

# OCPF Reports



## From the Director

As we approach the 2010 election season, OCPF's emphasis now turns to ensuring that all candidates on the state ballot understand their campaign disclosure obligations, that the limited public financing system for statewide candidates is implemented smoothly, and that we are available to provide accurate assistance to all entities involved in campaigns.

For example, as you can read elsewhere in this edition, we will be conducting seven seminars in July in different regions of the state to educate candidates, treasurers, and the public about the campaign finance law. The sites were selected based on an analysis of where many of our newly organized candidates reside. We will also continue to hold our weekly seminar every Wednesday at 2 p.m. in our Boston office.

We've also been busy preparing regulations to implement the many changes made to the law that went into effect on January 1, 2010. Among those changes are timelier reporting of large, late contributions and independent expenditures, sub vendor reporting, disclosure of electioneering communications, and expanding reporting requirements of

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## Late, large contributions must be disclosed near election day

A new change to the campaign finance law requires candidates to file late contribution reports for the first time this year. The reports disclose large campaign contributions that are deposited shortly before a primary or general election.

The change specifically requires candidates to disclose, within 72 hours, contributions of \$500 or more that are deposited within 18 days before an election.

The reports are not required for large deposits that are made within three days before an election (in the 2010 general election, for example, reports would not have to be filed for late contributions deposited from Oct. 30 to Nov. 1, the three days prior to the Nov. 2 election).

Late contribution reports are required for candidates running for the House and Senate, as well as statewide, county and state ballot question committees.

Late contribution reports are required to be filed if deposits are made between these dates:

**Pre-Primary:** Aug. 28 to Sept. 10.

**Pre-Election:** Oct. 16 to Oct. 29.

Candidates can file the reports using OCPF's reporting software, Reporter 5, or Web Reporter, a Web-based reporting system.

Technical assistance is available by calling OCPF at 617-979-8300.

### Example: 72-Hour Report

A candidate for state representative receives a \$1,500 contribution from the state party committee on Oct. 22, 11 days before the Nov. 2 election. The candidate deposits the check on Oct. 23. The campaign has received and deposited a check for \$500 or more within 18 days of an election, but not within three days prior, and is now required to electronically file a late contribution report with OCPF within 72 hours of deposit.

## Nearly \$660,000 spent in two special Senate elections

Ten candidates in the May 11 special Senate elections spent an average of \$65,872 each, 12 percent less than Senate candidates in the 2008 general election.

Nearly \$660,000 was spent to fill vacancies in seats previously held by senators Scott Brown of Wrentham

(Norfolk, Bristol & Middlesex District) and Anthony Galluccio of Cambridge (Middlesex, Suffolk & Essex District).

The winners were Sal DiDomenico of Everett, who reported spending \$124,627 to replace Galluccio, and former state Rep. Richard Ross, who won Brown's former seat and reported \$49,866 in ex-

penditures. DiDomenico's opponent in the final election, John Cesan of Agawam, reported spending \$63. Ross defeated Peter Smulowitz of Needham, who reported spending \$113,688.

Timothy Flaherty of Cambridge led all candidates in

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# OCPF state election seminars scheduled

OCPF is conducting seven seminars across the Commonwealth in July for candidates, political committees and the public. We will cover the rules on raising and spending money, new changes to the campaign finance law, restrictions on public employees and the use of public resources, and how to file disclosure reports. The locations are centrally located in various regions of the state.

Candidates and political committees from all communities are invited to the most convenient seminar of their choice.

**Fall River:** July 8, 7 p.m., City Hall

**Quincy:** July 13, 6:30 p.m., City Hall

**Stoneham:** July 14, 7 p.m., Town Hall

**Orange:** July 21, 7 p.m., Town Hall



**West Springfield:** July 27, 6:30 p.m., City Hall

**Andover:** July 28, 7 p.m., Town Hall

**Marlborough:** July 29, 7 p.m., City Hall

**Boston:** Each Wednesday, 2 p.m., OCPF, One Ashburton Place, Room 411

## Mayoral candidates report record spending

Mayoral candidates running for election across Massachusetts in 2009 reported campaign expenditures of \$7.5 million for the year, breaking the previous high of \$6.2 million set in 2005, according to a campaign finance study recently compiled by the Office of Campaign and Political Finance.

The expenditure record was reached, in large part, due to the Boston mayoral contest. Mayor Thomas Menino and former City Councilor Michael Flaherty reported total expenditures of \$4.1 million, a new high for a mayoral race. The previous record of \$2.4 million was set in 2005 when Menino was challenged by former City Councilor Maura Hennigan.

Menino broke the spending record for a single mayoral campaign, reporting expenditures of \$2.7 million in 2009. The previous high of \$1.7 million was set by the Menino campaign in 2005.

The OCPF study, compiled every two years since 1997, includes campaign finance data filed by 73 mayoral finalists in 38 communities in 2009. Candidates were not included in the analysis if they lost in the preliminary elections. The study summarizes the financial activity of finalists for the entire 2009 calendar year.

Total expenditures have increased steadily since 1997, a growth reflected in the average amount spent per vote. Candidates spent \$16.44 per

vote in 2009, 2 ½ times the amount spent 12 years ago. Menino topped all 73 candidates in per-vote spending at \$42.40 (he received 63,123 votes).

Campaign expenditures in 2009 generally correlate with success – the top spender in the 31 contested elections won 22 races, or 71 percent of the time.

Total fundraising by mayoral candidates during 2009 was \$5.5 million, the second highest amount recorded in an OCPF study. Menino led all candidates in fundraising with \$1.5 million in 2009, followed by his challenger, Flaherty, with \$880,314. Quincy Mayor Thomas Koch raised the third highest

amount with \$325,805.

The 2009 mayoral races featured 25 incumbents on the final ballot, five of which were defeated in Brockton, Lynn, North Adams, Westfield and Worcester. Three incumbents were defeated in the preliminary elections in Agawam, Greenfield and Fall River.

Mayoral candidates from Boston, Springfield and Worcester report their campaign finance activity directly to OCPF. All other candidates reported to local election officials in 2009. Starting in 2011, mayoral candidates in cities with populations between 40,000 and 100,000 will begin reporting electronically to OCPF.

### Campaign Finance Activity by Mayoral Candidates, 1997—2009

Year	Number of candidates	Receipts		Expenditures		Average spent per
		Total	Median	Total	Median	
1997	66	\$3,708,975	\$28,157	\$3,835,055	\$27,127	\$6.63
1999	69	\$3,198,736	\$32,289	\$3,284,268	\$23,388	\$7.44
2001	76	\$4,546,947	\$32,644	\$5,852,880	\$33,040	\$11.70
2003	70	\$3,587,911	\$31,586	\$3,949,051	\$27,672	\$11.03
2005	71	\$5,778,781	\$30,021	\$6,209,404	\$27,621	\$14.18
2007	69	\$3,577,819	\$29,122	\$3,914,462	\$25,339	\$12.23
2009	73	\$5,549,845	\$30,523	\$7,528,316	\$28,924	\$16.44

# Recent Cases and Rulings

OCPF audits all campaign finance reports and reviews all complaints alleging violations of the campaign finance law. These audits and reviews may result in enforcement actions or rulings such as public resolution letters, disposition agreements or referral to the Office of the Attorney General for further action.

A **disposition agreement** is a voluntary written agreement entered into between the subject of a review and OCPF, in which the subject agrees to take certain specific actions.

A **public resolution letter** may be issued in instances where the office found "no reason to believe" a violation occurred; where "no further action" or investigation is warranted; or where a subject "did not comply" with the law but, in OCPF's view, the case is able to be settled in an informal fashion with an educational letter or a requirement that some corrective action be taken. A public resolution letter does not necessarily imply a wrongdoing on the part of a

subject and does not require agreement by a subject.

OCPF does not comment on any matter under review, nor does the office confirm or deny that it has received a specific complaint. The identity of any complainant is kept confidential. Public resolution letters and disposition agreements are matters of public record once cases are concluded.

An **advisory opinion** is a response from OCPF to a specific question asked by an individual, political committee, group, company or organization concerning the campaign finance law.

## Public Resolution Letters

**CPF-09-96: Stephen LeDuc, Marlborough.** Did not comply (reporting, personal use); 4/27/2010. The candidate spent \$825 in campaign funds for personal use, and the committee did not file 2009 year-

end campaign finance report in a timely manner. LeDuc reimbursed his committee \$557 and paid an additional \$768 to the state's general fund (\$268 as the balance for funds used for personal reasons, \$340 as a late-filing fine, and \$160 to reimburse the state for the cost of its review).

**CPF-10-06: Harold "Jack" Sisson, Westport.** Did not comply (disclosure); 4/27/2010. The Sisson campaign committee did not disclose information relating to a fundraising event held on Oct. 26, 2008, on its year-end report. The event was held to raise funds to pay for legal expenses in a matter arising from Sisson's performance of duties as highway surveyor. The committee amended the 2008 year-end report to include the receipts and expenditures in connection with the event.

## CPF-10-21: Dennis McManus, Worcester County Clerk of Courts.

Did not comply (personal use); 5/11/2010. The candidate did not fully reimburse his campaign for the personal use of the vehicle leased by his campaign committee. The committee made vehicle-related expenditures of approximately \$25,000 from 2007 to 2010. The candidate reimbursed the committee \$2,511 for the personal use of the vehicle during that time. After OCPF initiated its review, the candidate made an additional payment to the committee of \$8,046, which the candidate determined was needed to address an increase in personal mileage from November 2008 to the summer of 2009. The candidate also reimbursed the committee \$610, the amount of an insurance

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spending, reporting \$154,753 in expenditures. He lost in the Democratic primary.

The 10 candidates also raised a total of \$667,404 since Jan. 1.

Candidates in the special elections generally spent less than senate candidates in the 2008 state election, who averaged \$74,883 in expenditures.

Special election candidates were required to file reports eight days before the primary, eight days before the election and 30 days after the election. Candidates who do not file reports are assessed fines of \$25-a-day until the reports are filed.

Candidates in a third special election, to fill a House seat in Lawrence, are not required to file their 30-day-after report until July 15. Their data is not included here.

### Norfolk, Bristol & Middlesex District, State Senate

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Brown

Candidate	Receipts (Starting Jan. 1)	Expenditures (Starting Jan. 1)
Lida Harkins, Needham (D)	\$56,949	\$60,640
* Richard Ross, Wrentham (R)	\$95,469	\$49,866
Peter Smulowitz, Needham (D)	\$113,688	\$142,915
Totals	\$266,107	\$253,422

### Middlesex, Suffolk & Essex District, State Senate

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Galluccio

Candidate	Receipts (Starting Jan. 1)	Expenditures (Starting Jan. 1)
Michael Albano, Chelsea (D)	\$46,241 (Incomplete)	\$35,716 (Incomplete)
Dennis Benzan, Belmont (D)	\$44,083	\$41,996
John Cesan, Agawam, No Party	\$63 (Incomplete)	\$63 (Incomplete)
* Sal DiDomenico, Everett (D)	\$108,955	\$124,627
Timothy Flaherty, Cambridge (D)	\$154,289	\$154,753
Daniel Hill, Charlestown (D)	\$7,504 (Incomplete)	\$9,917 (Incomplete)
Denise Simmons, Cambridge (D)	\$40,162	\$38,233
Totals	\$401,297	\$405,307

\* Winner **Note:** Candidate totals are incomplete if they did not file a 30-day-after report by June 15

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surcharge that had been paid by the committee.

**CPF-10-43: Russell Holmes, Dorchester.** No further action (solicitation in building used for governmental purposes); 5/14/2010. The Holmes campaign sent a letter soliciting contributions to public employees at their place of employment but did not receive any contributions as a result. Sending solicitations to state, county or municipal employees at the place of their employment is inconsistent with Section 14.

**CPF-10-30: Thomas Twining, Sherborn.** Did not comply (corporate contribution); 5/18/2010. The Twining Committee received a corporate in-kind contribution when it used a bulk mail permit provided by the Small Business Association to send campaign materials to voters. To resolve the matter, the committee made a \$370 payment to the state's general fund, the amount reflecting the cost to obtain a bulk mail permit. The committee also amended its campaign finance report to reflect an in-kind contribution.

**CPF-10-17: Worcester Police Officials Union IBPO Local 504 PAC.** No further action (reporting); 5/18/2010. Because the PAC primarily raises and spends money to influence city campaigns, it should consider filing with the city clerk rather than with OCPF.

**CPF-10-17: Virginia Ryan, Worcester.** No further action (reporting); 5/18/2010. Ryan filed an

independent expenditure report disclosing an expenditure of \$1,400 for a TV ad opposing three local candidates. Because she raised funds to oppose candidates, Ryan should have organized a political action committee rather than file an independent expenditure report.

**CPF-10-17: NAGE/IBPO, Quincy.** Did not comply (independent expenditure); 5/18/2010. NAGE/IBPO did not disclose in a timely manner \$1,350 it spent on a radio ad to oppose local candidates in Worcester. To resolve this matter, NAGE filed the required report and made a \$500 payment to the state's general fund.

## Advisory Opinions

**AO-10-03:** Contributions may be received by text message, but only if the committee receiving the contributions ensures that the contributions comply with the limits of the campaign finance law and are properly disclosed.

**AO-10-04:** The conference center portion of the UMass-Lowell Inn & Conference Center may be used for political fundraising events. The conference center is separate and distinct from the residential portion of the building, which is located in the upper floors. Although there is a resident assistant employed by the university in the residence area, neither the resident assistant nor the students would be subjected to political fundraising pressures since the fundraising events would be located in a separate part of the building.

**AO-10-05:** A candidate may use Facebook to help

raise funds. A link on the candidate's Facebook page may direct contributors to another Web site where the contribution is actually made, but only if the committee receiving the contributions ensures that the contributions are received in a manner that complies with the campaign finance law and are properly disclosed.

**AO-10-06:** A candidate owns a pub. He is also employed by a municipal zoning board of appeals, for which he receives a \$75-a-month stipend and is therefore a public employee subject to Section 13. As such, he may not use his pub as the venue for a fundraising event to benefit his campaign for Governor's Council, as that would involve indirect solicitations or receipt of contributions.

**AO-10-07:** Where a business owner displays campaign signs on business trucks, and then tells the candidate, this is an independent expenditure, and not a contribution. Merely informing the candidate that he would be doing this does not mean that the expenditure was coordinated.

**AO-10-08:** Contributions received by a candidate for governor and separately by a candidate for lieutenant governor running as a team, may count toward the amount needed to qualify (\$125,000) for public financing, i.e., if a person contributes \$250 or less during the election cycle to the gubernatorial candidate, and also contributes \$250 or less to the candidate for lieutenant governor, both contributions may count toward the \$125,000 requirement.

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## Recently Organized PACs

Several Political Action Committees were formed during the first five months of 2010. A PAC is an organization or other group of people who raise or spend money for the *primary* purpose of influencing the election of candidates.

**Hillary Rodham Clinton Legacy PAC,** Waltham, May 3.

**Cambodian & Community Political Action Committee,** Dracut, April 6.

**Mass. Independent Party PAC,** Marshfield, April 1.

**The PAC for Home Care,** Braintree, April 1.

**Lawrence Teachers Union Committee on Political Action,** Haverhill, March 10.

**Dunkin' Donuts Franchise Owners PAC,** Chestnut Hill, Jan. 27.

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# Recently Organized with OCPF

## House

**Dylan T. Ferreira**, Fall River, 8th Bristol, Democrat, 3/18.

**Rodney Arvid Josephson**, Barre, 5th Worcester, Republican, 3/19.

**Mark A. Del Negro**, Agawam, 3rd Hampden, Democrat, 3/19.

**Stefan Racz**, Shelburne Falls, 2nd Berkshire, 3/23.

**Paul Adams**, Andover, 17th Essex, Republican, 3/23.

**Martin J. Scafidi**, Peabody, 12th Essex, Republican, 3/23.

**Christopher Asselin**, Springfield, 9th Hampden, Democrat, 3/24.

**Denise Andrews**, Orange, 2nd Franklin, Democrat, 3/24.

**James J. Lyons Jr.**, Andover, 18th Essex, Republican, 3/26.

**Enrique Matos**, Lawrence, 16th Essex, Republican, 3/26.

**Christopher M. Markey**, Dartmouth, 9th Bristol, Democrat, 3/29.

**Ivo Almeida**, Acushnet, 11th Bristol, Republican, 4/2.

**Anthony Saboliauskas**, Pepperell, 1st Middlesex, Republican, 4/5.

**Amy Feeley-Knuuttila**, Winchendon, 2nd Worcester, Democrat, 4/7.

**Donald Sharry**, Worcester, 13th Worcester, Democrat, 4/7.

**Raymond A. Igou**, Saugus, 9th Essex, Republican, 4/7.

**Jeffrey A. Herman**, Jamaica Plain, 15th Suffolk, Democrat, 4/7.

**Charles Case Jr.**, Centerville, 2nd Barnstable, Republican, 4/7.

**Tackey Chan**, Quincy, 2nd Norfolk, Democrat, 4/8.

**Sean J. Burke**, New Bedford, 11th Bristol, Democrat, 4/12.

**Joffrey A. Smith**, Worcester, 13th Worcester, Democrat, 4/12.

**Katherine Kozitza**, Swampscott, 8th Essex, Republican, 4/14.

**Chally Ramos**, Lawrence, 16th Essex, Democrat, 4/15.

**Rafael Gadea**, Lawrence, 16th Essex, 4/15.

**Robert Tavares Jr.**, Dartmouth, 9th Bristol, Democrat, 4/16.

**Daniel Bennett**, Danvers, 13th Essex, Republican, 4/20.

**Robert Clay Walsh**, Lynn, 9th Essex, Libertarian, 4/20.

**Jared Valanzola**, Rockland, 5th Plymouth, Republican, 4/20.

**Philip J. Lahey**, Methuen, 15th Essex, 4/21.

**Matthew J. Sheehan**, Dracut, 36th Middlesex, 4/22.

**Denis M. Leary**, Shrewsbury, 11th Worcester, Democrat, 4/23.

**Richard J. Cannava**, Medford, 34th Middlesex, 4/23.

**John Iredale**, Quincy, 2nd Norfolk, Republican, 4/23.

**James P. Regan**, Braintree, 5th Norfolk, Democrat, 4/27.

**Priscilla Noreen Suriner**, Middlefield, 2nd Berkshire, Democrat, 4/27.

**Jarrett Scarpaci**, Billerica, 22nd Middlesex, Democrat, 4/27.

**Patricia Commene**, Andover, 17th Essex, Democrat, 4/27.

**Karl Roos**, Quincy, 2nd Norfolk, 4/29.

**Hector Montalvo**, Methuen, 15th Essex, 4/29.

**Michael Finn**, West Springfield, 6th Hampden, Democrat, 5/4.

**James M. Daiute**, Braintree, 5th Norfolk, Democrat, 5/5.

**Michael S. Jaynes**, Southbridge, 6th Worcester, Republican, 5/7.

**Kathleen WC Winslow**, Concord, 14th Middlesex, 5/10.

**David S. Mercer**, Framingham, 7th Middlesex, Republican, 5/11.

**Kevin Begley**, North Andover, 14th Essex, Republican, 5/13.

**Carolyn A. Kamuda**, Gardner, 2nd Worcester, 5/14.

**Bruce R. Card**, Worcester, 13th Worcester, 5/14.

**Timothy F. Finnerty**, Hingham, 3rd Plymouth, Republican, 5/17.

**George D. Boag**, Dracut, 36th Middlesex, Republican, 5/18.

**Gina M. DiBaro**, Worcester, 13th Worcester, Democrat, 5/20.

**Robert Joyce**, Roslindale, 10th Suffolk, Democrat, 5/21.

**Timothy A. Dodd**, Westborough, 9th Worcester, Democrat, 5/21.

**Paul Dan Clifford**, Braintree, 5th Norfolk, 5/21.

**Donald Wong**, Saugus, 9th Essex, Republican, 5/24.

**Patrick Gerry**, Gardner, 2nd Worcester, Democrat, 5/24.

**Mark Cusack**, Braintree, 5th Norfolk, Democrat, 5/25.

**Gary Mahoney**, Framingham, 7th Middlesex, Republican, 5/26.

**Korey Welch**, Rockland, 5th Plymouth, Republican, 5/26.

**Sarah Sullivan**, Boston, 17th Suffolk, Democrat, 5/26.

**David Roulston**, Greenfield, 2nd Franklin, Democrat, 6/2.

**George Georgountzos**, Stoneham, 31st Middlesex, Republican, 6/2.

**John Bortone**, Newton, 12th Middlesex, Democrat, 6/7.

**Lance Lambros**, Sandwich, 5th Barnstable, Democrat, 6/8.

**Robert Finneran**, Newbury, 2nd Essex, Republican, 6/8.

**James Pillsbury**, Framingham, 6th Middlesex, 6/8.

**Jim Rizoli**, Framingham, 6th Middlesex, 6/8.

**Roseanne Frieri**, Richmond, 2nd Berkshire, Republican, 6/8.

**Mark Miller**, Pittsfield, 3rd Berkshire, 6/8.

**George Jacome**, Fall River, 8th Bristol, 6/8.

**John Rodrigues**, Fall River, 8th Bristol, Democrat, 6/8.

**Joseph Michaud**, Dartmouth, 9th Bristol, Republican, 6/8.

**Russell Protentis**, Lakeville, 9th Bristol, 6/8.

**Stanley Frank Novak**, North Andover, 14th Essex, Republican, 6/8.

**Al DiNuccio**, Methuen, 15th Essex, Republican, 6/8.

**Frank Bonet**, Lawrence, 17th Essex, Democrat, 6/8.

**Joshua Carpenter**, Springfield, 12th Hampden, Republican, 6/8.

**Daniel Sandell**, Amherst, 3rd Hampshire, Republican, 6/8.

**Kevin Conway**, Billerica, 22nd Middlesex, Democrat, 6/8.

**Lalig Musserian**, Belmont, 24th Middlesex, 6/8.

**Dennis Gianatassio**, Everett, 28th

Middlesex, 6/8.

**John Hanlon**, Everett, 28th Middlesex, 6/8.

**Joseph Keegan**, Quincy, 2nd Norfolk, Democrat, 6/8.

**Gary Lowell**, Weymouth, 3rd Norfolk, 6/8.

**Craig Pina**, Brockton, 9th Plymouth, Republican, 6/9.

**Roy Owens**, Boston, 5th Suffolk, Democratic, 6/9.

**Carlton Chambers**, Hingham, 3rd Plymouth, 6/9.

**Carlos Henriquez**, Boston, 5th Suffolk, Democrat, 6/9.

**Divo Rodrigues Monteiro**, Boston, 6th Suffolk, Democrat, 6/9.

**Colleen O'Neil-Laperriere**, Gardner, 2nd Worcester, 6/9.

**Paul Franco**, Worcester, 13th Worcester, Republican, 6/9.

**Ronal Madnick**, Worcester, 13th Worcester, 6/9.



## Senate

**Daniel Wolf**, Harwich, Cape & Islands, Democrat, 3/22.

**Frank J. Addivinola Jr.**, 1st Suffolk & Middlesex, Republican, 3/23.

**Mark Baldwin**, Andover, 2nd Essex & Middlesex, Republican, 3/24.

**Sean Downing**, Methuen, 1st Essex, Republican, 3/26.

**Jodi B. Obero**, Andover, 2nd Essex & Middlesex, 4/5.

**Kenneth G. Condon**, West Springfield, Hampden, Republican, 4/7.

**Christian Doherty**, Lowell, 1st Middlesex, Democrat, 4/7.

**Paul R. Kearney Jr.**, Cohasset, Norfolk & Plymouth, 4/12.

**Hassan A. Williams**, Roxbury, 2nd Suffolk, Democrat, 4/14.

**Neal Heeren**, Bolton, Worcester & Middlesex, Republican, 4/14.

**Robert A. Magovern**, Agawam, Hampden, Republican, 4/15.

**Ronald R. Patenaude**, West Springfield, Hampden, Democrat, 4/22.

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**Q:** Can a candidate committee list a donor's PO Box as his or her address on campaign finance forms?

**A:** The law states that a donor's residential address should be listed.

**Q:** Is attribution, such as "Paid for by the Committee to Elect," required on lawn signs and mailers?

**A:** The campaign finance law does not require attribution on lawn signs, mailings or fliers.

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**James Crocker**, Osterville, Cape & Islands, Republican, 4/28.

**Richard A. Jolitz**, Beverly, 2nd Essex, Republican, 5/5.

**Patrick J. Rahilly**, North Andover, 2nd Essex & Middlesex, Republican, 5/6.

**James Buba**, Lowell, 1st Middlesex, Republican, 5/20.

**Derek Maksy**, Lakeville, 1st Bristol & Plymouth, Republican, 5/24.

**William Higgins**, Northborough, 1st Worcester, Republican, 5/26.

**Robert Burr Jr.**, Canton, Norfolk, Bristol & Plymouth, Republican, 5/26.

**Richard Livingston**, Milton, Norfolk, Bristol & Plymouth, Republican, 5/27.

**Patrick O'Connor**, Lowell, 1st Middlesex, 5/28.

**Daniel Dewey**, Quincy, Norfolk & Plymouth, Republican, 6/3.

**Lorne Lawless**, Somerset, 1st Bristol & Plymouth, Democrat, 6/3.

**Stephen Cole**, Newburyport, 1st Essex, Republican, 6/3.

**Matthew Fraser**, Salem, 2nd Essex, 6/3.

**Susan Dawson**, Agawam, Hampden, Democrat, 6/3.

**Barbara Bush**, Boston, Middlesex, Suffolk & Essex, Republican, 6/3.

**George Thompson**, Westborough, Middlesex & Worcester, Republican, 6/3.

**Laura Innis**, Quincy, Norfolk & Plymouth, 6/3.

### City Council

**Philip P. Palmieri**, Worcester, Democrat, 4/1.

**Chuck Turner**, Dorchester, Boston, 4/2.

**Charles Yancey**, Roxbury, Boston, 4/2.

**John A. Lysak**, Springfield, Republican, 4/12.

**Zaida Luna**, Springfield, 4/12.

**Michael Fenton**, Springfield, Democrat, 4/12.

**Melvin Edwards**, Springfield, 4/12.

**Henry E. Twiggs**, Springfield, 4/12.

**Paul P. Clancy Jr.**, Worcester, 4/12.

**Barbara G. Haller**, Worcester, 4/12.

**William J. Eddy**, Worcester, 4/12.

### Governor's Council

**Terrence W. Kennedy**, Lynnfield, 6th District, Democrat, 4/1.

**Paul A. Caruccio**, Winthrop, 6th District, Republican, 4/5.

**Nicholas A. Iannuzzi Jr.**, Belmont, 3rd District, 4/21.

**Jacquelyn Payne-Thompson**, Boston, District 4, 5/25.

**Jude Hallahan**, Oak Bluffs, 1st District, Democrat, 6/1.

**Suzanne English-Merullo**, 6th District, Democrat, 6/2.

**Joseph A. Ureneck**, Boston, 1st District, Republican, 6/2.

**Stephen Flynn**, Hull, 4th District, Democrat, 6/2.

**Charles O. Cipollini**, Fall River, 1st District, Republican, 6/2.

**Jeffrey Gregory**, Fall River, 1st District, Democrat, 6/2.

**Patricia Mosca**, Bourne, 1st District, Democrat, 6/2.

**Richard Mitchell**, Natick, 2nd District, 6/2.

**Andrew Mostone**, Winchester, 6th District, 6/2.

### Lieutenant Governor

**Richard P. Purcell**, Holyoke, 3/30.

### County

**Frank A. Beshai**, Worcester, Worcester County Sheriff, Republican, 3/30.

**Michael Chinman**, Milton, District Attorney, Norfolk District, Democrat, 4/2.

**Michael Bradford Day**, Nantucket, Sheriff, Nantucket County, Democrat, 4/12.

**John F. Coffey**, Needham, District Attorney, Norfolk District, 4/15.

**James A. Perelman**, Nantucket, Sheriff, Nantucket County, 5/5.

**William J. Farretta**, Weymouth, Sheriff, Norfolk County, Republican, 5/20.

**Maria Lopes**, Taunton, County Commissioner, Bristol County, Democrat, 6/2.

**Warren Gosson**, Oak Bluffs, Sheriff, Dukes County, 6/2.

**Neal Maciel**, Tisbury, Sheriff, Dukes County, 6/2.

**Stephen A. Chojnacki**, Granby, Sheriff, Hampshire County, Republican, 6/2.

**Michael Tranchita Sr.**, Winchester, Sheriff, Middlesex County, Republican, 6/2.

**Michael O'Brien Kopko**, Nantucket, Sheriff, Nantucket County, Democrat, 6/2.

**Sandra Wright**, Bridgewater, County Commissioner, Plymouth County, Republican, 6/8.

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House and Senate candidates in non-election years. These changes were all enacted to create more transparency in campaign finance disclosure. All of these reports, when filed, will be immediately available on our searchable electronic filing database.

We covered the January 2010 Supreme Court decision, *Citizens United vs. FEC*, in more detail in the previous edition of OCPF Reports, which is available on our Web site. In short, OCPF's position on CU is that although corporations can now make independent expenditures to support or oppose candidates, corporations are still prohibited from making direct contributions to support or oppose candidates. Any independent expenditure by a corporation, however, must be disclosed in accordance with Section 18A of Ch. 55. For more information on this issue, please visit our website at [www.mass.gov/ocpf](http://www.mass.gov/ocpf).

It looks to be a busy summer and fall for everyone involved in the electoral process this year. Please don't hesitate to call us at 617-979-8300 if you have any questions.

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