#### STATE OF FLORIDA FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

In Re: Brian Staver		Case No.: FEC 22-475
то:	Mark Herron, Esquire Messer Caparello, P.A Post Office Box 15579 Tallahassee, FL 32317	Division of Elections 500 S. Bronough Street, Room 316 Tallahassee, FL 32399

#### NOTICE OF HEARING (AUTOMATIC FINE (AF))

A hearing will be held in this case before the Florida Elections Commission on, **November 14, 2023 at 8:30 a.m.,** *or as soon thereafter as the parties can be heard*, at the following location: **402 South Monroe Street, 12 HOB, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.** Due to heightened security access requirements, please bring only essential items into the building and plan to arrive early to allow for delays coming through security.

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Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director Florida Elections Commission October 31, 2023 Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

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#### **Donna Malphurs**

From: Timothy Vaccaro

Sent: Tuesday, October 31, 2023 1:48 PM

To:Donna MalphursCc:Stephanie CunninghamSubject:FW: Brian Staver Cases

Donna, FYI

Tim Vaccaro
Executive Director
Florida Elections Commission
107 West Gaines Street
The Collins Building, Suite 224
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050
(850) 922-4539

From: Timothy Vaccaro

**Sent:** Wednesday, October 11, 2023 10:24 AM **To:** Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com>

Cc: Stephanie Cunningham < Stephanie.Cunningham@myfloridalegal.com >; Donna Malphurs

<Donna.Malphurs@myfloridalegal.com>

Subject: RE: Brian Staver Cases

Good morning, Mark.

I am very sorry to hear this. The orders of continuance for the cases that went in August indicated they would be continued to the next available meeting. Therefore, I think we need to include them on the November agenda; however, we're happy to indicate that you requested a continuance and will state that we do not object. We can simply indicate that Mr. Staver had an out-of-state family emergency/health issue or something to that effect, whatever you're comfortable with. I will follow up with Stephanie and Donna.

Thank you for letting me know.

Tim

Tim Vaccaro
Executive Director
Florida Elections Commission
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The Collins Building, Suite 224
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050
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From: Mark Herron < <a href="mailto:mherron@lawfla.com">mherron@lawfla.com</a> Sent: Tuesday, October 10, 2023 5:33 PM

To: Timothy Vaccaro <Timothy.Vaccaro@myfloridalegal.com>

Subject: Brian Staver Cases

Mr. Staver has informed me that his granddaughter was recently diagnosed with lymphoma. He has indicated that he will not be in Florida anytime soon as a result. What do you need to as good cause to continue his case?

## Mark Herron

Messer Caparello

Telephone: (850) 222-0720

Direct: (850) 425-5217 Cell: (850) 567-4878

Email: mherron@lawfla.com

## STATE OF FLORIDA FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

In Re: Brian Staver	Case	No.: FEC 22-475
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#### ORDER CONTINUING CASE

**THIS MATTER** was heard by the Florida Elections Commission (Commission) at its regularly scheduled meeting on August 15, 2023, in Tallahassee, Florida.

Respondent's attorney requested that the matter be continued due to the unavailability of his client.

The Commission considered Respondent's request and Staff's response. Respondent's request was GRANTED.

**THIS MATTER** is continued until the next available meeting of the Florida Elections Commission.

**DONE AND ORDERED** by the Florida Elections Commission on August 15, 2023.

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

Copies furnished to: Stephanie J. Cunningham, General Counsel Mark Herron, Esq., Attorney for Respondent Division of Elections, Complainant

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WEB PARTICIPATION: <a href="https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4391393799096818270">https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4391393799096818270</a>
AUDIO PARTICIPATION: 1 877 309 2074 ATTENDEE ACCESS CODE: 424-284-031

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#### FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

#### CASE REPORT

Case Number: FEC-22-475

CANDIDATE [X]

POLITICAL PARTY [ ]

PC [ ]

CCE []

STATE [X]

DISTRICT [ ]

COUNTY [ ]

CITY [ ]

NAME: BRIAN STAVER

DATE APPEAL RECEIVED: 11/04/2022

**DATE REPORT DUE:** 10/07/2022 (2022 G3)

DATE OF ELECTRONIC RECEIPT: 10/11/2022

NUMBER OF DAYS LATE: 4

**AMOUNT OF FINE: \$400.00** 

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TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR REPORTING PERIOD: \$1,600.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR REPORTING PERIOD: \$1,218.40

**DATE OF FIRST NOTIFICATION:** 10/10/2022 (Failure to File Ltr)

**SUMMARY:** Brian Staver was a candidate for State Representative, District 54 in the 2022 elections. Sherri Staver was his treasurer.

Brian Staver is appealing the fine claiming he was preparing for hurricane Ian. According to Mr. Staver, he also had issues "attaining accurate information from his bank". He notes that the TRUIST bank statement uses the term "mixed deposit" for all ATM transactions which causes time delays with updating his EFS database.

Attorney Mark Herron appeared on behalf of the respondent and filed supplemental information. He stated Mr. Staver had difficulty obtaining information from ActBlue and his bank. He also notes that Mr. Staver was dealing with his daughter and parents' medical issues while preparing for a hurricane.

- The 2022 G3 Original Report covers the period from 09/10/22-09/23/22; it was due on 10/07/22.
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- The Division of Elections does not have any notes that pertain to Brian Staver's 2022 G3 report.

PRIOR CASES: None.

#### BEFORE THE STATE OF FLORIDA FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

IN RE: Brian Staver,

Appeal of Fines Imposed for Late-Filed Campaign Treasurer's Reports

Brian Staver, through undersigned counsel, submits this late-filed appeal of the fines imposed by the Division of Elections in connection with late filed campaign treasurer's reports. With respect to this appeal, Mr. Staver requests a hearing before the Florida Elections Commission ("FEC").

In support of this appeal and request for hearing, Mr. Staver states:

#### <u>Treasurer's Report Due October 7, 2022</u>

- 1. On or about October 24, 2022, Donna Brown, Chief, Bureau of Elections Records, sent a letter to Mr. Staver indicating that the campaign treasurer's report that was due on October 7, 2022, was filed on October 11, 2022 and that a late fine of \$400.00 had been assessed. (Exhibit 1.)
- 2. On or about January 20, 2023 10, Donna Brown, Chief, Bureau of Elections Records, sent a second letter to Mr. Staver indicating that the campaign treasurer's report that was due on October 7, 2022, was filed on October 11, 2022 and that a late fine of \$400.00 had been assessed. (Exhibit 2.)

3. The Calendar of Reporting Dates for 2022 Candidates (other than statewide candidates) registered with the Division of Elections does not list a campaign treasurer's report that was due on October 7, 2022. (Exhibit 3.)

#### Treasurer's Report Due October 28, 2022

- 4. On or about November 17, 2022, Donna Brown, Chief, Bureau of Elections Records, sent a letter to Mr. Staver indicating that the 2022 G5 campaign treasurer's report that was due on October 28, 2022, was filed on November 1, 2022 and that a late fine of \$485.15 had been assessed. (Exhibit 4.)
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#### <u>Treasurer's Report Due November 4, 2022</u>

6. On or about November 7, 2022, Donna Brown, Chief, Bureau of Elections Records, sent a letter to Mr. Staver indicating that the campaign treasurer's report that was due on November 4, 2022, had not been filed. (Exhibit 6.)

7. On or about January 20, 2023, Donna Brown, Chief, Bureau of Elections Records, sent a letter to Mr. Staver indicating that the 2022 G6 campaign treasurer's report that was due on November 4, 2022, was filed on November 10, 2022 and that a late fine of \$1,199.82 had been assessed. (Exhibit 7.)

#### **Communications With Undersigned Counsel**

- 8. On January 27, 2023, Mr. Staver contacted undersigned counsel's office seeking representation in connection with these matters and, as a result of his conversation with staff, came away with the impression that undersigned counsel agreed to represent him in these matters. However, at that time undersigned counsel had not agreed to represent Mr. Staver.
- 9. On March 17, 2023, Mr. Staver again contacted undersigned counsel's office seeking representation in these matters and this time spoke with undersigned counsel who agreed to represent Mr. Staver in these matters.

#### Appeal of Fine Imposed

10. Section 106.07(8), Florida Statutes, authorizes a candidate to appeal or dispute a fine imposed by the Division of Elections, based upon, but not limited to, unusual circumstances surrounding the failure to file on the designated due date. The candidate may request and shall be entitled to a hearing before the FEC, which shall have the authority to waive the fine in whole

or in part. The FEC must consider the mitigating and aggravating circumstances contained in Section 106.265(2) when determining the amount of a fine, if any, to be waived.

11. During these reporting periods, Mr. Staver was having a very difficult time retrieving information from ActBlue and the bank that would need to be reported. Mr. Staver was also dealing with several issues concerning his eldest daughter who has both mental and physical issues requiring a great deal of my attention during this period and continuing to this day. These issues include Fibromyalgia, Gittelsmans syndrome, abusive mother, PTSD, rape, anxiety disorder, and arranging for her move from California to Florida. Mr. Staver can provide full medical documentation to verify the above. During this time, Mr. Staver was also running a campaign, preparing for a hurricane, and issues with his mother and father who are in their late 80s and are showing issues associated with Alzheimer's and dementia.

#### Conclusion

Based on the foregoing, Mr. Staver respectfully requests that the FEC take up this late-filed appeal, grant him hearing a hearing as requested, and waive the assessed fine, in whole or in part, based on the standards set out in Section 106.07(8)(c), Florida Statutes.

#### Respectfully submitted this 24th day of March 2023, by:

\_/s/Mark Herron\_

**Mark Herron** 

Florida Bar No.: 0199737 MESSER CAPARELLO, P.A. Post Office Box 15579 Tallahassee, FL 32317

Email: mherron@lawfla.com Telephone: (850) 222-0720 Facsimile: (850) 224-4359

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this appeal of the fines imposed by the Division of Elections was filed with the Agency Clerk, Florida Elections Commission, Room 224, The Collins Building, 107 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050, by electronic mail on this 24th day of March 2023.

 From:
 Donna Malphurs

 To:
 Br"Axeton Wims

Subject: FW: Appeals of Fines for Late-filed Reports

Date: Friday, March 24, 2023 1:34:53 PM

Attachments: FEC Appeal.pdf

FEC Appeal - Late Filed.pdf

From: Mark Herron <mherron@lawfla.com> Sent: Friday, March 24, 2023 12:58 PM

To: Donna Malphurs < Donna. Malphurs@myfloridalegal.com>

Subject: Appeals of Fines for Late-filed Reports

#### See attached appeals of the fines imposed by the Division of Elections

### Mark Herron

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#### **Br'Axeton Wims**

From: Donna Malphurs < Donna. Malphurs@myfloridalegal.com > on behalf of Florida Elections Commission

<fec@myfloridalegal.com>

Sent: Monday, November 7, 2022 4:03 PM

**To**: Br'Axeton Wims

**Subject:** Fw: Late fee/fine for can79261 assessed on October 7, 2022.

Attachments: SCAN0004.PDF

---- Forwarded by Donna Malphurs/OAG on 11/07/2022 04:02 PM ----

Date: 11/04/2022 05:25 PM

Subject: Late fee/fine for can79261 assessed on October 7, 2022.

#### Dear Donna,

I have received a letter stating that I need to send in 400.00 dollars as a late fee/fine. I want to appeal this fee/fine due to mitigating circumstances.

We were preparing for hurricane IAN during the time frame mentioned. I hope this will mitigate my fine.

I have included a scanned copy of this document for you to review.

On another note, I am having issues attaining accurate information from my bank TRUIST. They like to use the fraise TRUIST ATM MIXED DEPOSIT for all transactions through their ATMs. This statement does cause time delays when updating my EFS database. Thank you for taking a look at this.

Brian

**Brian Staver** 

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Candidate for Florida House of Representatives District 54

U.S. Navy Veteran

President of East Pasco Democratic Club

Member NAACP

Precinct 107 and Citizens Climate Lobby group leader

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/cases-updates/cases-in-us.html

"Education is not the learning of facts but the training of the mind to think," Albert Einstein. (See attached file: SCAN0004.PDF)



#### FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE Cord Byrd

Secretary of State

#### **DIVISION OF ELECTIONS**

October 24, 2022

Brian Staver Candidate for State Representative, District 54 32896 Estate Garden Drive Wesley Chapel, FL 33545-3545

CAN 79261

Dear Mr. Staver:

The campaign treasurer's report that was due on October 7, 2022, was filed on October 11, 2022. By law, you are automatically assessed a late fine of \$400.00.

#### You have 20 days from the receipt of this notice to either:

Pay the fine to the Florida Division of Elections (For a candidate only, a fine is not an allowable campaign expenditure and must be paid from personal funds) at:

> Florida Division of Elections R.A. Gray Building, Room. 316 500 South Bronough Street Tallahassee, Florida 32399-025011

2. Appeal the fine to the Florida Elections Commission (See Rules 2B-1.005 and 2B-1.0055, Florida Administrative Code) at:

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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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#### Secretary of State

#### DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

CAN 79261

October 24, 2022

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32896 Estate Garden Drive
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Sincerely,

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Dear Mr. Staver:

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 October 7, 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.

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Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief Bureau of Election Records

cc: Sherri Staver, Treasurer

CAN 79261

	CAMPAIGN TRE	•		IIONS	
(1) Brian Staver		(2)	79261		
Candidate, Committe or Part	/ Name	(2)	I.D. Number		
(3) 32896 Estate Garden Drive		Wesley Chapel	l FL	33545	
Address (number and street)	s changed since last report	City	State	Zip Code	
(4) Check appropriate box(es):					
☐ Candidate (office sough ☐ Political Committee ☐ Committee of Continuou ☐ Party Executive Commi	ıs Existance	=	has DISBANDED E has DISBANDED		
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Cover Period: From 09/10	2022 To 09	/23/2022	Report Type:	G3	
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(6) CONTRIBUTIONS THIS	REPORT		(7) EXPENDITURES	THIS REPORT	
Cash & Checks	\$1,000.00	Monetary Expe	nditures	\$1,218	3.40
Loans	\$600.00	Transfers to Off		\$0	0.00
Total Monetary	\$1,600.00	Total Mon	netary	\$1,218	3.40
In-Kind	\$0.00	(8) Other Distrib	outions		
It is a firs	Ce degree misdemeanor for any p	ertification person to falsify a pub	olic record (ss.839.13	, F.S.)	
I certify that I have examined this true, correct and complete	report and it is	I certify that I hat true, correct and	ave examined this rep d complete	oort and it is	
Name of Treasurer	☐ Deputy Treasurer	Name of	Candidate	Chaiman (PC/PTY On	ly
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Signature		Signature			

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#### **CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORT – ITEMIZED CONTRIBUTIONS**

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Name: Brian Staver

Report: 2022 G3

Period: 09/10/2022 to 09/23/2022

** Records	in Filed I	Report **
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Seq#	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle	Contributor	Occupation	Amount
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip	Туре	In-Kind Description	Amend
1	GRETZULA, SHARON		NOT EMPLOYED	\$50.00
09/14/2022	5317 CAMBERLEA AVE.	CHE	THE LEWIS ESTED	1
2	ZEPHYRHILLS, FL 33541 GRETZULA, SHARON	0112		\$50.00
-	5317 CAMBERLEA AVE	l	NOT EMPLOYED	]
09/14/2022	ZEPHYRHILLS,, FL 33541	CHE		
3	MCCULLOUGH, ELENA		NOT EMPLOYED	\$100.00
09/14/2022	29743 CHAPEL PARK DR WESLEY CHAPEL, FL 33543	CHE		1
4	LEDBETTER, BEVERLY	l ,	NOT EMPLOYED	\$50.00
09/15/2022	12233 VICTOR LANE DADE CITY, FL 33525	CHE		1
5	STAVER, BRIAN	l ,	RETIRED	\$600.00
09/21/2022	32896 ESTATE GARDEN DR. WESLEY CHAPEL, FL 33545	LOA		1
* 6	PASCO COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE		DONATION	\$750.00
09/22/2022	COMMITTEE, PO BOX1281 NEW PORT RICHEY, FL 34655-3348	CHE		1

#### **CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORT - ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES**

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Name: Brian Staver

Report: 2022 G3

Period: 09/10/2022

to 09/23/2022

\*\* Records in Filed Report \*\*

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Seq#	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle	Туре	Purpose	Amount Amend
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip			
1	ACTBLUE	l <sub>MON</sub>	DIGITAL MONEY COLLECTION	\$0.75
00/44/0000	P.O. BOX 441146	IVION	BIGITAL MONET GOLLLOTTON	
09/14/2022	SOMERVILLE, MA 02144-0031			
2	ACTBLUE		DIGITAL MONEY COLLECTION	\$0.75
	P.O. BOX 441146	MON	DIGITAL MONEY COLLECTION	·
09/14/2022	SOMERVILLE, MA 02144-0031			
3	ACTBLUE			\$1.50
	P.O. BOX 441146	MON	DIGITAL MONEY COLLECTION	Ų 1.00
09/14/2022	SOMERVILLE, MA 02144-0031			
4	ACTBLUE			\$0.75
		MON	DIGITAL MONEY COLLECTION	φυ./3
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	SOMERVILLE, MA 02144-0031			01.071.00
5	GUYS GOOD	l mon	PRINTING	\$1,074.39
09/15/2022	6315 ANDERSON RD	I WOIN		
09/15/2022	TAMPA, FL 33634			
6	DEPOT OFFICE	MON	OFFICE SUPPLYS	\$29.10
	1714 BRUCE B DOWNS BLVD	MON	OFFICE SUFFLYS	
09/14/2022	WESLEY CHAPEL,, FL 33544			
7	DEPOT OFFICE		OFFICE OURDLAND	\$29.10
	1714 BRUCE B DOWNS BLVD	MON	OFFICE SUPPLYS	
09/12/2022	WESLEY CHAPEL,, FL 33544			
8	PRINT VISTA			\$82.06
	275 WYMAN ST	MON	PRINTING SERVICES	ψ02.00
09/12/2022				
	WALTHAM, MA 02451		1	

#### **CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORT – ITEMIZED FUND TRANSFERS**

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Name: Brian Staver

Report: 2022 G3

Period: 09/10/2022

to 09/23/2022

\*\* Records in Filed Report \*\*

Seq#	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle Street Address & Citv. State, Zip	Туре	Nature of Account	Amount Amend
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#### **CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORT - ITEMIZED DISTRIBUTIONS**

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Name: Brian Staver

Report: <u>2022</u> <u>G3</u>

Period: 09/10/2022

to 09/23/2022

\*\* Records in Filed Report \*\*

Seq#	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle	Recipient	Purpose	Amount
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip	Туре	Related Expenditure	Amend
	,			

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## Queued Items for 2022-G3

Account: 79261

STR 054 Brian Staver

Rpt Seq: 26

ProcessDescription	Status	Submitter	Created	LastUpdate
Create Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 6:30:33 AM	9/16/2022 6:30:33 AM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 6:54:49 AM	9/16/2022 6:54:49 AM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 6:54:55 AM	9/16/2022 6:54:55 AM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:28:27 AM	9/16/2022 7;28:27 AM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:29:36 AM	9/16/2022 7:29:36 AM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:29:45 AM	9/16/2022 7:29:45 AM
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Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:32:13 AM	9/16/2022 7:32:13 AM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:32:50 AM	9/16/2022 7:32:50 AM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:32:59 AM	9/16/2022 7:32:59 AM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:33:04 AM	9/16/2022 7:33:04 AM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	9/16/2022 7:33:15 AM	9/16/2022 7:33:15 AM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	9/22/2022 6:12:30 PM	9/22/2022 6:12:30 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	10/11/2022 5:28:58 PM	10/11/2022 5:28:58 PM
File Pending Report	Processing Complete	79261	10/11/2022 5:29:34 PM	10/11/2022 5:29:34 PM



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## Florida Department of State - Division of Elections

#### Florida Election System Reports

Candidate/Committee Lookup
Name: Staver

Election:

Acct: 79261

Type: Candidate

Search Reset

Candidate Name: Brian Staver
Account: 79261

Date Due	Туре	Date Filed	Status	Days Late	Fine Assessed	Appealed	Amount Fined	Amount Paid
11/4/2022	G6		SNT	0	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
10/28/2022	G5	11/1/2022	PEN	4	\$485.15		\$485.15	\$0.00
10/14/2022	G4		SNT	0	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
10/7/2022	G3	10/11/2022	SNT	4	\$400.00		\$400.00	\$0.00
9/16/2022	G2	9/11/2022						
9/2/2022	G1	8/30/2022						
8/19/2022	P7	8/23/2022	CLO	4	\$2.50		\$2.50	\$2.50
8/12/2022	P6	8/19/2022	CLO	7	\$18.75		\$18.75	\$18.75
8/5/2022	P5	8/4/2022						
7/29/2022	P4	8/4/2022	CLO	6	\$80.00		\$80.00	\$80.00
7/22/2022	P3	7/17/2022						
7/8/2022	P2	7/8/2022						
6/24/2022	P1	7/8/2022	CLO	14	\$64.22		\$64.22	\$64.22
6/10/2022	M5	6/8/2022						
5/10/2022	M4	5/9/2022						
4/11/2022	М3	3/31/2022						
3/10/2022	M2	3/6/2022						
2/10/2022	M1	2/7/2022						
1/10/2022		1/7/2022	CLO	0	\$52.80		\$52.80	\$52.80
12/10/2021	M11	12/9/2021						
11/10/2021		11/8/2021						
10/12/2021	М9	10/8/2021						
9/10/2021	М8	9/11/2021	CLO	1	\$35.52		\$35.52	\$35.52
8/10/2021	М7	8/10/2021						
7/12/2021	M6	7/7/2021						
6/10/2021	М5	7/7/2021	CLO	0	\$26.25		\$26.25	\$26.25
6/10/2021	М5	7/7/2021	CLO	27	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
5/10/2021	M4	5/30/2021	CLO	0	\$26.25		\$26.25	\$26.25
5/10/2021	M4	5/30/2021	CLO	20	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
4/12/2021	МЗ	4/1/2021						
3/10/2021	M2	3/17/2021	CLO	7	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00

#### 2022 General Election Brian Staver (DEM) State Representative

#### **Campaign Finance Activity**

**Note:** The information presented below was obtained from the Committee's/Candidate's Campaign Treasurer's Report filed with the Division of Elections. About the Campaign Finance Data Base.

		Contributions					
	Filing Period	Monetary	Loans	InKind	Expend	Other	Transfers
W	02/22/2021 - 02/28/2021	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	03/01/2021 - 03/31/2021	20.00	643.55	0.00	158.28	0.00	0.00
	04/01/2021 - 04/30/2021	20.00	0.00	0.00	163.81	0.00	0.00
	05/01/2021 - 05/31/2021	0.00	0.00	0.00	134.31	0.00	0.00
	06/01/2021 - 06/30/2021	0.00	0.00	0.00	133.49	0.00	0.00
	07/01/2021 - 07/31/2021	255.00	500.00	0.00	135.17	0.00	0.00
	08/01/2021 - 08/31/2021	100.00	0.00	0.00	142.06	0.00	0.00
	09/01/2021 - 09/30/2021	228.70	0.00	0.00	159.37	0.00	0.00
	10/01/2021 - 10/31/2021	55.22	0.00	0.00	133.92	0.00	0.00
	11/01/2021 - 11/30/2021	10.00	0.00	0.00	181.30	0.00	0.00
	12/01/2021 - 12/31/2021	8.66	0.00	0.00	212.56	6.20	0.00
	01/01/2022 - 01/31/2022	34.16	0.00	0.00	51.62	0.00	0.00
	02/01/2022 - 02/28/2022	92.52	1,768.09	0.00	100.80	0.80	0.00
	03/01/2022 - 03/31/2022	45.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.68	33.70	0.00
	04/01/2022 - 04/30/2022	275.00	20.00	0.00	234.77	32.50	0.00
	05/01/2022 - 05/31/2022	451.00	0.00	0.00	146.10	55.00	0.00
	06/01/2022 - 06/17/2022	280.00	0.00	0.00	1.65	0.00	0.00
	06/18/2022 - 07/01/2022	60.00	0.00	0.00	88.60	0.00	0.00
	07/02/2022 - 07/15/2022	1,015.00	0.00	0.00	25.14	0.00	0.00
	07/16/2022 - 07/22/2022	320.00	0.00	0.00	2.41	0.00	0.00
	07/23/2022 - 07/29/2022	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.38	0.00	0.00
	07/30/2022 - 08/05/2022	25.00	0.00	0.00	77.94	0.00	0.00
	08/06/2022 - 08/18/2022	10.00	0.00	0.00	324.12	0.00	0.00
	08/19/2022 - 08/26/2022	10.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00
0	08/27/2022 - 09/09/2022	284.38	200.00	0.00	236.26	0.00	0.00
0	09/10/2022 - 09/23/2022	1,000.00	600.00	0.00	1,218.40	0.00	0.00
	09/24/2022 - 10/07/2022	25.00	0.00	0.00	5,699.04	0.00	0.00
0	10/08/2022 - 10/21/2022	1,940.60	0.00	0.00	292.13	0.00	0.00
0	10/22/2022 - 11/03/2022	50.00	0.00	0.00	4,799.26	0.00	0.00

0	11/04/2022 - 02/06/2023	0.00	0.00	0.00	322.27	0.00	0.00
	All Dates (Totals)	6,640.24	8,731.64	0.00	15,175.99	128.20	0.00

Note: <sup>(E)</sup> indicates that report was filed electronically **X** Indicates that detail has not been released

W Indicates that a waiver was filed and L Indicates that a loan report was filed

Select Detail TypeSelect Sort OrderSelect Output TypeContributions✓Date(Ascending)✓Display On Screen ✓

Submit Query Now

Query the Campaign Finance Data Base

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#### **HISTORY NOTES**

#### Brian Staver - 79261

**Date Recorded Unique ID Last Edited Date Orginally Recorded By** 76734 3/25/2022 11:54:00 AM kaford DSDE-9 incomplete: 3/25/2022 - Spoke with candidate regarding Block #3 (Address) being blank. Candidate stated the wrong DSDE-9 was scanned as the DSDE-9 received on March 24, 2022 was the corrected form because the first DSDE-9 received on March 21, 2022 was missing his address in Block #3. Advised candidate that there was no address provided on the DSDE-9 received on March 24, 2022. Further advised candidate that his DSDE-9 needs to be fully complete in order for it to be processed. Candidate advised he will send the form. kaf 76198 12/15/2021 3:28:00 PM stbaker RE - Missed Fine Payment for the 2021 M4 Report Called and spoke to Candidate, Brian Staver, advising him of the missed fine payment of the late filing of the 2021 M4. I explained that there were 2 fines for the amount of \$26.25, however, the Division only received one payment. He stated it was an oversight and that he would be sending in a payment today to cover the missed 2021 M4 fine. 74342 4/1/2021 2:16:00 PM mcchellman RE Creds, received call from C and T, confirmed their identity, gave them their PINs 2:15 pm. 74061 3/16/2021 4:40:00 PM zjsantos RE: Credentials I received a call from Mr. Staver and released his credentials to him and to his treasurer over the phone. 73856 3/10/2021 9:03:00 AM zjsantos RE: Credentials I left the treasurer a voicemail to call back if they have yet to receive they're credentials, I also mentioned that there is a report due today.

# STATE OF FLORIDA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE EMERGENCY ORDER NUMBER 22-01 (Emergency Management/Elections – Hurricane Ian)

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2022, Governor DeSantis issued Executive Order 22-218 regarding Tropical Depression Nine and declared a state of emergency in 24 counties; and

WHEREAS, on September 24, 2022, Tropical Depression Nine strengthened into Tropical Storm Ian, and Governor DeSantis issued Executive Order 22-219 reaffirming his previous order and declaring a state-wide emergency; and

WHEREAS, on September 26, 2022, Tropical Storm Ian strengthened into Hurricane Ian with maximum sustained winds of 85 miles per hour; and

WHEREAS, on September 27, 2022, Hurricane Ian continued to strengthen, increasing its maximum sustained winds to 125 miles per hour; and

WHEREAS, on September 28, 2022, Hurricane Ian made landfall off the coast of Fort Myers as a category 4 hurricane with sustained winds of approximately 150 miles per hour, traveled across the peninsula, and exited the state from Cape Canaveral on September 29, 2022; and

WHEREAS, because Hurricane Ian inflicted catastrophic storm surge and wind damage along its path, a major disaster has been declared in affected areas of the State; and

WHEREAS, numerous county Supervisors of Elections have experienced office closures, and utility and telecommunication disruptions have occurred across the state; and

WHEREAS, Section 4 of Executive Order 22-218, as amended by Executive Order 22-219, allows state agencies to suspend the provisions of any regulatory statute, order, or rule, if strict compliance with the provisions of the statute, order, or rule would prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with the emergency; and

WHEREAS, the devastation and destruction of Hurricane Ian has affected the ability of candidates, including those participating in matching funds, political committees, and electioneering communication organizations to file timely campaign finance reports without jeopardizing ongoing efforts to cope with the emergency; and

WHEREAS, compliance with upcoming campaign finance and state campaign matching fund deadlines will unnecessarily detract from response and recovery activities in the immediate aftermath of Hurricane Ian.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CORD BYRD, as Florida Secretary of State, by the authority vested in me by Executive Order 22-218, as amended by Executive Order 22-219, and all other applicable laws, promulgate the following Emergency Order, to take effect immediately:

Section 1. The filing deadline for campaign finance reports contained in Sections 106.07(1) and 106.0703(1), Florida Statutes, is suspended until Friday, October 7, 2022. Accordingly, any reports that would otherwise be due on September 30, 2022, shall be filed no later than October 7, 2022.

<u>Section 2.</u> This order shall remain in effect as stated above or until modified by order of the Florida Secretary of State.

Executed this 30th day of September 2022, in Florida Department of State, Office of the Secretary, Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

Cord Byrd Florida Secretary of State

## Candidate Tracking System

#### 2022 General Election

**State Representative** 

District 54

**Brian Staver** 

**Democrat** 

Address

32896 Estate Garden Drive Wesley Chapel, FL 33545

Phone: (408)313-3043

**Campaign Treasurer** 

Sherri Staver 32896 Estate Garden Drive Wesley Chapel, FL 33545-

Status:Qualified
Date Filed:02/22/2021
Date Qualified:06/16/2022
Method:Petition method

Campaign Finance Activity

Campaign Documents

Petition Signatures



**RON DESANTIS** 

Governor

LAUREL M. LEE Secretary of State

February 23, 2021

Brian Staver 32896 Estate Garden Drive Wesley Chapel, Florida 33545

Dear Mr. Staver:

This will acknowledge receipt of the Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository for the office of State Representative, which was placed on file in our office on February 22, 2021. Your name has been placed on the 2022 active candidate list.

#### Campaign Treasurer's Reports

Your first campaign treasurer's report will be due on **March 10, 2021**. The report will cover the period of February 1-28, 2021 (2021 M2). All candidates who 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 your user identification number. Enclosed are your confidential, filing credentials.

EFS Website Address: https://efs.dos.state.fl.us

Identification Number: 79261

#### **Timely Filing**

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



Brian Staver February 23, 2021 Page Two

Any candidate 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% of the total receipts or expenditures, whichever is greater, for the period covered by the late report. However, for 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 candidate 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 <a href="https://dos.myflorida.com/elections">https://dos.myflorida.com/elections</a>. 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: Chapters 104 and 106, Florida Statutes, Candidate and Campaign Treasurer Handbook, Calendar of Reporting Dates, and Rule 1S-2.017, Florida Administrative Code.

Reid Willis

Please let me know if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

Kristi Reid Willis, Chief Bureau of Election Records

KRW/zjs

**Enclosures** 

pc: Sherri Staver, Treasurer

#### APPOINTMENT OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER AND DESIGNATION OF CAMPAIGN **DEPOSITORY FOR CANDIDATES**

(Section 106.021(1), F.S.)

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

NOTE: This form must be on file with the qualifying

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officer before opening the campaign account.				OFFICE USE ONLY							
1. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES):											
Initial Filing of Form	Re	-filing to Change:	■ Tr	easu	rer/Deputy		Depository		Office	Party	
2. Name of Candidate (in this order: First, Middle, Last)					3. Address (include post office box or street, city, state, zip						
Brian Staver				_ code) _ Brian Staver							
4. Telephone				32896 Estate Garden Dr.							
(408 ) 313-3043	08 ) 313-3043 brianstaver123@gmail.com			Wesley Chapel Fl. 33545							
6. <b>Office sought</b> (include district, circuit, group number) Florida House of representatives のどろてのエンちゅ				7. If a candidate for a <u>nonpartisan</u> office, check if applicable:  My intent is to run as a Write-In candidate.							
8. If a candidate for a partisan office, check block and fill in name of party as applicable: My intent is to run as a							un as a				
☐ Write-In ☐ No P	Party Affili	liation x [	Demod	crat	ic			_ Part	ty ca	andidate.	
9. I have appointed the fo	llowing	person to act as	; my		Campaign	Tre	asurer	Deput	ty Treasur	rer	
10. Name of Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer Sherri Staver											
11. Mailing Address 12. Telephone							2 00 40				
32896 Estate Garden Dr.						<del></del>		(408	)313	3-3043	
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18. I have designated the	followin ———	g bank as my	×		rimary Depos	sitory	у <u> </u>	Secor	ndary Dep	ository	
19. Name of Bank Truist	19. Name of Bank 20. Address Truist P.O. Box 305183										
21. City					23. S	tate			24. Zip (		
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UNDER PENALTIES OF PERJURY, I DECLARE THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING FORM FOR APPOINTMENT OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER AND DESIGNATION OF CAMPAIGN DEPOSITORY AND THAT THE FACTS STATED IN IT ARE TRUE.											
25. Date											
03/22/2022 X (250)											
27. Treasurer's Acceptance of Appointment (fill in the blanks and check the appropriate block)											
Sherri Staver				, do hereby accept the appointment							
(Please Print or Type Name)  designated above as:											
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3/22/2022 X Skerri Stauer											
Date					Signature of Campaign Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer						

## STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE

(Section 106.023, F.S.)
(Please print or type)

## REGERVEDNLY

2021 FEB 22 PM 1: 00

DIVISION OF ELECTIONS TALLAHASSEE, FL

I. Brian Staver
candidate for the office of Florida House of Representativs District 38 ;
have been provided access to read and understand the requirements of
Chapter 106, Florida Statutes.
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Signature of Candidate Date

Each candidate must file a statement with the qualifying officer within 10 days after the Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository is filed. Willful failure to file this form is a first degree misdemeanor and a civil violation of the Campaign Financing Act which may result in a fine of up to \$1,000, (ss. 106.19(1)(c), 106.265(1), Florida Statutes).