STATE OF FLORIDA FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

In Re: The Dream Foundation PAC Case No.: FEC 22-291

TO: Michael Dobson, Chair 4005 Brandon Hill Drive Tallahassee, FL 32309

Division of Elections 500 South Bronough Street, Room 316 Tallahassee, FL 32399

NOTICE OF HEARING (INFORMAL HEARING)

A hearing will be held in this case before the Florida Elections Commission on, **August 15, 2023 at 8:30 a.m.,** or as soon thereafter as the parties can be heard, at the following location: **Virtual Meeting via GoTo Webinar:**

WEB PARTICIPATION: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4391393799096818270
AUDIO PARTICIPATION: 1 877 309 2074 ATTENDEE ACCESS CODE: 424-284-031

Failure to appear in accordance with this notice will constitute a waiver of your right to participate in the hearing. Continuances will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

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See further instructions on the reverse side.

Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director Florida Elections Commission August 1, 2023 Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

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STATE OF FLORIDA FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

Florida Elections Commission, Petitioner,

Case No.: FEC 22-291

The Dream Foundation PAC, Respondent.

v.

ORDER OF PROBABLE CAUSE

THIS MATTER was heard by the Florida Elections Commission (Commission) at its regularly scheduled meeting on May 16, 2023, in Tallahassee, Florida.

On March 29, 2023, Staff recommended to the Commission that there was probable cause to believe that the Florida Election Code was violated. The facts articulated in Staff's Recommendation are adopted by reference and incorporated herein. Based on the Complaint, Report of Investigation, Staff's Recommendation, and oral statements (if any) made at the probable cause hearing, the Commission finds that there is **probable cause** to charge Respondent with the following violation(s):

Count 1:

On or about February 10, 2022, The Dream Foundation PAC violated Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, when it failed to notify the filing officer in writing on the prescribed reporting date that it would not be filing its 2022 M1 Report.

Count 2:

On or about March 10, 2022, The Dream Foundation PAC violated Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, when it failed to notify the filing officer in writing on the prescribed reporting date that it would not be filing its 2022 M2 Report.

Count 3:

On or about April 11, 2022, The Dream Foundation PAC violated Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, when it failed to notify the filing officer in writing on the prescribed reporting date that it would not be filing its 2022 M3 Report.

Count 4:

On or about May 10, 2022, The Dream Foundation PAC violated Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, when it failed to notify the filing officer in writing on the prescribed reporting date that it would not be filing its 2022 M4 Report.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Florida Elections Commission on May 16, 2023.

Tim Vaccaro, J.D., Executive Director For Joni Alexis Poitier, Vice Chair Florida Elections Commission

Copies furnished to: Stephanie J. Cunningham, General Counsel The Dream Foundation PAC, Respondent Division of Elections, Complainant

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO A HEARING

As the Respondent, you may elect to resolve this case in several ways. First, you may elect to resolve this case by <u>consent order</u> where you and Commission staff agree to resolve the violation(s) and agree to the amount of the fine. The consent order is then presented to the Commission for its approval. To discuss a consent order, contact the FEC attorney identified in the Order of Probable Cause.

Second, you may request an <u>informal hearing</u> held before the Commission, if you <u>do not</u> dispute any material fact in the Staff Recommendation. You have 30 days from the date the Order of Probable Cause is filed with the Commission to request such a hearing. The date this order was filed appears in the upper right-hand corner of the first page of the order. At the hearing, you will have the right to make written or oral arguments to the Commission concerning the legal issues related to the violation(s) and the potential fine. At the request of Respondent, the Commission

will consider and determine willfulness at an informal hearing. Otherwise, live witness testimony is unnecessary.

Third, you may request a <u>formal hearing</u> held before an administrative law judge in the Division of Administrative Hearings (DOAH), if you dispute any material fact in the Staff Recommendation. You have 30 days from the date the Order of Probable Cause is filed with the Commission to request such a hearing. The date this order was filed appears in the upper right-hand corner of the first page of the order. At the hearing, you will have the right to present evidence relevant to the violation(s) listed in this order, to cross-examine opposing witnesses, to impeach any witness, and to rebut the evidence presented against you.

If you do not elect to resolve the case by consent order or request a formal hearing at the DOAH or an informal hearing before the Commission within 30 days of the date this Order of Probable Cause is filed with the Commission, the case will be sent to the Commission for a formal or informal hearing, depending on whether the facts are in dispute. The date this order was filed appears in the upper right-hand corner of the first page of the order.

To request a hearing, please send a written request to the Commission Clerk, Donna Ann Malphurs. The address of the Commission Clerk is 107 W. Gaines Street, Collins Building, Suite 224, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1050. The telephone number is (850) 922-4539. The Clerk will provide you with a copy of Chapter 28-106, *Florida Administrative Code*, and other applicable rules upon request. No mediation is available.

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TO: Michael Dobson, Chair Division of Elections

4005 Brandon Hill Drive 500 South Bronough Street, Room 316

Tallahassee, FL 32309 Tallahassee, FL 32399

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https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMpdumuqTsqGt1MNuvpQBOl5XPapAI 9zfC

 Audio Participation:
 Meeting ID:
 Passcode:

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After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

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STAFF RECOMMENDATION FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION

Pursuant to Section 106.25(4)(c), Florida Statutes, undersigned staff counsel files this written recommendation for disposition of the referral in this case recommending that there is **probable cause** to charge Respondent with violating **Section 106.07(7)**, **Florida Statutes**. Based upon a thorough review of the Report of Investigation submitted on March 1, 2023, the following facts and law support this staff recommendation:

- 1. On September 7, 2022, the Florida Elections Commission ("Commission") received a referral from the Department of State, Division of Elections ("Division"), alleging that The Dream Foundation PAC ("Respondent") violated Chapter 106, Florida Statutes.
 - 2. Respondent is a political committee registered with the Division. (ROI Exhibit 2)¹
- 3. By letter dated November 30, 2022, the Executive Director notified Respondent that Commission staff would investigate the following statutory provision:

Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes: As alleged in the complaint, Respondent, a political committee registered with the Division of Elections, failed to notify the filing officer on the prescribed reporting date that no report would be filed on that date because it had not received funds, made contributions, or expended reportable funds during the following reporting periods:

- 2022 M1
- 2022 M2
- 2022 M3
- 2022 M4
- 4. By letter dated January 25, 2022, Donna S. Brown, Chief, Bureau of Election Records, sent Respondent a letter acknowledging that the Division had received its Statement of Organization and Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository for Political Committees forms. (ROI Exhibit 3, page 1)
- 5. The acknowledgment letter advised Respondent that all of the Division's publications and reporting forms were available on its website and directed Respondent to print out the *Calendar of Reporting Dates* as well as other relevant documents. (ROI Exhibit 3, page 2)

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¹ The Report of Investigation is referred to herein as "ROI."

- 6. Pursuant to Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, in any reporting period during which a political committee has not received funds, made any contributions, or expended any reportable funds, the filing of the required report for that period is waived. However, the political committee is required to notify the filing officer in writing on the prescribed reporting date that no report is being filed on that date.
- 7. The *Political Committee Handbook* references the statutory requirement regarding written notification and directs political committees to notify the Division by way of the Division's electronic filing system. (ROI Exhibit 4, page 2) The *Political Committee EFS User's Guide* shows the process through which to notify the Division. The user's guide instructs political committees to select the relevant reporting period and place a checkmark in a box titled "Waiver" to indicate the lack of reportable financial activity. (ROI Exhibit 5, pages 2-3)
- 8. Respondent failed to notify the filing officer on the prescribed reporting dates that no reports would be filed for the following reporting periods, as set forth in the table below. (ROI Exhibit 6)

Report	Report Cover Period	Date Notification Due	Date Notification Filed	No. of Days Late
2022 M1	01/11/22 - 01/31/22	02/10/22	02/11/22	1
2022 M2	02/01/22 - 02/28/22	03/10/22	03/18/22	8
2022 M3	03/01/22 - 03/31/22	04/11/22	05/02/22	21
2022 M4	04/01/22 - 04/30/22	05/10/22	05/13/22	3

- 9. Michael Dobson, chairperson and treasurer for Respondent, stated that he was busy and disorganized. Mr. Dobson stated that he oversees numerous statewide organizations and clients and travels often. (ROI Exhibit 7, page 2)
- 10. "Probable Cause" is defined as reasonable grounds of suspicion supported by circumstances sufficiently strong to warrant a cautious person in the belief that the person has committed the offense charged. *Schmitt v. State*, 590 So. 2d 404, 409 (Fla. 1991). Probable cause exists where the facts and circumstances, of which an [investigator] has reasonably trustworthy information, are sufficient in themselves for a reasonable man to reach the conclusion that an offense has been committed. *Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles v. Favino*, 667 So. 2d 305, 309 (Fla. 1st DCA 1995).
- 11. The facts set forth above show that Respondent is a political committee registered with the Division. Respondent failed to notify the filing officer on the prescribed reporting dates that no reports would be filed for the following reporting periods: 2022 M1, 2022 M2, 2022 M3, and 2022 M4.

Based upon these facts and circumstances, I recommend that the Commission find probable

cause to charge Respondent with violating the following:

Count 1:

On or about February 10, 2022, The Dream Foundation PAC violated Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, when it failed to notify the filing officer in writing on the prescribed reporting date that it would not be filing its 2022 M1 Report.

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Respectfully submitted on March 29, 2023.

Stephanie J. Cunningham

General Counsel

I reviewed this Staff Recommendation this $\frac{29}{4}$ day of March 2023.

Executive Director

FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

Report of Investigation for Failure to Notify Filing Officer

Case Number: FEC 22-291

Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, failure of a candidate or political committee that did not receive any contributions or make any expenditures during a reporting period to timely notify the filing officer, in writing, that no report is being filed.

Respondent: The Dream Foundation PAC

Respondent's Atty: N/A

Division of Elections (Division)

Referral Filed: September 7, 2022

Respondent Type: Political Committee

I. Preliminary Information:

- 1. Respondent is a political committee registered with the Division.
- 2. An Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository (DS-DE 6) was filed on January 21, 2022. Michael Dobson was appointed as campaign treasurer. To review the DS-DE 6, refer to Exhibit 1.
- 3. A Statement of Organization (DS-DE 5) for the political committee was filed with the Division on January 21, 2022. To review the Statement of Organization, refer to Exhibit 2.
- 4. An acknowledgement letter was mailed to the address provided on the DS-DE 6 on January 25, 2022, advising Respondent that all political committees filing reports with the Division are required to file by means of the Division's electronic filing system (EFS). Respondent was provided with a user identification number and initial password allowing access to the EFS.
- 5. The acknowledgement letter also advised Respondent that all of the Division's publications and reporting forms are available on their website, including Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, the *Political Committee Handbook*, and the *Calendar of Reporting Dates*. The letter further advised that it was Respondent's responsibility to read, understand, and follow the requirements of Florida's election laws. To review the acknowledgement letter, refer to Exhibit 3.
- 6. The *Political Committee Handbook* discusses filing a waiver when there is no activity to disclose. To review the relevant page of the *Handbook*, refer to Exhibit 4.
- 7. The *Political Committee EFS User's Guide* discusses how to notify the Division on the prescribed reporting date that no report will be filed using the EFS. Specifically, the *Handbook* instructs the user to click the box next to "waiver" if there is no activity to disclose. To review the relevant pages from the *EFS User's Guide*, refer to Exhibit 5.

II. Alleged Violation of Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes:

8. I investigated whether Respondent violated this section of the election laws by not timely notifying the filing officer, in writing, that no report(s) would be filed due to not receiving any contributions or making expenditures during the following reporting period(s). To review Respondent's filing history reflecting the untimely filed notifications summarized below, refer to Exhibit 6.

Report	Report Cover Period	Date Notification Due	Date Notification Filed	No. of Days Late
2022 M1	01/11/2022 - 01/31/2022	02/10/2022	02/11/2022	1
2022 M2	02/01/2022 - 02/28/2022	03/10/2022	03/18/2022	8
2022 M3	03/01/2022 - 03/31/2022	04/11/2022	05/02/2022	21
2022 M4	04/01/2022 - 04/30/2022	05/10/2022	05/13/2022	3

9. Respondent did not respond to the referral.

10. On January 9, 2023, I called Respondent's Chairperson, Michael Dobson, for the purpose of providing an opportunity to discuss the allegations made in the referral. When asked why the waivers at issue were filed late, Mr. Dobson stated he just got busy and was not organized. Mr. Dobson added that he is overseeing numerous statewide organizations and clients, travels a lot, is human and makes mistakes. Mr. Dobson stated he did not possess a copy of and has not read Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, or the *Political Committee Handbook*. To review the phone log, refer to Exhibit 7.

Thouas Mallow

SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATOR:

Date: March 1, 2023

FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

The Dream Foundation PAC -- FEC 22-291

LIST OF EXHIBITS					
Exhibits #s	Description of Exhibits				
Exhibit 1	DS-DE 6				
Exhibit 2	Statement of Organization				
Exhibit 3	Acknowledgement Letter				
Exhibit 4	Political Committee Handbook				
Exhibit 5	Political Committee EFS User's Guide				
Exhibit 6	Filing History				
Exhibit 7	Phone Log				

HAND DELIVERED

APPOINTMENT OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER AND DESIGNATION OF CAMPAIGN DEPOSITORY FOR

POLITICAL COMMITTEES

(Sections 106.011(2) and 106.021(1), F.S.)

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Michael Dubson		(850) 24	1-5896
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STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION OF POLITICAL COMMITTEE

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The Dream F	Foundation DA1	(850)241-5896
Mailing Address (include city,	state and zip code)	
4005 Brand	don Hill Drive, Talla	hussee, F/ 32309
Street Address (include city, s	tate and zip code)	,
4005 Brandon	Hill Dr, Tallahassee, Fi	orida 32309
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Full Name	Mailing Address	Committee Title or Position
Michael Dobson	4005 Brandon Hill Dr Talluhussee, Fl 32309	Chairman Treasurer

6. List by Name, Address and Position, Other Principal Officers, Including Officers and Members of the Finance Committee, If Any (include chairman's name)							
Full Name	Mailing Address		Committee Title or Position				
Michael Dobson		4005 Brander Hill Dr, Tallahosse Fl 32309		Chairman			
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LAUREL M. LEE Secretary of State

January 25, 2022

Michael Dobson, Chairperson The Dream Foundation PAC 4005 Brandon Hill Drive Tallahassee, Florida 32309

Dear Mr. Dobson:

This will acknowledge receipt of the Statement of Organization and Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository for The Dream Foundation PAC, which were placed on file in our office on January 21, 2022. This information appears to comply with the requirements of Section 106.03, Florida Statutes, and the name of this organization has been placed on our active committee list as a political committee.

Campaign Treasurer's Reports

Your first campaign treasurer's report will be due on February 10, 2022. The report will cover the period of January 1-31, 2022 (2022 M1). All political committees that file reports with the Division of Elections are required to file by means of the Division's Electronic Filing System (EFS).

EFS Access

Below is the web address to access the EFS and the committee's user identification number. Enclosed are the committee's confidential, filing credentials.

EFS Website Address:

https://efs.dos.state.fl.us

Identification Number: 79952

Timely Filing

All reports must be completed and filed through the EFS no later than midnight, Eastern Standard Time, of the due date. Reports not filed by midnight of the due date are late filed and subject to the penalties in Section 106.07(8), Florida Statutes. In the event that the EFS is inoperable on the

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Michael Dobson, Chairperson January 25, 2022 Page Two

due date, the report will be accepted as timely filed if filed no later than midnight, Eastern Standard Time, of the first business day the EFS becomes operable. No fine will be levied during the period the EFS was inoperable.

Any political committee failing to file a report on the designated due date is subject to a fine of \$50 per day for the first three days late and, thereafter, \$500 per day for each late day, not to exceed 25% of the total receipts or expenditures, whichever is greater, for the period covered by the late report. However, for the reports immediately preceding each primary and general election, the fine shall be \$500 per day for each late day, not to exceed 25% of the total receipts or expenditures, whichever is greater, for the period covered by the late report.

Electronic Receipts

The person submitting the report on the EFS will be issued an electronic receipt indicating and verifying the report was filed. Each campaign treasurer's report filed by means of the EFS is considered to be under oath by the chairperson and campaign treasurer, and such persons are subject to the provisions of Section 106.07(5), Florida Statutes.

Instructions and Assistance

An online instruction guide is available to you on the EFS to assist with navigation, data entry, and submission of reports. The Division of Elections will also provide assistance to all users by contacting the EFS Help Desk at (850) 245-6280.

All of the Division's publications and reporting forms are available on the Division of Elections' website at https://dos.myflorida.com/elections. It is your responsibility to read, understand, and follow the requirements of Florida's election laws. Therefore, please print a copy of the following documents: Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, *Political Committee Handbook*, Calendar of Reporting Dates, and Rule 1S-2.017, Florida Administrative Code.

Please let me know if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

DSB/kaf

Enclosures

Political Committee Handbook

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(Rev. 9/27/2019)

Any political committee required to file reports with a filing officer other than the Division must file reports on the 60th day immediately preceding the primary election and bi-weekly on each Friday thereafter through and including the 4th day immediately preceding the general election, with additional reports due on the 25th and 11th days before the primary election and the general election.

Unless the electronic filing requirements of Section <u>106.0705</u>, Florida Statutes, apply, reports shall be filed no later than 5 p.m. of the day designated. A report postmarked by the U.S. Postal Service no later than midnight of the day designated is deemed timely filed. A report received by the filing officer within five days after the designated due date that was delivered by the U.S. Postal Service is deemed timely filed unless it has a postmark indicating the report was mailed after the designated due date. A certificate of mailing obtained from and dated by the U.S. Postal Service at the time of mailing or a receipt from an established courier company, which bears a date on or before the date on which the report is due, is proof of mailing in a timely manner.

Reports filed with the Division through the <u>Electronic Filing System</u> (<u>EFS</u>) are due no later than midnight, Eastern Time, of the due date.

(Sections <u>106.07</u>, <u>106.0705</u>, and <u>106.141</u>, Fla. Stat.; Chapter 11: Electronic Filing of Campaign Reports)

Penalty for Late Filing

Any political committee failing to file a report on the designated due date shall be subject to a fine of \$50 per day for the first three days late and, thereafter, \$500 per day for each late day, not to exceed 25 percent of the total receipts or expenditures, whichever is greater, for the period covered by the late report. However, for the reports due immediately prior to the primary and general elections, the fine shall be \$500 per day for each late day, not to exceed 25 percent of the total receipts or expenditures, whichever is greater, for the period covered by the late report.

(Section <u>106.07(8)</u>, Fla. Stat.)

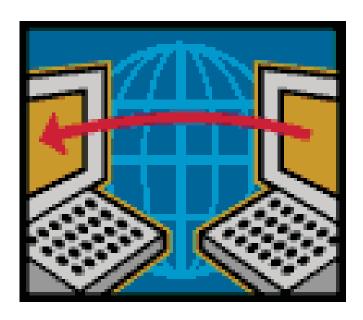
Notice of No Activity

When there has been no reportable activity in the campaign account during a reporting period (no funds expended or received) the filing of the report is waived. However, the political committee **must notify the filing officer in writing on or before the prescribed reporting date that no report is being filed on that date**. (A notice of no activity filed with the Division must be filed electronically using the <u>EFS</u>.) The next report filed must specify that the report covers the entire period between the last submitted report and the report being filed.

(Sections <u>106.07(7)</u> and <u>106.0705</u>, Fla. Stat.)

Department of State Division of Elections

Political Committee EFS User's Guide



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EFS HELP LINE: 850-245-6280

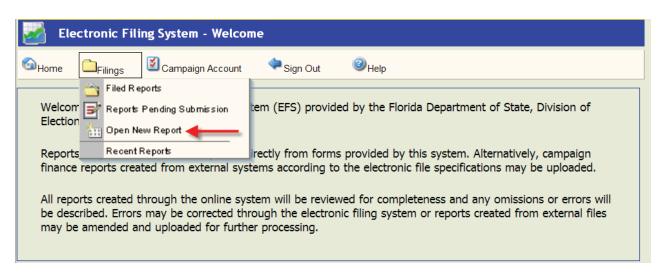
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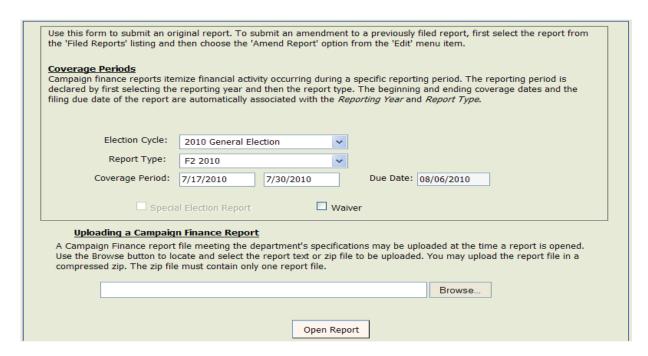
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DS-DE 110B (eff. 01/11)

Create a New Report by Data Entry

From the Welcome screen, click and then Open New Report





Click arrow next to **Election Cycle**. Scroll to the cycle associated with the report you are entering.

Click arrow next to **Report Type** select report type corresponding to the correct cover period and due date.

The Cover Period dates will automatically fill in based on the Calendar of Election and Reporting Dates.

The **Due Date** will automatically fill in based on the **Calendar of Election and Reporting**Dates.

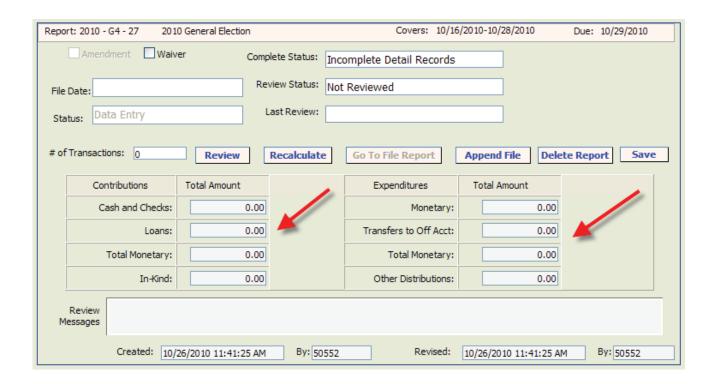
If this report is for a special election, click the box next to **Special Election Report**. (If no special elections are scheduled this option will not be available.)

*****NOTE****

If this report is a waiver of report (no activity), click the box next to Waiver.

Election Cycle:	2010 General Election F2 2010		~	
Report Type:			~	
Coverage Period:	7/17/2010	7/30/2010		Due Date: 08/06/2010
☐ Specia	al Election Report] Waive	-

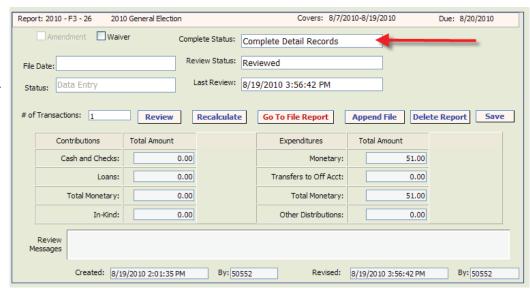
Click Open Report at the bottom of the screen. A **Report Detail** screen (view only) will appear. This screen will not indicate any activity until individual detail data is entered, saved and a review is performed.



File the Report

If the **Review Status** is <u>Updated Detail – Needs Review</u> the report has not been reviewed since the last update. (See page 39 for instructions on how to submit the report to the system for review.)

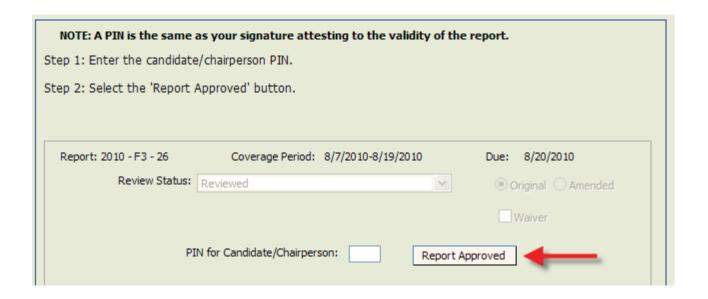
If the status of the report is <u>Complete</u> <u>Detail Records</u>, you are ready to file the report.



Click on Go To File Report

The **chairperson** enters his or her **PIN**, and then selects

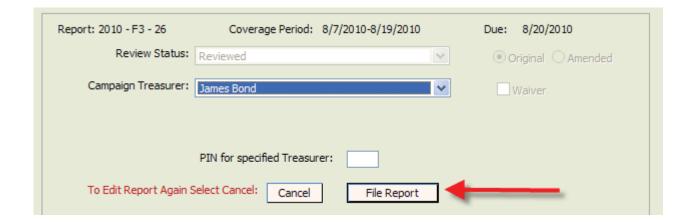
Report Approved



If there is more than one treasurer, click on the drop down and select the treasurer that is filing the report.



The treasurer enters his **PIN** and then clicks File Report



<u>IMPORTANT NOTE</u>: If changes need to be made <u>after</u> a chairperson PIN is entered, the treasurer must <u>undo</u> the chairperson PIN validation before the system will allow changes. See page 49 for instructions.



Florida Department of State - Division of Elections

Florida Election System Reports

Candidate/Committee Lookup
Name: The Dream Foundatior

Election:

Acct: 79952

Type: Pol Action Comm

Search Reset

Pol Action Comm Name: The Dream Foundation PAC Account: 79952

Date Due	Туре	Date Filed	Status	Days Late	Fine Appealed	Amount Fined	Amount Paid
12/12/2022	M11		SNT	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11/4/2022	G6		SNT	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11/3/2022	D6		SNT	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11/2/2022	D5		SNT	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11/1/2022	D4		SNT	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10/31/2022	D3		SNT	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10/30/2022	D2	11/2/2022	PEN	3	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10/29/2022	D1	11/2/2022	CLO	4	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10/28/2022	G5	11/2/2022	CLO	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10/21/2022	G4A	11/2/2022	PEN	12	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10/14/2022	G4	10/10/2022					
10/7/2022	G3A	10/10/2022	CLO	3	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10/7/2022	G3	10/10/2022	CLO	3	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9/23/2022		10/10/2022	CLO	17	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9/16/2022	G2	10/10/2022	CLO	24	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9/9/2022	G1A	10/10/2022	CLO	31	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9/2/2022	G1	10/10/2022	CLO	38	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8/26/2022	P7A	10/10/2022	PEN	45	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8/19/2022	P7	9/23/2022	PEN	35	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8/12/2022	P6	9/23/2022	PEN	42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8/5/2022	P5	9/23/2022	PEN	49	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7/29/2022	P4	9/23/2022	PEN	56	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7/22/2022	P3	9/23/2022	PEN	63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7/15/2022		9/23/2022	PEN	70	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7/8/2022	P2	8/17/2022	CLO	40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7/1/2022		8/17/2022	CLO	47	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
6/24/2022	P1	8/17/2022	CLO	54	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
6/10/2022	M5	8/17/2022	CLO	68	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5/10/2022	M4	5/13/2022	PEN	3	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
4/11/2022	М3	5/2/2022	CLO	21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
3/10/2022	M2	3/18/2022	CLO	8	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2/10/2022	M1	2/11/2022	CLO	1	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION PHONE LOG

Case No.: FEC 22-291

Respondent: The Dream Foundation PAC

Complainant: Division of Elections

1. **Date and time:** 01/09/2023; 03:53 p.m. **Name:** Michael Dobson – Chair/Treasurer

Phone #: (850) 241-5896

Summary: Spoke with Mr. Dobson. Mr. Dobson referenced the LS letter MVCO and requested to pay the fine. I told him I would contact the attorney assigned to FEC 22-291 and have them reach out to him. Mr. Dobson verified phone number and provided a current email address as Michael@dobsonandcraig.com.

Mr. Dobson was cooperative and willing to answer questions about the case, which can be reviewed in the "RESPONDENT INTERVIEW MEMO" below.

Entered by: CM

2. Date and time:

Name:

Phone #:

Summary:

Entered by: CM

3. Date and time:

Name:

Phone #:

Summary:

Entered by:

4. Date and time:

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Entered by:

6. **Date and time:**

Name:

Phone #:

Summary:

Entered by:

RESPONDENT INTERVIEW MEMO – Call details at #1

- Please explain the reason why you failed to notify the filing officer on the prescribed reporting dates that no 2022 M1, 2022 M2, 2022 M3 and 2022 M4 reports would be filed on those dates because the campaign had not received funds, made contributions, or expended reportable funds during the reporting period or failure to file a campaign report to reflect financial activity. Just got busy. Last thing to get to. Disorganized and need to get on top of it.
- Have you ever run for public office? 23 years ago. If so, please name each office you ran for and state what year each election occurred.
- Have you ever been appointed to act as a campaign treasurer for a candidate? If so, please name each such candidate, the office each ran for, and state what year each election occurred. House Aid, 1999
- Have you ever held the office of chairperson, treasurer, or other similar position for a political committee or electioneering communications organization? No. If so, please name each committee, state the office you held for each, and state when you held each office.
- Have you ever prepared or signed a campaign treasurer's report? Just this PAC. If so, please state the name of the candidate or committee whose report you prepared or signed.
- Do you possess a copy of Chapter 106, Florida Statutes? Don't possess. If so, when did you first obtain it? Have you read it? Have not read.
- Do you possess a copy of the *Political Committee Handbook*? Don't know. If so, when did you first obtain it? Have you read it? Probably not.
- Do you have anything else to add for the Commission's consideration regarding the charges specified in the letter of legal sufficiency in this case? I'm overseeing numerous statewide organizations and clients. Travel a lot. One man band. Human and make mistakes.

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Florida Elections Commission

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November 30, 2022

Michael Dobson, Chair The Dream Foundation PAC 4005 Brandon Hill Drive Tallahassee, FL 32309

RE: Case No.: FEC 22-291; Respondent: The Dream Foundation PAC

Dear Mr. Dobson:

On September 7, 2022, the Florida Elections Commission received a complaint alleging your committee violated Florida's election laws. I have reviewed the complaint and find that it contains one or more **legally sufficient allegations**. The Commission staff will investigate the following alleged violation(s):

Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes: As alleged in the complaint, Respondent, a political committee registered with the Division of Elections, failed to notify the filing officer on the prescribed reporting date that no report would be filed on that date because it had not received funds, made contributions, or expended reportable funds during the following reporting periods:

- 2022 M1
- 2022 M2
- 2022 M3
- 2022 M4

However, prior to an investigation, you have the option to <u>resolve your case now by</u> signing a minor violation consent order and <u>paying a fine of \$200</u>, per Rule 2B-1.003, Florida Administrative Code, <u>rather than the potential \$1,000 per violation</u> provided for in Section 106.265, Florida Statutes.

If you sign the consent order, you would not be required to admit or deny the allegation(s) in the complaint, but you would be required to immediately correct the violation, if feasible.

The signed consent order would then be considered by the Commission at its next available meeting and would constitute final action by the Commission once it is accepted and approved by the Commission. You and the Complainant will receive notice at least 14 days before any hearing at which your case is to be considered.

Michael Dobson November 30, 2022 Page 2 FEC 22-291

<u>Please contact Stephanie Cunningham by phone at (850) 922-4539, by email at Stephanie.Cunningham@myfloridalegal.com</u>, or at the address listed above, to accept this minor violation consent order.

If you choose not to resolve this case by consent order, an investigation will be conducted, the Commission will hold one or more hearings to determine whether the alleged violation(s) occurred and, if so, the amount of fine to be imposed upon your committee.

Please note that all documents related to this matter will be mailed to the above address unless you notify us of a new address.

For additional information, please refer to the "Frequently Asked Questions" section on the Commission's website.

Sincerely

Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director

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DIVISION OF ELECTIONS FEC NOTICE FORM

To FEC from Division of Elections

Name: The Dream Foundation PAC

Account Number: 79952

Chairperson: Michael Dobson

Treasurer: Michael Dobson

Registered Agent: Michael Dobson

The Division of Elections hereby provides this notice to the Florida Elections Commission pursuant to sections 106.07(8)(d), 106.22(7), and 106.25(2), Florida Statutes. An apparent violation of Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, has occurred based upon repeated late filings or failure to notify the filing officer in writing that no report was being filed on the prescribed reporting date as required by section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes, for the following reports:

2022 M1

2022 M2

2022 M3

2022 M4

- The Dream Foundation PAC (79952) is a political committee registered with the Division of Elections. On January 21, 2022, the committee filed the DSDE 5 and DSDE 6 with the Division appointing Michael Dobson as the chairperson and the treasurer for the committee.
- The 2022 M1 campaign treasurer's report was due on February 10, 2022.
 The Dream Foundation PAC failed to notify the Division that no report was being filed on the prescribed reporting date. On February 11, 2022, the committee filed a notification of no activity. (See attached file receipt and letter.)
- The 2022 M2 campaign treasurer's report was due on March 10, 2022.
 The Dream Foundation PAC failed to notify the Division that no report was being filed on the prescribed reporting date. On March 18, 2022, the committee filed a notification of no activity. (See attached file receipt and letter.)

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- The 2022 M3 campaign treasurer's report was due on April 11, 2022.
 The Dream Foundation PAC failed to notify the Division that no report was being filed on the prescribed reporting date. On May 2, 2022, the committee filed a notification of no activity. (See attached file receipt and letter.)
- The 2022 M4 campaign treasurer's report was due on May 10, 2022.
 The Dream Foundation PAC failed to notify the Division that no report was being filed on the prescribed reporting date. On May 13, 2022, the committee filed a notification of no activity. (See attached file receipt.)

Sent By: Donna S. Brown

Date: September 2, 2022

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Treasurer Report Status

Due: 2/10/2022

ID: 79952 Name: The Dream Foundation PAC

Report: 2022 - M1 - 1 Print Date: **8/18/2022 9:20:33 AM**

Election: 2022 General Election

Covers: 1/11/2022-1/31/2022 ☐ Amended ☑ Waiver

Filed: 2/11/2022 8:59:25 AM File Status: Filed Report

Reviewed: 2/11/2022 Review Status: Reviewed

Detail Complete: No Detail Records Found

File Method: Web Filed Number of Detail Records

Entry Method: Web Data Entry Contributions: 0

Expenditures: 0

Fund Transfers: 0

Pending Queued Items: **0**Distributions: 0

To Print Report: Right Click Mouse and Select 'Print'



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Laurel M. Lee Secretary of State DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

PAC 79952

February 17, 2022

Michael Dobson, Treasurer The Dream Foundation PAC 4005 Brandon Hill Drive Tallahassee, FL 32309-2309

Dear Mr. Dobson:

The notification that you had no reportable activity for the report deadline of February 10, 2022, was not filed until February 11, 2022. Although the notification is late, no automatic fine is assessed because you had no receipts or expenditures during this reporting period.

However, to avoid potential issues in the future, please note that state law (s. 106.07(7), Fla. Stat.) requires you to file by the dates set out also in law, either a campaign finance report or if applicable, a notification that no reportable activity occurred for the reporting period. Failure to do may constitute a violation of sections 106.07(1) and 106.19(1)(c), Fla. Stat. The Division is required to notify the Florida Elections Commission of any apparent violation of chapter 106, Fla. Stat., or any failure to file a report or information required by chapter 106, Fla. Stat. If a matter is referred to the Florida Elections Commission, the Commission may assess a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 per violation.

If you have any questions, please contact the help desk at (850) 245-6280.

Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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Treasurer Report Status

ID: 79952 Name: The Dream Foundation PAC

Report: 2022 - M2 - 2 Print Date: **8/18/2022 9:19:53 AM**

Election: 2022 General Election

Covers: 2/1/2022-2/28/2022 ☐ Amended ☑ Waiver

Due: 3/10/2022

Filed: 3/18/2022 1:37:02 PM File Status: Filed Report

Reviewed: 3/18/2022 Review Status: Reviewed

Detail Complete: No Detail Records Found

File Method: Web Filed Number of Detail Records

Entry Method: Web Data Entry Contributions: 0

Expenditures: 0
Fund Transfers: 0

Pending Queued Items: **0**

Distributions: 0

To Print Report: Right Click Mouse and Select 'Print'



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Laurel M. Lee Secretary of State DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

March 25, 2022

Michael Dobson, Treasurer The Dream Foundation PAC 4005 Brandon Hill Drive Tallahassee, FL 32309-2309

PAC 79952

Dear Mr. Dobson:

The notification that you had no reportable activity for the report deadline of March 10, 2022, was not filed until March 18, 2022. Although the notification is late, no automatic fine is assessed because you had no receipts or expenditures during this reporting period.

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Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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Treasurer Report Status

Due: 4/11/2022

ID: 79952 Name: The Dream Foundation PAC

Report: 2022 - M3 - 3 Print Date: **8/18/2022 9:20:06 AM**

Election: 2022 General Election

Covers: 3/1/2022-3/31/2022 ☐ Amended ✓ Waiver

Filed: 5/2/2022 9:59:15 AM File Status: Filed Report

Reviewed: 5/2/2022 Review Status: Reviewed

Detail Complete: No Detail Records Found

File Method: Web Filed Number of Detail Records

Entry Method: Web Data Entry Contributions: 0

Expenditures: 0
Fund Transfers: 0

Pending Queued Items: **0**Distributions: 0

To Print Report: Right Click Mouse and Select 'Print'



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Laurel M. Lee

Secretary of State DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

May 9, 2022

Michael Dobson, Treasurer The Dream Foundation PAC 4005 Brandon Hill Drive Tallahassee, FL 32309-2309

PAC 79952

Dear Mr. Dobson:

The notification that you had no reportable activity for the report deadline of April 11, 2022, was not filed until May 2, 2022. Although the notification is late, no automatic fine is assessed because you had no receipts or expenditures during this reporting period.

However, to avoid potential issues in the future, please note that state law (s. 106.07(7), Fla. Stat.) requires you to file by the dates set out also in law, either a campaign finance report or if applicable, a notification that no reportable activity occurred for the reporting period. Failure to do may constitute a violation of sections 106.07(1) and 106.19(1)(c), Fla. Stat. The Division is required to notify the Florida Elections Commission of any apparent violation of chapter 106, Fla. Stat., or any failure to file a report or information required by chapter 106, Fla. Stat. If a matter is referred to the Florida Elections Commission, the Commission may assess a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 per violation.

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Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records



Treasurer Report Status

Name: The Dream Foundation PAC ID: 79952

Report: 2022 - M4 - 4 Print Date: 8/18/2022 9:20:19 AM

Election: 2022 General Election

Covers: 4/1/2022-4/30/2022 ☐ Amended ✓ Waiver Due: 5/10/2022

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