, 2018. Your complaint alleged that Jacqueline Lopez Giddens, a first-time candidate seeking the office of County Clerk for Franklin County, may have violated RCW 42.17A.235 for failure to timely and accurately file Monetary Contribution reports (C-3 reports) and Summary Full Campaign Contribution and Expenditure reports (C-4 reports) during the 2018 election campaign.

PDC staff reviewed your allegations, the statutes and rules, the C-3 and C-4 reports filed by the Committee to Elect Jacqueline Lopez Giddens (Campaign), and the responses from Jacqueline Lopez Giddens. As a result of staff’s initial review, we found the following:

- On April 6, 2018, Jacqueline Giddens filed a Candidate Registration (C-1 report) declaring her candidacy for County Clerk of Franklin County.
- The Campaign stated in the response that the \$740.00 expenditure for the fair booth was paid on August 7, 2018 and that the radio ads were paid on August 2, 2017. Jacqueline Lopez Giddens stated that the C-4 report for the items identified in the complaint was timely filed on September 10, 2018, covering the period of July 31, 2018 to August 31, 2018.
- The Campaign provided invoices and receipts from Jacobs Radio which confirmed that the radio ads identified in the complaint were paid on August 2, 2018. The Campaign also provided a receipt from the Benton Franklin Fair & Rodeo which indicated that the fair booth was paid on August 7, 2018. There is sufficient evidence to demonstrate that the fair booth, fair materials,

and radio advertisements were paid for during the month of August and were therefore timely disclosed on the C-4 report filed on September 10, 2018.

Based on these findings, staff has determined that no evidence supports a material violation warranting further investigation.

The PDC has closed the matter, and will not be conducting a more formal investigation into your complaint or pursuing further enforcement action in this case.

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