

Complaint Description

File a Formal Complaint - Kelly D Wright

[Kwright](#) reported (Sat, 20 Oct at 10:29 PM)

During this year, this party committee has declared:

PROCEEDS FROM LOW COST FUNDRAISER Cash \$2,421.00

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS Cash \$1,583.50

This total exceeds the 1% of total contributions or \$300 dollars for anonymous contributions allowed by law. If the source of these funds cannot be identified, this money must be given to the State without delay.

The 3 C-3 reports, 100862222, 100862223 and 10562225 all report proceeds from “low cost fundraiser” All of this fund raising activity took place at the “Blue Wave Gala” with \$100 ticket price. This event did not qualify as a “low cost fundraiser” by PDC rules outlined

at: <https://www.pdc.wa.gov/learn/publications/candidate-instructions/contributions/low-cost-fund-raisers>

The aggregate total of listed for these low cost fund raisers that took place at the “Blue Wave Gala” is \$2,221

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

The fundamental principle of public disclosure is that the public has a right to know where money is coming from to fund political campaigns. The Snohomish County Democrats have collected money from unreported sources in violation of state law and contributed it to candidates, subverting the public’s right to know who funds political campaigns.

List of attached evidence or contact information where evidence may be found.

PDC reports

List of potential witnesses with contact information to reach them.

Eric HALVORSON

Complaint Certification:

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.