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To: Mark Skoglund <Mark.Skoglund@ks.gov>

Subject: Sedgwick County Democrat Central Committee Complaint

Mark Skoglund,

I am filing a complaint against the Sedgwick County Democratic Central Committee, 111 S. Hydraulic, Wichita, KS 67211 county political party campaign reports filed for reporting periods 7/27/18-10/25/18, 10/26/18-12/31/18 and 1/1/19-12/31/19. After reviewing the Receipts & Expenditures reports from the Sedgwick County Democrat Central Committee, it has come to my attention that there is a gross misrepresentation of their financial dealings. A quick cross reference shows they have received and spent funds well in excess of what they have reported as under 50.00 per transaction or claim they cannot identify their donors. Having filed 3 reports in a row demonstrates it is not an error but intentional misconduct in violation of state statute.

I am filing a complaint with the Kansas Governmental Ethics Commission and asking for an audit to be done of the Sedgwick County Democrat Central Committee reports for these 3 past reports. It is important that our political parties, candidates, and political action committees maintain transparency and accountability with the public. The SCDCC should not be allowed to hide their donor names that have contributed \$40,000 dollars from the ethics commission and also hide how they spend over \$43,000 to influence the public in elections. Because of their lack of transparency and accountability, the Sedgwick County Democrat Party has failed in their responsibility to the citizens of Sedgwick County and our state.

Documents showing egregious errors have been submitted previously.

Benjamin Saucedo