

## CAMPAIGN FINANCE STATEMENT

File this in lieu of a full report *only if* aggregate receipts, expenditures, or liabilities incurred each did not exceed \$250.00 during the reporting period.

FILER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER		REPORT FILED ON BEHALF OF		CANDIDATE	COMMITTEE	LOBBYIST
NAME OF FILING COMMITTEE, CANDIDATE OR LOBBYIST Rock Copeland						
STREET ADDRESS 1336 Patterson Ave						
CITY Erie			STATE PA		ZIP CODE 16508	
TYPE OF REPORT (CHECK ONE)		NAME OF OFFICE SOUGHT BY CANDIDATE Erie County Council		DISTRICT NO. 3	PARTY Dem	
DATE OF ELECTION						
MO. DAY YEAR						
11 7 2023						
6TH TUESDAY PRE-PRIMARY						
2ND FRIDAY PRE-PRIMARY						
30 DAY POST-PRIMARY						
6TH TUESDAY PRE-ELECTION						
2ND FRIDAY PRE-ELECTION		X				
30 DAY POST-ELECTION						
ANNUAL REPORT						
DATES OF REPORTING PERIOD						
MO. DAY YEAR						
6 5 2023		TO 10 23 2023				
CASH BALANCE AT END OF REPORTING PERIOD:		\$ 0.00				
TOTAL AMOUNT OF FILER'S OUTSTANDING DEBTS OR LIABILITIES AT THE END OF REPORTING PERIOD:		\$ 0.00				
AMENDMENT REPORT?		YES NO				
TERMINATION REPORT?		YES NO				
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY						

## AFFIDAVIT SECTION

## PART I -

If statement is filed on behalf of a Political Committee or Candidates's Committee, the Treasurer must sign here.  
 If statement is filed on behalf of a Candidate, the Candidate must sign here.  
 If statement is filed on behalf of a Contributing Lobbyist, the lobbyist must sign here.

I SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) THAT THE AGGREGATE RECEIPTS OR DISBURSEMENTS OR LIABILITIES INCURRED DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD INDICATED ABOVE DID NOT EXCEED TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00) AND THIS REPORT, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, TRUE, CORRECT AND COMPLETE.	
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS 26 <sup>th</sup> DAY OF October Angela L. Watson NOTARY PUBLIC MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 12-02-2026	SIGNATURE OF PERSON SUBMITTING REPORT Rock Copeland PRINTED NAME 914 460 2889 AREA CODE DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER

## PART II -

If statement is filed on behalf of a Candidate's Authorized Committee, Candidate must sign here.

I SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) THAT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF THIS POLITICAL COMMITTEE HAS NOT VIOLATED ANY PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF JUNE 3, 1937 (P.L. 1333, No. 320) AS AMENDED.	
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS ____ DAY OF _____ 20____ _____ SIGNATURE MY COMMISSION EXPIRES _____ MO. DAY YR.	SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE _____ PRINTED NAME _____ AREA CODE DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING THE CAMPAIGN FINANCE STATEMENT

1. You may file this statement in lieu of a full report when the amount of contributions (including in-kind contributions) received, the amount of money expended and the liabilities incurred *each* did not exceed \$250.00 during the reporting period.
2. File this statement in the office where the nomination petitions, nomination certificate or nomination papers of the candidate(s) supported were filed.
3. **A candidate must file a statement or report that is separate from one filed by her/his authorized committee.**
4. Each statement shall be subscribed and sworn to by the candidate (if it is the candidate's personal report) or the treasurer of the political committee, acknowledging the accuracy of the report. In addition, those reports filed on behalf of a candidate's political committee, authorized by a candidate and created solely for the purpose of influencing an election on behalf of that candidate, shall be subscribed and sworn to by that candidate.
5. Reports must be filed according to the following schedule. For specific dates, consult the Election Calendar.

First report deadline: Cycle 1	Sixth Tuesday Pre-Primary. Reporting period closes 50 days prior to the election. (Required only by statewide candidates on the ballot and political committees supporting statewide candidates.)
Second report deadline: Cycle 2	Second Friday Pre-Primary. Reporting period closes 15 days prior to the election. (Required by all candidates on the ballot and committees supporting such candidates.)
Third report deadline: Cycle 3	30 days Post-Primary. Reporting period closes 20 days after the election. (Required by all candidates on the ballot and committees supporting such candidates.)
Fourth report deadline: Cycle 4	6 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday Pre-Election. Reporting period closes 50 days prior to the election. (Required only by statewide candidates on the ballot and political committees supporting statewide candidates.)
Fifth report deadline: Cycle 5	2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday Pre-Election. Reporting period closes 15 days prior to the election. (Required by all candidates on the ballot and committees supporting such candidates.)
Sixth report deadline: Cycle 6	30 days Post-Election. Reporting period closes 20 days after the election. (Required by all candidates on the ballot and committees supporting such candidates.)
Annual report deadline: Cycle 7	January 31 <sup>st</sup> of the following year. Statement must be complete as of December 31.

6. Political committees that are required to file pre-election reports are also required to file at all subsequent reporting deadlines for that election.
7. Retain copies of all records for a period of 3 years. Although no detailed campaign expense report is filed, you are required to keep a record of the names and addresses of each person from whom a contribution of over \$10.00 has been received and a record of all other information required to be reported pursuant to the Campaign Expense Reporting Law.

### **LATE FILING PENALTY**

A penalty of \$10.00 for each day or part of the day (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays) that the statement is overdue, plus an **additional fee** of \$10.00 for each of the first six days that a statement is overdue, will be assessed.

In addition, any candidate or treasurer of a political committee, or person acting as such treasurer, who shall fail to file an account of primary or election expenses, as required by the Law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) or to undergo an imprisonment of not less than one (1) month nor more than two (2) years, or both, in the discretion of the court.

Further penalties are provided by law.

**Postmarks are acceptable as proof of timely filing where report is sent by first class mail and postmarked by the United States Postal Service, no later than the day prior to the filing deadline.**