| In Re: People Over PACS | | Case No.: FEC 22-424 |
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| TO: | Gilbert Walzer, Chair 1432 Lakeview Road Lake Wales, FL 33853 | Division of Elections 500 S. Bronough Street RA Gray Building, Room 316 |
| | | Tallahassee FL 32399 |

NOTICE OF HEARING (INFORMAL HEARINGS (IH))

A hearing will be held in this case before the Florida Elections Commission on, **August 19, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.**, or as soon thereafter as the parties can be heard, at the following location: **Virtual Meeting via Webinar link:** https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/3863768971242962781 and Webinar ID 748-293-987.

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Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director Florida Elections Commission July 28, 2025 Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

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NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF HEARING (INFORMAL HEARING)

You are hereby notified that the previously scheduled hearing for February 26 and 27, 2025, is cancelled. It is anticipated that your case will be heard at the next regularly scheduled meeting, on a date to be determined. A Notice of Hearing will be mailed approximately 14 days prior to the new hearing date.

Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director Florida Elections Commission February 24, 2025

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| | 1432 Lakeview Road | 500 S. Bronough Street, Room 316 |
| | Lakes Wales, FL 33853 | Tallahassee, FL 32399 |

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Executive Director Florida Elections Commission February 5, 2025 Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

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Florida Elections Commission, Petitioner,

v. Case No.: FEC 22-424
People Over PACS,
Respondent.

ORDER OF PROBABLE CAUSE

THIS MATTER was heard by the Florida Elections Commission (Commission) at its regularly scheduled meeting on August 14, 2024, in Tallahassee, Florida.

On April 26, 2024, 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 August 19, 2022, People Over PACS violated Section 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes, when it deliberately failed to include information required by Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, on its 2022 P7 Report.

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Count 2:

On August 26, 2022, People Over PACS 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 P7A Report.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Florida Elections Commission on August 14, 2024.

Tim Vaccaro, J.D., Executive Director

For Chad Mizelle, Chairman Florida Elections Commission

Copies furnished to: Mattie T. Clay, Assistant General Counsel People Over PACS, 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.

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In Rev. People Over PACS

Lakes Wales, FL 33853

Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director Florida Elections Commission July 23, 2024 Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

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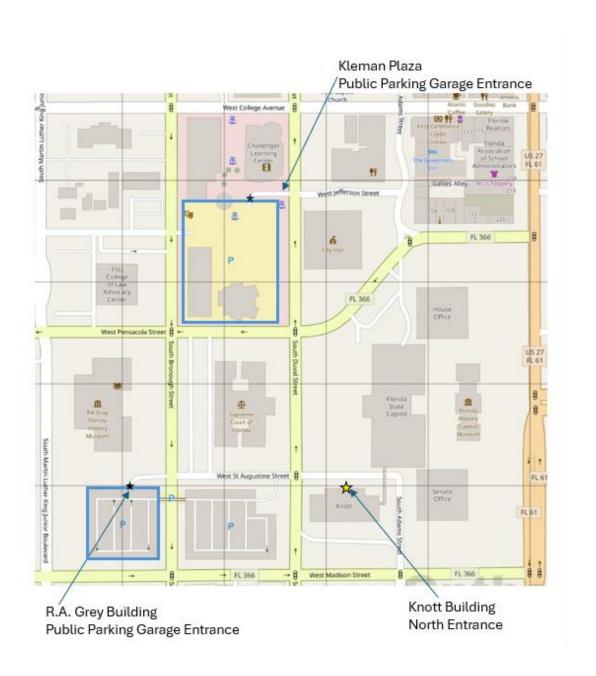
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Florida Elections Commission Meeting - Augut 13-14, 2024, 412 Knott Building

- Please enter the Knott Building at the North entrance as indicated below.
- Public parking is available at Kleman Plaza (entrance at West Jefferson Sreet/South Duval Street) and the R.A. Grey Building Garage (entrance at West St. Augustine Street/South Bronough Street).



In Re: People Over PACS Case No.: FEC 22-424

TO: People Over PACS

Gilbert Walzer, Chair 1432 Lakeview Road Lakes Wales, FL 33853 Division of Elections 500 S. Bronough Street, Room 316 Tallahassee, FL 32399

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF HEARING (PROBABLE CAUSE DETERMINATION (PCD))

You are hereby notified that **the previously scheduled hearing for May 14, 2024, is CANCELLED**. It is anticipated that your case will be scheduled for a new hearing date to be determined as soon as possible.

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Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director Florida Elections Commission May 13, 2024



Florida Elections Commission

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May 2, 2024

Gilbert Walizer, Chair People Over PACS 1432 Lakeview Road Lake Wales, FL 33853

RE: Case No.: FEC 22-424; Respondent: People Over PACS

Dear Mr. Walizer:

I wanted to introduce myself as the staff attorney assigned to present this matter at the upcoming Probable Cause Hearing before the Commission. This case is scheduled to be heard on Tuesday, May 14, 2024, in Tallahassee, FL. A Notice of Hearing will be arriving in the mail with further updates and instructions.

If you prefer to conclude your case through settlement rather than the scheduled hearing, I am happy to assist. Completion of settlement would occur upon our receipt of a signed agreement and valid payment, which I would guide you through. Settlement is optional, and no action is required if you wish to proceed to the scheduled hearing.

I have included a consent agreement for your consideration. You are welcome to contact me at my direct number, (850) 404-5612, or my email address, <u>mattie.clay@myfloridalegal.com</u>, if you have questions about the document. Settlement is intended to be collaborative, so I encourage your feedback.

Please notify me by email or telephone if you wish to proceed with settlement, and I will outline our remaining steps. We may also revisit settlement before the next stage of hearings following Probable Cause; however, a different agreement will be required at that time.

Please do not hesitate to contact our office if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Mattie T. Clay

Assistant General Counsel

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| ТО: | People Over PACS Gilbert Walzer, Chair | | Division of Elections 500 S. Bronough Street. Room | |

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Florida Elections Commission April 26, 2024

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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 **Sections 106.07(7) and 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes**. Based upon a thorough review of the Report of Investigation submitted on January 18, 2024, the following facts and law support this staff recommendation:

- 1. On October 19, 2022, the Florida Elections Commission ("Commission") received a referral from the Florida Division of Elections ("Division" or "Complainant") alleging that People Over PACS ("Respondent") violated Chapter 106, Florida Statutes.
- 2. Respondent was a political committee registered with the Division. Gilbert Walizer was appointed to serve as the committee's chairperson, and Rebecca Collins was appointed to serve as the committee's treasurer. (ROI Exhibit 2, page 1; ROI Exhibit 3, pages 1-2)¹ Respondent's registration was canceled on October 17, 2022, for failing to file two or more consecutive reports. (ROI Exhibit 1, pages 1 & 3)
- 3. By letter dated February 2, 2023, the Executive Director notified Respondent that Commission staff would investigate the following statutory provisions:

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 2022 P7 and 2022 P7A reporting periods.

Section 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes: As alleged in the complaint, Respondent, a political committee registered with the Division of Elections, may have falsely reported or deliberately failed to include information required by Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, during the 2022 P7 and 2022 P7A reporting periods.

4. By letter dated April 28, 2020, Kristi Reid Willis, Chief, Bureau of Election Records, sent Respondent a letter acknowledging that the Division had received its Statement of

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

Organization and Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository for Political Committees forms. (ROI Exhibit 4, page 1)

- 5. The acknowledgment letter advised Respondent that all political committees filing reports with the Division are required to use the electronic filing system ("EFS") and provided Respondent with a user identification number and initial password to grant access to the EFS. (ROI Exhibit 4, page 1) The letter further advised Respondent that all 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 4, page 2)
- 6. Respondent's 2022 P7 Report was due on August 19, 2022, and the 2022 P7A Report was due on August 26, 2022; however, Respondent failed to timely file the reports or notify the filing officer that no reports would be filed. (ROI Exhibit 5, pages 1-2) By letters dated August 22, 2022; August 29, 2022; and September 23, 2020², the Division attempted to notify Respondent that the reports had not been received. The letters stated that Respondent was still required to notify the Division if it had no reportable financial activity. (ROI Exhibit 5, pages 1-2; ROI Exhibit 6, pages 1-2) All letters were returned undeliverable despite delivery confirmation for the final notification on September 30, 2022. (ROI Exhibit 5, pages 3, 5 & 7; ROI Exhibit 6, pages 3-4)
- 7. Commission's correspondence was confirmed delivered to an alternative address, which was obtained from one of Respondent's campaign checks. (Attachment A, page 2; Attachment B, page 1) Respondent did not update its records or inform the Division that its address was inaccurate. (Attachment C, pages 1-3)
- 8. A subpoena was issued to Respondent's designated campaign depository to ascertain whether any financial activity occurred during the relevant reporting periods, i.e., August 6, 2022, to August 18, 2022, and August 19, 2022, to August 19, 2022. (ROI Exhibit 6, pages 1-2) Respondent's bank records show two expenditures totaling \$25.32 for the 2022 P7 reporting period and no financial activity during the 2022 P7A reporting period. (ROI Exhibit 8, page 3)
- 9. As of April 18, 2024, Respondent has not filed the requisite submissions. (Attachment D, page 1)
- 10. Commission staff was unable to contact Respondent during the investigation. (ROI Exhibit 9, page 1)
- 11. As it appears that Respondent had financial activity during the 2022 P7 reporting period, Respondent failed to include information in its 2022 P7 Report in violation of Section 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes. Thus, Respondent was not required to notify the filing officer that it would not be filing its 2022 P7 Report because Respondent had reportable financial activity. The filing officer's unsuccessful attempts to alert Respondent are immaterial as the filing officer's notification is not a condition precedent for a violation under Section 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes.

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² The date on the September 23, 2020, letter contains a scrivener's error in the year. The USPS Tracking confirmation shows that it was received on September 30, 2022. (ROI Exhibit 6, page 3)

- 12. Finally, as it appears that Respondent had no financial activity during the 2022 P7A reporting period, Respondent was required to notify the filing officer in writing that it would not be filing its 2022 P7A Report on the prescribed reporting date but failed to do so. Thus, it does not appear that Respondent falsely reported or deliberately failed to include information in its 2022 P7A Report as the report was waived due to a lack of reportable financial activity. The filing officer's unsuccessful attempts to alert Respondent are, likewise, immaterial as the filing officer's notification is not a condition precedent for a violation under Section 106.07(7), Florida Statutes.
- 13. "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).
- 14. The facts set forth above show that Respondent was a political committee registered with the Division. It appears that Respondent had financial activity during the 2022 P7 reporting period; therefore, Respondent failed to include information in its 2022 P7 Report in violation of Section 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes. In contrast, it appears that Respondent had no financial activity during the 2022 P7A reporting period and, therefore, was required to notify the filing officer in writing that it would not be filing its 2022 P7A Report on the prescribed reporting date but failed to do so.

Based upon these facts and circumstances, I recommend that the Commission find **probable cause** to charge Respondent with violating the following:

Count 1:

On August 19, 2022, People Over PACS violated Section 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes, when it deliberately failed to include information required by Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, on its 2022 P7 Report.

Count 2:

On August 26, 2022, People Over PACS 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 P7A Report.

Respectfully submitted on April 26, 2024.

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Mattie T. Clay Assistant General Counsel

I reviewed this Staff Recommendation this 26th day of April 2024.

Stephanie J. Cunningham

General Counsel



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Laurel M. Lee

Secretary of State **DIVISION OF ELECTIONS**

July 21, 2020

Mr. Gilbert Walizer People Over PACs 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa FL 33618-3618

Dear Mr. Walizer:

This office has received your check number 00005001 in the amount of \$25.00 as payment for the fine assessed for the late filing of the June 10, 2020, campaign treasurer's report. According to our records, this fine is paid in full.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Kristi Reid Willis, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

Report of Investigation for Sections 106.07(7) and 106.19(1)(c), F.S.

Case Number: FEC 22-424

Sections 106.07(7) and 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes, failure of a candidate or political committee that did not receive any contributions or make any expenditures during a reporting period to notify timely the filing officer, in writing, that no report is being filed or failure to file a campaign report to reflect financial activity.

Respondent: People Over PACS **Respondent's Atty:** N/A

Division of Elections (Division)

Referral Filed: October 19, 2022

Respondent Type: Political Committee

I. Preliminary Information:

1. Respondent was a political committee formerly registered with the Division. To review the Final Order canceling Respondent's registration, refer to Exhibit 1.

- 2. An Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository (DS-DE 6) was filed on April 27, 2020. Rebecca Collins was appointed as campaign treasurer. To review the DS-DE 6, refer to Exhibit 2.
- 3. Respondent filed a Statement of Organization (DS-DE 5) with the Division on April 27, 2020. To review the Statement of Organization, refer to Exhibit 3.
- 4. An acknowledgement letter was mailed to the address provided on the DS-DE 6 on April 28, 2020, 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 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 4.
- 6. The Division sent correspondence to the address provided on the DS-DE 6 notifying Respondent that the following campaign report(s), or the required notification that no reportable activity occurred, had not been filed: 2022 P7 and P7A. The letter(s) included reference to the filing date(s) for the report(s). To review the failure to file correspondence, refer to Exhibit 5.¹
- 7. On September 23, 2022, the Division sent letters marked "Final Notice" with delivery confirmation to the address provided on the DS-DE 6 notifying Respondent that the following campaign report(s), or the required notification that no reportable activity occurred, had not been filed: 2022 P7 and P7A. The letters were confirmed delivered on September 30, 2022.² To review the letters marked "Final Notice" and delivery confirmation, refer to Exhibit 6.

¹ The letters were returned to the Division undelivered, "attempted – not known."

² The "Final Notice" letters were returned to the Division undelivered, "attempted – not known."

II. Alleged Violation of Sections 106.07(7), and 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes:

8. I investigated whether Respondent violated these sections of the election laws either by not notifying the filing officer, in writing, that no report would be filed due to not receiving any contributions or making expenditures during the following reporting period(s) or by not filing campaign report(s) to reflect financial activity for the reporting period(s). To review the filing history, refer to Exhibit 7.

| Report | Report Cover Period | Due Date | Report or Waiver Required | Exhibit 8 ³ |
|----------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| 2022 P7 | 8/6/22-8/18/22 | 8/19/22 | Report | 8 |
| 2022 P7A | 8/19/22 | 8/26/22 | Waiver | 8 |

9. Respondent did not respond to the referral.

10. I attempted to contact Respondent's Chairperson for the purpose of providing an opportunity to discuss the allegations made in the referral. I called the phone number listed on the Division's website and on Respondent's DS-DE 5 and DS-DE 6. However, a message stated the number was no longer in service. An email address was not available on the Division's website, nor was an email address provided on the DS-DE 5 or DS-DE 6. As of the date of this report, I have been unable to reach Respondent's Chairperson by phone or email. Therefore, I am unable to ascertain whether he has read Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, and/or the *Political Committee Handbook*. To review the phone log, refer to Exhibit 9.

SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATOR: __ Helen Hinson___ Date: January 18, 2024

 $^{^{\}rm 3}\,$ I subpoenaed campaign account records from the designated campaign depository.

FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION People Over PACS -- FEC 22-424

| LIST OF EXHIBITS | | | | | | | |
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| Exhibits #s | Description of Exhibits | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 1 | Final Order | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 2 | DS-DE 6 | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 3 | DS-DE 5 | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 4 | Division's Acknowledgement Letter | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 5 | Failure to File Correspondence | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 6 | "Final Notice" and Delivery Confirmation | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 7 | Filing History | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 8 | August 2022 Monthly Bank Statement | | | | | | |
| Exhibit 9 | Phone Log | | | | | | |

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE, DIVISION OF ELECTIONS,

AGENCY CLERK DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Petitioner,

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PEOPLE OVER PACS (75634),

Respondent.

Final Order No. DOS 22-25 DE

FINAL ORDER

The Florida Department of State, Division of Elections (the "Division"), pursuant to Section 106.03(7), Florida Statutes, and Rule 1S-2.021, Florida Administrative Code, promulgated thereunder, hereby enters its Final Order canceling the registration of People Over PACs ("Respondent") as a political committee in the State of Florida. The Division, being fully advised as to the premises, finds and orders as follows:

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Rule 1S-2.021, Florida Administrative Code, establishes procedures for the Division to cancel the registration of a political committee for, among other reasons, when "the committee or organization fails to file 2 or more consecutive reports."

FINDINGS OF FACT

- Respondent is a registered political committee with the Division of Elections.
 Respondent's registration number is 75634.
- 2. On August 15, 2022, the Division mailed an Initial Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration (attached and incorporated by reference) to the most recent address on file for Respondent's chairperson and registered agent. The notice stated that Respondent had failed to file two or more consecutive campaign treasurer's reports. The Initial Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration informed Respondent of the opportunity to provide documentation to the Division to show why the Respondent's registration should not be canceled.
- The Initial Notices of Intent were not returned as being undeliverable and Respondent did not respond to the Initial Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration.
- 4. On August 31, 2022, the Division mailed Respondent's registered agent a Final Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration (attached and incorporated by reference). The notice informed Respondent of the right to a hearing and advised that if a request for a hearing was not made within 30 days of the date of the notice, the right to a hearing would be waived and final action taken by the Division.
- Respondent did not respond to the Final Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration or otherwise timely request a hearing.

CONCLUSION

Based upon the foregoing and a complete review of the record, it is ORDERED that Respondent's registration as a political committee with the Florida Department of State, Division of Elections, is hereby CANCELED.

DONE AND ORDERED at Tallahassee, Florida, this // day of october, 2022.

Maria Matthews, Director Division of Elections

NOTICE OF RIGHTS

This Order constitutes final agency action. Judicial review may be sought pursuant to Section 120.68, Florida Statutes, by filing a notice of appeal in the First District Court of Appeal, and a copy with the clerk of the Department of State. Such notice must be filed within 30 calendar days of the date indicated in the Certificate of Service.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the original of the foregoing Final Order was hand-delivered to the Agency Clerk, Department of State, R.A. Gray Building, 500 South Bronough Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0250 and that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Final Order was mailed on this 25 day of 000 years, 2022, by certified U.S. mail to Gilbert Walizer, Registered Agent, People Over PACs, 13014 N Dale Mabry Boulevard, #240, Tampa, Florida 33618.

Ashley E. Davis

Deputy General Counsel

Florida Department of State

Florida Bar No. 48032

500 S. Bronough Street

Tallahassee, Florida 32399



RON DESANTIS

Governor

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August 15, 2022

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson and Registered Agent People Over PACs (75634) 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, Florida 33618

RE: INITIAL NOTICE OF INTENT TO CANCEL REGISTRATION

Dear Mr. Walizer:

This Initial Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration of your political committee is based on the following pursuant to Section 106.03(7), Florida Statutes, and Rule 1S-2.021, Florida Administrative Code:

The committee has failed to file two or more consecutive campaign treasurer's reports.

If you object to this cancellation, you have 15 days from the date of this notice to provide documentation showing why the committee's registration should not be canceled. Alternatively, you may choose to voluntarily terminate your committee's registration before the end of the 15 days.

All further notices regarding cancellation of this committee's registration will be sent only to the registered agent's most recent address on file.

If you have any questions, please call (850) 245-6280.

Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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Enclosure



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Governor

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August 31, 2022

Gilbert Walizer, Registered Agent People Over PACs (75634) 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, Florida 33618

RE: FINAL NOTICE OF INTENT TO CANCEL REGISTRATION

Dear Mr. Walizer:

On August 15, 2022, the Division sent you an Initial Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration (Initial Notice) for the following reason based on Section 106.03(7), Florida Statutes, and Rule 1S-2.021, Florida Administrative Code:

The committee has failed to file 2 or more consecutive campaign treasurer's reports.

You did not provide a response within the 15 days of the Initial Notice to show why the registration should not be canceled or to voluntarily terminate registration.

This letter constitutes Final Notice of Intent to Cancel Registration (Final Notice). If you object to the cancellation, you have 15 days from the date of the Final Notice to request a hearing.

The request for hearing must be filed with the Division of Elections, Bureau of Election Records (use the address listed below.) The request for a hearing will be forwarded to the Florida Elections Commission (FEC). The FEC will conduct a hearing based on your request and any supporting documentation. If you want to appear personally in the hearing, you must ask to appear in the request for the hearing. If you fail to request a hearing, you waive your right to a hearing and a final order will be issued canceling the committee's registration.

You may still opt to terminate your committee's registration within 15 days of the Final Notice. You are still obligated for any fines or fees imposed automatically by law or by the FEC.

If you have any questions, please call (850) 245-6280.

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Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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Division of Elections

R.A. Gray Building, Suite 316 • 500 South Bronough Street • Tallahassee, Florida 32399

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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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| 1. Committee | | 2. Telephone | |
| People Over PACs | | (₈₁₃) ⁷⁷³⁻³¹⁹⁸ | |
| Name of Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer 4. Email (optional) | | 5. Telephone (optional) | |
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| Trebotta Commo | | | |
| 6. Mailing Address 13014 N. Dale Mabry Blvd. #240 Tampa FL 33618 | | | |
| 7. Street Address 13014 N. Dale Mabry Blvd. #240 Tampa FL 33618 | | | |
| 8. The following bank has been designated as the Primary Depository Secondary Depository | | | |
| 9. Name of Bank | 10. Street Address | | |
| Bank of America | 201 Pennsylvania Avenue SE | | |
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| 14. Signature of Chairman (Print or Type) Gilbert Walizer | | | |
| Campaign Treasurer's Acceptance of Appointment | | | |
| Rebecca Collins | | da bassi | |
| I,, do hereby accept the appointment as (Please Print or Type) | | | |
| treasurer or deputy treasurer for People Over PACs | | | |
| (Committee) | | | |
| UNDER PENALTIES OF PERJURY, I DECLARE THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT AND THAT THE FACTS STATED ARE TRUE. | | | |
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| Date | Date Signature of Campaign Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer | | |

STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION OF POLITICAL COMMITTEE

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| People Over PACs | | | 813-773-3198 |
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| Gilbert Walizer | 13014 N. Dale Mabry Blvd. #24 | 13014 N. Dale Mabry Blvd. #240 Tampa FL 33618 | | | |
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| Name of Bank or Dep | ository & Account Number | | Mailing Address | | |
| Bank of America | 201 Pennsylvania Avenue SE Washington D.C. 20003 | | | | |
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| I, Gilber Walizer , certify that the information in this Statement of Organization is complete, true and correct. | | | | | |
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| Signature of C | Chairman of Political Committee | | Exhibit 3 📭 | a ge 2 of 2) | |



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April 28, 2020

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson People Over PACs 13014 North Dale Mabry Boulevard #240 Tampa, Florida 33618

Dear Mr. Walizer:

This will acknowledge receipt of the Statement of Organization and Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository for **People Over PACs**, which were placed on file in our office on April 27, 2020. 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 May 11, 2020. The report will cover the period of April 1-30, 2020 (2020 M4). 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: 75634

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

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson April 28, 2020 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.

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Please let me know if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

Kristi Reid Willis, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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Enclosures



Cord Byrd Secretary of State

DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

August 22, 2022

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson People Over PACs 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, FL 33618-3618

Dear Mr. Walizer:

Our records indicate that you have not filed either your campaign treasurer's report or notification that no reportable activity occurred, whichever is applicable. The filing date was August 19, 2022.

The law (s. 106.07(8)(b), Fla. Stat.) requires the filing officer to immediately notify you about the missed filing date and the automatic fines that will be assessed for late filing of a report, if a report was due.

 If reportable activity occurred and you have not filed a report, statutory fines are automatically assessed as follows until you file your report:

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The total fine for the untimely report cannot exceed 25% of the total receipts or expenditures, whichever is greater, for the cover period. Even if you end up filing your report late, we cannot waive the statutory fines. We will notify you of the specific amount of fines owed once you file your report. You have 20 days from the day you receive the notice to pay the fine or to appeal the fine to the Florida Elections Commission.

 If no reportable activity occurred for the report date(s), you are still required to notify us in writing, via the Division's Electronic Filing System, that no reportable activity occurred. No automatic fines are statutorily assessed.

However, in all cases, failure to file and/or untimely filing of a report of reportable activity, or if applicable, a notice that no reportable activity occurred, may constitute an apparent violation of chapter 106, Fla. Stat. If we refer such matter to the Florida Elections Commission, the Commission may subsequently impose a civil penalty for each violation under chapter 106.265(1), Fla. Stat.

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

Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

cc: Rebecca Collins, Treasurer

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DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

August 29, 2022

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson People Over PACs 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, FL 33618-3618

Dear Mr. Walizer:

Our records indicate that you have not filed either your campaign treasurer's report or notification that no reportable activity occurred, whichever is applicable. The filing date was August 26, 2022.

The law (s. 106.07(8)(b), Fla. Stat.) requires the filing officer to immediately notify you about the missed filing date and the automatic fines that will be assessed for late filing of a report, if a report was due.

- If reportable activity occurred and you have not filed a report, statutory fines are automatically assessed as follows until you file your report:
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August 22, 2022

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DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

August 22, 2022

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PAC 75634

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Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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Rebecca Collins, Treasurer for People Over PACs 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, FL 33618

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DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

August 29, 2022

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson People Over PACs 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, FL 33618-3618

PAC 75634

Dear Mr. Walizer:

Our records indicate that you have not filed either your campaign treasurer's report or notification that no reportable activity occurred, whichever is applicable. The filing date was August 26, 2022.

The law (s. 106.07(8)(b), Fla. Stat.) requires the filing officer to immediately notify you about the missed filing date and the automatic fines that will be assessed for late filing of a report, if a report was due.

- If reportable activity occurred and you have not filed a report, statutory fines are automatically assessed as follows until you file your report:
 - © \$50 per day for the first 3 days late
 - \$500 per day for each day after the 3rd day late
 - If the required report immediately precedes a primary and general election, the automatic fine is \$500 for each late day.

The total fine for the untimely report cannot exceed 25% of the total receipts or expenditures, whichever is greater, for the cover period. Even if you end up filing your report late, we cannot waive the statutory fines. We will notify you of the specific amount of fines owed once you file your report. You have 20 days from the day you receive the notice to pay the fine or to appeal the fine to the Florida Elections Commission.

• If no reportable activity occurred for the report date(s), you are still required to notify us in writing, via the Division's Electronic Filing System, that no reportable activity occurred. No automatic fines are statutorily assessed.

However, in all cases, failure to file and/or untimely filing of a report of reportable activity, or if applicable, a notice that no reportable activity occurred, may constitute an apparent violation of chapter 106, Fla. Stat. If we refer such matter to the Florida Elections Commission, the Commission may subsequently impose a civil penalty for each violation under chapter 106.265(1), Fla. Stat.

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

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records



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September 23, 2020

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson People Over PACs 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, FL 33618-3618

PAC 75634

Dear Mr. Walizer:

A recent review of the Division's records show that the Division has not yet received the belowreferenced campaign treasurer's report or the required notification that no reportable activity occurred, whichever is applicable, during the following cover period:

| Year | Report | Cover Period |
|------|--------|------------------|
| 2022 | P7 | 8/6/22 - 8/18/22 |

The Division has previously notified you of the unfiled report or notification. Please file your report or notification. If the report is not filed within 7 days of receipt of this letter, the Division will refer this matter to the Florida Elections Commission, which may impose civil penalties of up to \$1000 per violation, apart from that automatic fine provisions of s. 106.07(8)(b), Fla. Stat.) that are applicable only to campaign finance reports.

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|-------------|--------|-------------------|
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cc: Rebecca Collins, Treasurer

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| Year Report | | Cover Period |
|-------------|----|---------------------|
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|-------------|---------------|-------------------|
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Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

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Florida Department of State - Division of Elections

Florida Election System Reports



Committee Name: People Over PACs
Account: 75634

| Account: 7 | 75634 | | | | |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Date Due Type Date F | Filed Status | Days Late | Fine Appealed Assessed | Amount Fined | Amount Paid |
| 10/21/2022 G4A | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 10/14/2022 G4 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 10/7/2022 G3 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 10/7/2022 G3A | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 9/23/2022 G2A | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 9/16/2022 G2 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 9/9/2022 G1A | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 9/2/2022 G1 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 8/26/2022 P7A | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 8/19/2022 P7 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 8/12/2022 P6 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 8/5/2022 P5 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 7/29/2022 P4 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 7/22/2022 P3 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 7/15/2022 P2A | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 7/8/2022 P2 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 7/1/2022 P1A | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 6/24/2022 P1 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 6/10/2022 M5 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 5/10/2022 M4 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 4/11/2022 M3 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 3/10/2022 M2 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 2/10/2022 M1 | CLO | 0 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 1/10/2022 M12 1/6/20 | | | | | |
| 12/10/2021 M11 12/8/2 | | | | | |
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| 10/26/2020 | D3 | 10/26/2020 | | | | | |
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| 10/25/2020 | D2 | 10/26/2020 | CLO | 1 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 10/24/2020 | D1 | 10/26/2020 | CLO | 2 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| 10/23/2020 | G5 | 10/21/2020 | | | | | |
| 10/16/2020 | G4A | 10/14/2020 | | | | | |
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| 9/18/2020 | G2A | 9/17/2020 | | | | | |
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| 7/31/2020 | P5 | 7/27/2020 | | | | | |
| 7/24/2020 | P4 | 7/20/2020 | | | | | |
| 7/17/2020 | P3 | 7/11/2020 | | | | | |
| 7/10/2020 | P2A | 7/6/2020 | | | | | |
| 7/3/2020 | P2 | 6/29/2020 | | | | | |
| 6/26/2020 | P1A | 6/22/2020 | | | | | |
| 6/19/2020 | P1 | 6/22/2020 | NEN | 3 | \$8.75 | \$8.75 | \$0.00 |
| 6/10/2020 | M5 | 6/22/2020 | CLO | 12 | \$25.00 | \$25.00 | \$25.00 |
| 5/11/2020 | M4 | 6/22/2020 | CLO | 42 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |



P.O. Box 15284 Wilmington, DE 19850

PEOPLE OVER PACS POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE 1432 LAKEVIEW RD LAKE WALES, FL 33853-3907

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 Tampa, FL 33622-5118

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for August 1, 2022 to August 31, 2022

Account number:

PEOPLE OVER PACS POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

Account summary

| Beginning balance on August 1, 2022 | \$170.11 | # of deposits/credits: 0 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|---|
| Deposits and other credits | 0.00 | # of withdrawals/debits: 5 |
| Withdrawals and other debits | -93.29 | # of items-previous cycle¹: 0 |
| Checks | -0.00 | # of days in cycle: 31 |
| Service fees | -16.00 | Average ledger balance: \$75.30 |
| Ending balance on August 31, 2022 | \$60.82 | ¹ Includes checks paid, deposited items and other debits |

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

BANK DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS

How to Contact Us - You may call us at the telephone number listed on the front of this statement.

Updating your contact information - We encourage you to keep your contact information up-to-date. This includes address, email and phone number. If your information has changed, the easiest way to update it is by visiting the Help & Support tab of Online Banking.

Deposit agreement - When you opened your account, you received a deposit agreement and fee schedule and agreed that your account would be governed by the terms of these documents, as we may amend them from time to time. These documents are part of the contract for your deposit account and govern all transactions relating to your account, including all deposits and withdrawals. Copies of both the deposit agreement and fee schedule which contain the current version of the terms and conditions of your account relationship may be obtained at our financial centers.

Electronic transfers: In case of errors or questions about your electronic transfers - If you think your statement or receipt is wrong or you need more information about an electronic transfer (e.g., ATM transactions, direct deposits or withdrawals, point-of-sale transactions) on the statement or receipt, telephone or write us at the address and number listed on the front of this statement as soon as you can. We must hear from you no later than 60 days after we sent you the FIRST statement on which the error or problem appeared.

- Tell us your name and account number.
- Describe the error or transfer you are unsure about, and explain as clearly as you can why you believe there is an error or why you need more information.
- Tell us the dollar amount of the suspected error.

For consumer accounts used primarily for personal, family or household purposes, we will investigate your complaint and will correct any error promptly. If we take more than 10 business days (10 calendar days if you are a Massachusetts customer) (20 business days if you are a new customer, for electronic transfers occurring during the first 30 days after the first deposit is made to your account) to do this, we will provisionally credit your account for the amount you think is in error, so that you will have use of the money during the time it will take to complete our investigation.

For other accounts, we investigate, and if we find we have made an error, we credit your account at the conclusion of our investigation.

Reporting other problems - You must examine your statement carefully and promptly. You are in the best position to discover errors and unauthorized transactions on your account. If you fail to notify us in writing of suspected problems or an unauthorized transaction within the time period specified in the deposit agreement (which periods are no more than 60 days after we make the statement available to you and in some cases are 30 days or less), we are not liable to you and you agree to not make a claim against us, for the problems or unauthorized transactions.

Direct deposits - If you have arranged to have direct deposits made to your account at least once every 60 days from the same person or company, you may call us to find out if the deposit was made as scheduled. You may also review your activity online or visit a financial center for information.

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PEOPLE OVER PACS POLITICAL ACTION | Account

August 1, 2022 to August 31, 2022

Bank of America is hosting our second annual virtual electric vehicle show on Friday, September 9, at noon Eastern. From the comforts of home and through your computer/mobile device, you can participate in a virtual tour of the latest electric vehicles many manufacturers have to offer. Sign up today to attend at bankofamerica.com/autoloans/evolution.

Withdrawals and other debits

| Date | Description | Amount |
|-------------------|--|----------|
| Card accou | nt # | |
| 08/05/22 | PURCHASE 0804 JOOMAG HTTPSWWW.JOOMCA | -49.95 |
| 08/05/22 | PURCHASE 0804 WIX.COM 1009282655 WWW.WIX.COM CA | -18.02 |
| 08/08/22 | CHECKCARD 0804 WIX.COM*1009387415 800-6000949 NY 24906412216153332492841 RECURRING CKCD 4816 XXXXXXXXXXXXX7273 XXXX XXXX XXXX 7273 | -15.37 |
| 08/08/22 | PURCHASE 0806 JOOMAG HTTPSWWW.JOOMCA | -9.95 |
| Subtotal | or card account # | -\$93.29 |
| Total witl | ndrawals and other geoics | -\$93.29 |

Service fees

Your Overdraft and NSF: Returned Item fees for this statement period and year to date are shown below.

| | Total for this period | Total year-to-date |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Total Overdraft fees | \$0.00 | \$65.00 |
| Total NSF: Returned Item fees | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |

We want to help you avoid overdraft fees. Here are a few ways to manage your account and stay on top of your balance:

- Enroll in Balance Connect™ for overdraft protection through Online or Mobile Banking to help save on overdraft fees and cover your payments and purchases by automatically transferring money from your linked backup accounts when needed.
- Sign up for Alerts (footnote 1) to get an email or text message when your balance becomes low

Please call us or visit us if you have any questions or to discuss your options.

(footnote 1) You may elect to receive alerts via text or email. Bank of America does not charge for this service but your mobile carrier's message and data rates may apply. Delivery of alerts may be affected or delayed by your mobile carrier's coverage.

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Service fees - continued

Based on the activity on your business accounts for the statement period ending 07/29/22, a Monthly Fee was charged for your primary Business Advantage Fundamentals Banking account. You can avoid the fee in the future by meeting one of the requirements below:

\$250+ in new net purchases on a linked Business debit card

\$5,000+ combined average monthly balance in linked business accounts

Become a member of Preferred Rewards for Business

For information on how to open a new product, link an existing service to your account, or about Preferred Rewards for Business please call 1.888.BUSINESS or visit bankofamerica.com/smallbusiness.

| Date | Transaction description | Amount |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|----------|
| 08/01/22 | Monthly Fee Business Adv Fundamentals | -16.00 |
| Total service fees | | -\$16.00 |

Note your Ending Balance already reflects the subtraction of Service Fees.

Daily ledger balances

| Date | Balance (\$) | Date | Balance(\$) | Date | Balance (\$) |
|-------|--------------|-------|-------------|-------|--------------|
| 08/01 | 154.11 | 08/05 | 86.14 | 08/08 | 60.82 |

Account Information:

Account Number: 226003221974

Account Title: PEOPLE OVER PACS POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

Account Type: BUSINESS ADV FUNDAMENTALS

Account Open: 5/22/2020

Close Date: N/A Status: OPEN

FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION PHONE LOG

Case No.: FEC 22-424

Respondent: People Over PACS
Complainant: Division of Elections

1. **Date and time:** Thursday, March 16, 2023; 11:21 a.m.

Name: Respondent—People Over PACS

Phone #:

Summary: I called the number on the Division's website and provided on the DS-DE 6; an automated message stated, "This number is no longer in service...." [An email address was not provided on the Division's website nor on the DS-DE 6.]

Entered by: HH

2. Date and time:

Name: Phone #: Summary: Entered by:

RESPONDENT INTERVIEW MEMO – Call details at #[LOG NUMBER]

- [Why was the PC's 2022 P7 report not filed although there was financial activity?]
- [Why was the PC's 2022 P7A notice of no activity / waiver-of-report not filed?]
- Have you ever run for public office? 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.
- Have you ever held the office of chairperson, treasurer, or other similar position for a political committee or electioneering communications organization? 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? If so, please state the name of the candidate or committee whose report you prepared or signed.
- What action have you taken to determine your responsibilities under Florida's election laws?
- Do you possess a copy of Chapter 106, Florida Statutes? If so, when did you first obtain it? Have you read it?
- Do you possess a copy of the *Political Committee Handbook*? If so, when did you first obtain it? Have you read it?
- Did you receive any other materials from your filing officer? If so, please describe them.
- 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?



Florida Elections Commission

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February 2, 2023

Gilbert Walizer, Chair for People Over PACS 1432 Lakeview Rd Lake Wales, FL 33853

RE: Case No.: FEC 22-424; Respondent: People Over PACS

Dear Mr. Walizer:

On October 19, 2022, the Florida Elections Commission received a complaint alleging that 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 violations:

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 2022 P7 and 2022 P7A reporting periods.

Section 106.19(1)(c), Florida Statutes: As alleged in the complaint, Respondent, a political committee registered with the Division of Elections, may have falsely reported or deliberately failed to include information required by Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, during the 2022 P7 and 2022 P7A reporting periods.

When we conclude the investigation, a copy of the Report of Investigation (ROI) will be mailed to you at the above address. Based on the results of the investigation, a staff attorney will prepare and present a written Staff Recommendation (SR) to the Commission as to whether there is probable cause to charge, the Respondent, with violating Chapters 104 or 106, Florida Statutes. You will have an opportunity to respond to both the ROI and the SR. The Commission will then hold one or more hearings to determine whether the alleged violations occurred and, if so, the amount of the fine to be imposed upon your committee. Notice will be mailed to you and the Complainant at least 14 days before any hearing at which your case is to be considered.

Pursuant to Section 106.25(4)(i)3., Florida Statutes, the Commission may enter into a consent agreement with a Respondent to settle a complaint prior to a finding of probable cause. If you are

Gilbert Walizer February 2, 2023 Page 2 FEC 22-424

interested in entering negotiations directed towards reaching a consent agreement to resolve this matter, please contact the Commission and request to speak with the attorney assigned to this case.

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

Pursuant to Section 106.25, Florida Statutes, complaints, investigations, investigative reports, and other documents relating to an alleged violation of Chapters 104 or 106, Florida Statutes, are <u>confidential</u> until the Commission finds probable cause or no probable cause, unless the Respondent files a written waiver of confidentiality with the Commission. The confidentiality provision does not apply to the Complainant or the Respondent.

Should you retain counsel, your attorney must file a notice of appearance with the Commission before any member of the commission staff can discuss this case with him or her.

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

If you have additional questions, please contact **Helen Hinson**, the investigator assigned to this case, by phone at (850) 922-4539 or by email at Helen.Hinson@myfloridalegal.com.

Sincerely,

Executive Director

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DIVISION OF ELECTIONS **FEC NOTICE FORM**

To FEC from Division of Elections

Name:

People Over PACs

Account Number:

75634

Chairperson:

Gilbert Walizer

Treasurer:

Rebecca Collins

Registered Agent: Gilbert Walizer

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. apparent violation of Chapter 106, Florida Statutes, has occurred based upon the failure to file a report after notice or failure to file a notification to 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.

The following reports are outstanding after notification:

2022 P7

2022 P7A

- People Over PACs (75634) is a political committee registered with the Division of Elections. On April 27, 2020, the committee filed the DSDE 5 and DSDE 6 with the Division indicating that Gilbert Walizer was the chairperson.
- The 2022 P7 campaign treasurer's report was due on August 19, 2022. On August 22, 2022, the Division mailed People Over PACs notification that the 2022 P7 campaign treasurer's report had not been filed.
- On September 23, 2022, the Division mailed People Over PACs final notification with delivery confirmation that the 2022 P7 report had not been filed. (See attached letter and delivery confirmation.)
- The 2022 P7A campaign treasurer's report was due on August 26, 2022. On August 29, 2022, the Division mailed People Over PACs notification that the 2022 P7A campaign treasurer's report had not been filed.

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- The committee did not notify the Division of Elections prior to or on the prescribed reporting dates for the 2022 P7 and 2022 P7A reports that no reports were to be filed.
- As of October 17, 2022, People Over PACs has not filed the 2022 P7 and 2022 P7A reports.

Sent By: Donna S. Brown

Date: October 17, 2022

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September 23, 2020

Gilbert Walizer, Chairperson People Over PACs 13014 N Dale Mabry Blvd #240 Tampa, FL 33618-3618

PAC 75634

Dear Mr. Walizer:

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| Year | Report | Cover Period |
|------|--------|------------------|
| 2022 | P7 | 8/6/22 - 8/18/22 |

The Division has previously notified you of the unfiled report or notification. Please file your report or notification. If the report is not filed within 7 days of receipt of this letter, the Division will refer this matter to the Florida Elections Commission, which may impose civil penalties of up to \$1000 per violation, apart from that automatic fine provisions of s. 106.07(8)(b), Fla. Stat.) that are applicable only to campaign finance reports.

As we stated in the prior notices, even if you now file the report or notification, the untimely filing of a report of reportable activity, or if applicable, a notice that no reportable activity occurred, may constitute an apparent violation of chapter 106, Fla. Stat. If we refer such matter to the Florida Elections Commission, the Commission may subsequently impose a civil penalty for each violation under chapter 106.265(1), Fla. Stat.

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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