

**STATE OF FLORIDA
FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION**

In Re: Stephen Brown

Case No.: FEC 24-216

TO: Stephen Brown
(address exempt per Ch. 119, F.S.)

Division of Elections
RA Gray Building, Room 316
500 S. Bronough Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399

NOTICE OF HEARING (AUTOMATIC FINE (AF))

A hearing will be held in this case before the Florida Elections Commission on, **June 23, 2025 at 1:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the parties can be heard**, via Zoom, at the following link:
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86504722298?pwd=ysJgh3XhXvJnTepZhKKfHbHZIGk252.1> and entering the **Meeting ID: 865 0472 2298 and Passcode: 885875**.

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

This hearing will be conducted pursuant to Section 106.25, Florida Statutes, which governs your participation as follows:

If you are the Respondent, you may attend the hearing, and you or your attorney will have *5 minutes* to present your case to the Commission. However, some cases (including those in which consent orders or recommendations for no probable cause are being considered) may be decided by an *en masse* vote and, unless you request to be heard or the Commission requests that your case be considered separately on the day of the hearing, your case will *not* be individually heard.

If you are the Complainant, you may attend the hearing, but you will *not* be permitted to address the Commission. In addition, some cases (including those in which consent orders or recommendations for no probable cause are being considered) may be decided by an *en masse* vote and, unless the Respondent requests to be heard or the Commission requests that the case be considered separately on the day of the hearing, the case will *not* be individually heard.

If you are an Appellant, and you have requested a hearing, you may attend the hearing, and you or your attorney will have *5 minutes* to present your case to the Commission.

Please be advised that both confidential and public cases are scheduled to be heard by the Florida Elections Commission on this date. As an Appellant, Respondent or Complainant in one case, you will *not* be permitted to attend the hearings on other confidential cases.

The Commission will electronically record the meeting. Although the Commission's recording is considered the official record of the hearing, the Respondent may provide, at his own expense, a certified court reporter to also record the hearing.

If you require an accommodation due to a disability, contact Donna Ann Malphurs at (850) 922-4539 or by mail at 107 West Gaines Street, The Collins Building, Suite 224, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, at least 5 days before the hearing.

See further instructions on the reverse side.

Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director
Florida Elections Commission
May 30, 2025

Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

If this is a hearing to consider **an appeal from an automatic fine**, the Filing Officer has imposed a fine on you for your failure to file a campaign treasurer's report on the designated due date and, by filing an appeal, you have asked the Commission to consider either (1) that the report was in fact timely filed; or (2) that there were unusual circumstances that excused the failure to file the report timely. You are required to prove your case. If the Commission finds that the report was filed timely or that there were unusual circumstances that excused the failure, it may waive the fine, in whole or in part. The Commission may reduce a fine after considering the factors in Section 106.265, Florida Statutes. If the Commission finds that the report was not timely filed and there were no unusual circumstances, the fine will be upheld.

If this is a hearing to consider **an appeal of an intent to revoke a registration**, of a Political Committee, Electioneering Communications Organization, or a Political Party, the Division of Elections has issued you a notice of intent, citing the reasons for which it intends to cancel your registration. By filing the appeal, you have asked the Commission to recommend that the Division's Notice of Intent be set aside. You are required to explain why you believe your registration should not be cancelled. Based upon the information you present, the Commission will issue a recommended order to the Division, in which it will either recommend that the Notice of Intent be set aside, or that the cancellation be upheld.

**STATE OF FLORIDA
FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION**

In Re: Stephen Brown

Case No.: FEC 24-216

TO: Stephen Brown
(Address exempt per Ch. 119, F.S.)

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

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

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

**STATE OF FLORIDA
FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION**

In Re: Stephen Brown

Case No.: FEC 24-216

TO: Stephen Brown

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, **February 26, 2025 at 9:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the parties can be heard**, at the following location: **412 Knott Building, Pat Thomas Committee Room, 404 South Monroe Street, 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.

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

This hearing will be conducted pursuant to Section 106.25, Florida Statutes, which governs your participation as follows:

If you are the Respondent, you may attend the hearing, and you or your attorney will have *5 minutes* to present your case to the Commission. However, some cases (including those in which consent orders or recommendations for no probable cause are being considered) may be decided by an *en masse* vote and, unless you request to be heard or the Commission requests that your case be considered separately on the day of the hearing, your case will *not* be individually heard.

If you are the Complainant, you may attend the hearing, but you will *not* be permitted to address the Commission. In addition, some cases (including those in which consent orders or recommendations for no probable cause are being considered) may be decided by an *en masse* vote and, unless the Respondent requests to be heard or the Commission requests that the case be considered separately on the day of the hearing, the case will *not* be individually heard.

If you are an Appellant, and you have requested a hearing, you may attend the hearing, and you or your attorney will have *5 minutes* to present your case to the Commission.

Please be advised that both confidential and public cases are scheduled to be heard by the Florida Elections Commission on this date. As an Appellant, Respondent or Complainant in one case, you will *not* be permitted to attend the hearings on other confidential cases.

The Commission will electronically record the meeting. Although the Commission's recording is considered the official record of the hearing, the Respondent may provide, at his own expense, a certified court reporter to also record the hearing.

If you require an accommodation due to a disability, contact Donna Ann Malphurs at (850) 922-4539 or by mail at 107 West Gaines Street, The Collins Building, Suite 224, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, at least 5 days before the hearing.

See further instructions on the reverse side.

Tim Vaccaro

Executive Director
Florida Elections Commission
February 5, 2025

Please refer to the information below for further instructions related to your particular hearing:

If this is a hearing to consider **an appeal from an automatic fine**, the Filing Officer has imposed a fine on you for your failure to file a campaign treasurer's report on the designated due date and, by filing an appeal, you have asked the Commission to consider either (1) that the report was in fact timely filed; or (2) that there were unusual circumstances that excused the failure to file the report timely. You are required to prove your case. If the Commission finds that the report was filed timely or that there were unusual circumstances that excused the failure, it may waive the fine, in whole or in part. The Commission may reduce a fine after considering the factors in Section 106.265, Florida Statutes. If the Commission finds that the report was not timely filed and there were no unusual circumstances, the fine will be upheld.

If this is a hearing to consider a **consent order before a determination of probable cause has been made**, the Commission will decide whether to accept or reject the consent order. If the Commission accepts the consent order, the case will be closed and become public. If the Commission rejects the consent order or does not make a decision to accept or deny the consent order, the case will remain confidential, unless confidentiality has been waived.

If this is a hearing to consider a **consent order after a determination of probable cause has been made**, the Commission will decide whether to accept or reject the consent order. If the Commission accepts the consent order, the case will be closed. If the Commission rejects the consent order or does not make a decision to accept or deny the consent order, the Respondent will be entitled to another hearing to determine if the Respondent committed the violation(s) alleged.

If this is a **probable cause hearing**, the Commission will decide if there is probable cause to believe that the Respondent committed a violation of Florida's election laws. Respondent should be prepared to explain how the staff in its recommendation incorrectly applied the law to the facts of the case. *Respondent may not testify, call others to testify, or introduce any documentary or other evidence at the probable cause hearing.* The Commission will only decide whether Respondent should be *charged* with a violation and, before the Commission determines whether a violation has occurred or a fine should be imposed, Respondent will have an opportunity for another hearing at which evidence may be introduced.

If this is an **informal hearing**, it will be conducted pursuant Sections 120.569 and 120.57(2), Florida Statutes; Chapter 28 and Commission Rule 2B-1.004, Florida Administrative Code. At the hearing, the Commission will decide whether the Respondent committed the violation(s) charged in the Order of Probable Cause. The Respondent will be permitted to testify. However, the Respondent may not call witnesses to testify.

Respondent may argue why the established facts in the Staff Recommendation do not support the violations charged in the Order of Probable Cause. At Respondent's request, the Commission may determine whether Respondent's actions in the case were willful. The Respondent may also address the appropriateness of the recommended fine. If Respondent claims that his limited resources make him unable to pay the statutory fine, *he must provide the Commission with written proof of his financial resources* at the hearing. A financial affidavit form is available from the Commission Clerk.

FLORIDA ELECTIONS COMMISSION
CASE REPORT
Case Number: FEC-24-216

NAME: **STEPHEN BROWN**

DATE APPEAL RECEIVED: 07/30/2024

DATE REPORT DUE: 06/10/2024 (2024 Q2)

DATE OF ELECTRONIC RECEIPT: 06/21/2024

NUMBER OF DAYS LATE: 11

AMOUNT OF FINE: \$2,419.38¹

FINE BASED ON: (..) NUMBER OF DAYS (..) 25% OF RECEIPTS **(X)** 25% OF EXPENDITURES

TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR REPORTING PERIOD: \$250.00 (+106.00 In-Kind)

TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR REPORTING PERIOD: \$11,020.25

DATE OF FIRST NOTIFICATION: 06/17/2024 (Failure to File Ltr)

SUMMARY: Stephen Brown was a candidate for Circuit Judge, Circuit 9, Group 43 in the 2024 elections. Mr. Brown was his own treasurer.

Stephen Brown is appealing the fine, claiming the campaign inadvertently missed the filing deadline due to unusual circumstances. According to Mr. Brown, his mother and campaign treasurer suffered the loss of her life partner and broke her knee during the same period. He notes that her injury required surgery and extensive immobilization. Mr. Brown has provided documents to support the appeal.

- The 2024 Q2 Original Report covers the period from 04/01/24-05/31/24; it was due on 06/10/24.
- The 2024 Q2 Queued Transaction Report shows that it was created, filed, and amended on 06/21/24. The report was also amended on 06/26/24.
- Stephen Brown reported receiving 2 contributions, while making 21 expenditures.
- The Division of Elections does not have any notes that pertain to Stephen Brown's 2024 Q2 report.

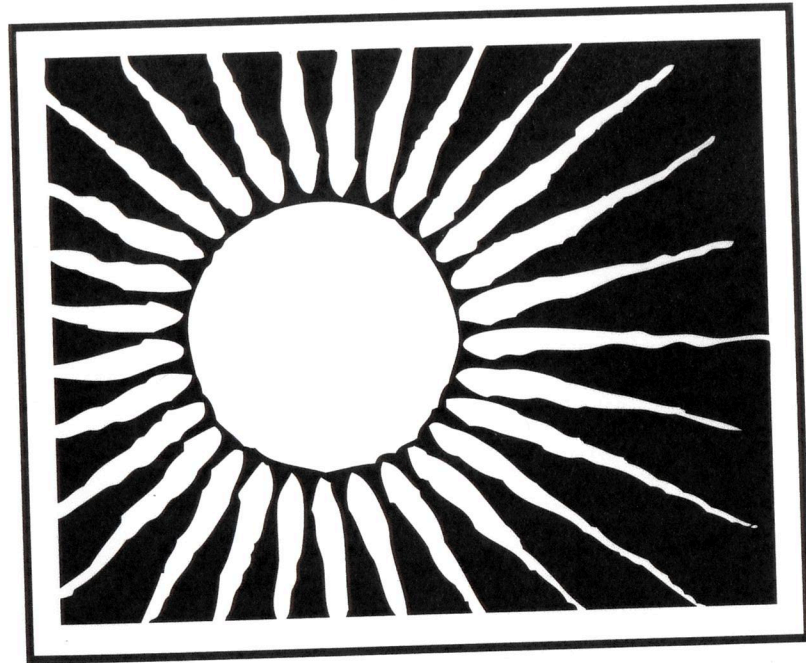
PRIOR CASES: NONE.

¹ The fine is based on 25% of the original report of \$9,677.50 in expenditures.

THIS MEDICAL RECORD CONTAINS
DIAGNOSIS INFORMATION THAT IS
CONFIDENTIAL AND EXEMPT
PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 119.07(1)
AND MUST BE REDACTED PRIOR
TO RELEASE TO ANY PERSON

(SEE PAGE 94-95 OF THE 2022 SUNSHINE MANUAL)

GOVERNMENT-IN- THE-SUNSHINE MANUAL



2022 Edition

*A Reference For Compliance
with Florida's Public Records
and Open Meetings Laws*

Volume 44

babies was a public record. The court held that the agreement was subject to disclosure despite a confidentiality provision contained within the agreement and claims by the hospital that it constituted work product. *Cf. Bert Fish Foundation, Inc. v. Southeast Volusia Hospital District*, No. 10-20801-CINS (Fla. 7th Cir. Ct. December 22, 2010), available online in the Cases database at the open government site at myfloridalegal.com (governing boards of hospital district and medical center violated the Sunshine Law when they held numerous closed meetings to discuss an affiliation or merger with a healthcare corporation). For information on exemptions applicable to public hospitals, please refer to Appendix D and the Index. *Cf. AGO 14-10*, noting that an exemption in s. 395.3035(5), F.S., for certain records and meetings relating to a "strategic plan" for operation of a hospital must be narrowly construed and would not apply to an evaluation conducted pursuant to s. 155.40(5), F.S., for purposes of the sale or lease of a public hospital.

(2) Private hospitals/private organizations operating public hospitals

A private organization leasing the facilities of a public hospital is acting on behalf of a public agency and thus constitutes an agency subject to open records requirements in the absence of statutory exemption. *See Memorial Hospital-West Volusia, Inc. v. News-Journal Corporation*, 729 So. 2d 373 (Fla. 1999).

Section 395.3036, F.S., however, provides that records of a private entity that leases a public hospital or other public health care facility are confidential and exempt from disclosure when the public lessor complies with the public finance accountability provisions of s. 155.40(18), F.S., with respect to the transfer of any public funds to the private lessee and when the private lessee meets at least three of five criteria set forth in the exemption. *See Indian River County Hospital District v. Indian River Memorial Hospital, Inc.*, 766 So. 2d 233 (Fla. 4th DCA 2000) (nonprofit corporation leasing hospital from hospital district). *And see Baker County Press, Inc. v. Baker County Medical Services, Inc.*, 870 So. 2d 189 (Fla. 1st DCA 2004), upholding the constitutionality of the exemption. *Cf. Memorial Hospital-West Volusia, Inc. v. News-Journal Corporation*, 927 So. 2d 961 (Fla. 5th DCA 2006) (private corporation that purchased hospital from public hospital authority not subject to Public Records Act); and s. 155.40(21), F.S., describing and construing the term "complete sale" as applied to a purchase of a public hospital by a private entity.

c. Patient and clinical records

(1) Patient and clinical records generally

Patient records are generally protected from disclosure. For example, patient records in hospitals and surgical facilities licensed under Ch. 395, F.S., are confidential and may not be disclosed without the consent of the patient, or the patient's legal representative, except as provided in the statute. Section 395.3025(4), (5), (7) and (8), F.S. *And see* s. 119.0712(1), F.S. (personal identifying information contained in records relating to an individual's personal health or eligibility for health-related services held by the Department of Health); and s. 400.022(1)(m), F.S. (nursing home residents' medical and personal records).

Patient clinical records are also protected. *See, e.g.*, s. 393.13(4)(i)1., F.S. (central client records of persons with developmental disabilities); s. 394.4615(1), F.S. (clinical records of persons subject to "The Baker Act"); and s. 397.501(7), F.S. (individuals receiving services from substance abuse service providers). *And see* ss. 397.6760(1), F.S. (petitions for involuntary assessment and stabilization and related court records filed with a court under Part V of Ch. 397, F.S. [substance abuse]); and 394.464(1) (petitions for voluntary and involuntary admission for mental health treatment, courts orders and related records filed with or by a court under the Baker Act). *Cf. s. 381.987*, F.S. (patient caregiver identifying information in the medical marijuana use registry).

(2) Disclosure of patient records

Patient medical records made by health care practitioners may not be furnished to any person other than the patient, his or her legal representative or other health care practitioners and providers involved in the patient's care and treatment without written authorization, except as

provided by ss. 440.13(4)(c) and 456.057, F.S. Section 456.057(7)(a), F.S. *See State v. Johnson*, 814 So. 2d 390 (Fla. 2002) (state attorney's subpoena power under s. 27.04, F.S., cannot override notice requirements of s. 395.3025(4)[d], F.S., which provides for disclosure of confidential patient records upon issuance of subpoena and upon proper notice to the patient or the patient's legal representative). *Cf. s. 408.051(3)*, F.S., permitting a health care provider to release or access an identifiable health record of a patient without the patient's consent for use in the treatment of the patient for an emergency medical condition, as defined in s. 395.002(8), F.S., when the health care provider is unable to obtain the patient's consent or the consent of the patient representative due to the patient's condition or the nature of the situation requiring immediate medical attention.

The recipient of patient records, if other than the patient or the patient's representative, may use such information only for the purpose provided and may not disclose any information to any other person or entity, unless expressly permitted by the written consent of the patient. *See* ss. 395.3025(7) (hospital patient records) and 456.057(11), F.S. (health care practitioner patient records). Thus, predeath medical records in the possession of the medical examiner are not subject to public inspection. *Church of Scientology Flag Service Org., Inc. v. Wood*, No. 97-688CI-07 (Fla. 6th Cir. Ct. February 27, 1997), available online in the Cases database at the open government site at myfloridalegal.com.

Similarly, clinical records maintain their confidentiality even when disclosed to another agency such as the clerk of the circuit court. *AGO 91-10. And see Sarasota Herald-Tribune v. Department of Children and Families*, No. 2001-CA-002445 (Fla. 2d Cir. Ct. April 8, 2002), available online in the Cases database at the open government site at myfloridalegal.com (confidentiality of clinical record is maintained even though Department of Children and Families may have filed portions of the records in court proceedings throughout the state; department has no authority to waive confidentiality of clinical records). *Cf. AGO 01-69* (documents submitted to the statewide provider and managed care organization claim dispute resolution program pursuant to s. 408.7057, F.S., found to be subject to disclosure after redaction of patient-identifying information).

d. Emergency medical services

With limited exceptions, s. 401.30(4), F.S., provides, in relevant part, that "[r]ecords of emergency calls which contain patient examination or treatment information are confidential and exempt from the provisions of s. 119.07(1) and may not be disclosed without the consent of the person to whom they pertain." Such records may be released only in certain circumstances and only to the persons and entities specified in the statute. *AGO 86-97*. Thus, a city commissioner is not authorized to review records of an emergency call by the city's fire-rescue department when those records contain patient examination and treatment information, except with the consent of the patient. *AGO 04-09. See Lee County v. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company*, 634 So. 2d 250 (Fla. 2d DCA 1994), upholding the county's right to require the patient's notarized signature on all release forms, to ensure that these confidential records are not improperly released. *And see AGO 09-30* (entire record of emergency call containing patient examination and treatment information which is maintained as required by s. 401.30[1], F.S., is confidential and exempt; reports containing statistical data, required by the Department of Health, are public records and must be made available for inspection and copying following redaction of any patient-identifying information).

However, s. 401.30(4), is not violated by the city attorney, or an attorney under contract to the city, and other city officials having access to the city fire-rescue department's records of emergency calls that contain patient information when such access is granted to such individuals in carrying out their official duties to advise and defend, or assess the liability of, the city in a possible or anticipated claim against the city arising out of the provision of such care. *AGO 95-75. And see AGO 08-20* (s. 401.30[4], F.S., permits emergency medical services transportation licensee to release records of emergency calls including patient's name, address, and pertinent

September 3, 2024

Stephen Brown

Florida Elections Commission
107 West Gaines Street Suite 224
Tallahassee, FL 32399-6596

Re: Case No.: FEC 24-216

Dear Commissioners,

In lieu of a hearing, please accept this statement and attached documentation in support of my appeal of the fine determination in the above-referenced case.

My campaign's inadvertent missing of the June 10 filing deadline was due to the unusual circumstances outlined below and documented in the two attached exhibits. I fully recognize the importance of campaign finance reporting, and I am a strong proponent of transparency.

My mother, Donna Brown, an accountant by trade, served as my campaign deputy treasurer with the responsibility for reporting activities.

On May 11, 2024, my de facto stepfather, (they were not married but were partners for 18 years), Joachim Behnke, passed away unexpectedly. (see Attachment 1). My mother was severely traumatized by this both because of the loss of her partner but because she resided in his home and now had to figure out where to live moving forward as his family wanted to terminate the lease as soon as possible.

In an extremely unfortunate coincidence, while my mother was cleaning out the apartment she shared with her partner, she tripped and broke her knee on May 15, 2024. (see Attachment 2). Her injury required surgery and extensive immobilization. I went to South Florida on May 16, 2024 to bring my mother up to Orlando to stay with me since she had no one to care for her and nowhere to live long term. I took my Mother to Jewett Orthopaedic Hospital in Orlando where she learned that her knee cap was completely fractured and she required surgery. Surgery was performed on May 22. After surgery, my mom was immobilized for several weeks. It wasn't until June 13, 2024 that her surgical dressing and staples were removed and not until July 15, 2024 that she was cleared to begin physical therapy.

During this time, I was my mother's primary caregiver at my residence and my campaign took a backseat to her wellbeing.

It wasn't until June 21 that my mother's friend was able to take her to her partner's condominium to obtain her belongings after her accident. She still had very limited mobility at this point and her two friends and professional movers handled the actual moving.

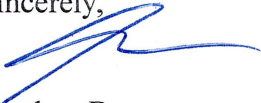
REC'D: FL ELECTIONS COM
19 SEP 24 PM 8:11

Upon receiving notice on June 21, 2024 that the reporting deadline was missed, I immediately ensured that the report was filed to the best of my ability and it required 2 amendments once my mother was able to review it on June 24, 2024 when she returned from obtaining her belongings.

I am asking the commission to please find that unusual circumstances pursuant to rules 2B-1.0055(1)(b), (c), and (d).

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing statement and that the facts stated in it are true.

Sincerely,



Stephen Brown

REC'D: ELECTIONS COM
13 SEP 24 PM 3:11



1941 — *Joachim* — 2024

 Share

Joachim Frederick Behnke

February 11, 1941 — May 11, 2024

Boca Raton

Joachim (Joe) Behnke, 83, of Boca Raton Florida passed away on Saturday May 11, 2024 at Vitas Hospice in Delray Beach Florida. He was born in Holyoke Massachusetts on February 11, 1941 to the late John M. and Ellen (Butzke) Behnke. He spent his early childhood growing up in Germany until the allied bombing during World War II. The family returned back home to the United States where he joined the US Army as a young man.

As a long time resident of New Jersey he joined the Hillside Fire Department in 1974 and had a successful career and quickly climbed the ranks of Captain, Battalion Chief, Deputy Chief, and lastly Chief of the department. He loved both the fire service and also his brother firefighters. And in 2004 he retired and made his way to live his life in Florida.

Joe is survived by Donna Brown, his long time partner of 18 years. In addition he is survived by his son Frederick (Rick) Behnke and his wife Gina of Boonton, NJ, son Marc Behnke and his wife Joann of Cedar Knolls, NJ. He is also pre-deceased by his brothers Hans Behnke and Werner Behnke.

Lovingly known as our Poppa Bear he will be missed dearly.

To order [memorial trees](#) or send flowers to the family in memory of Joachim Frederick Behnke, please visit our [flower store](#).

Name: Donna Brown | DOB: 4/12/1951 | MRN: 5007433177 | PCP: Pcp None | Legal Name: Donna Brown

Progress Notes

Bailey Burba at 5/16/2024 12:45 PM

ORLANDO HEALTH

Orthopaedic Trauma Surgery NEW PATIENT PROGRESS NOTE CLINIC

Subjective

NAME: Donna Brown

MRN: 5007433177

TODAY'S DAY: 5/20/2024

Chief Complaint:

Chief Complaint

Patient presents with

- Evaluation, Injury
Patient tripped 05/15/24

HPI

Donna Brown is a 73 y.o. female who presents to clinic with
She reports sustaining a fall injury on 5/15/2024 and proceeding to the ED
where she was diagnosed with _____ and placed in a
immobilizer. She reports past medical history _____ which she states
is well-controlled with an _____. Also notes past medical history of
_____. She denies past medical history of _____
Reports pain is well-controlled. Denies any other complaints at this time.

Review of Systems

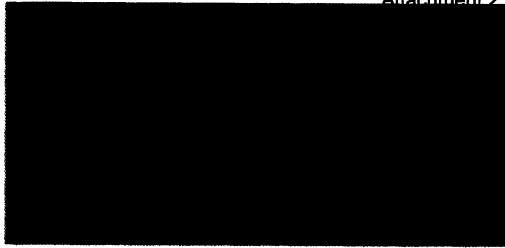
14 Point review of symptoms is normal except for what is otherwise noted in
HPI.

Patient History

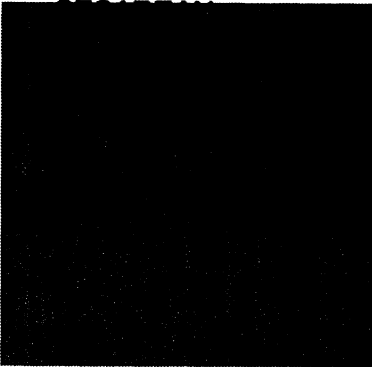
Past Medical History:

[REDACTED]

Date

**Past Surgical History:**

Procedure	Laterality	Date
-----------	------------	------



History reviewed. No pertinent family history.

Social History**Tobacco Use**

- Smoking status: Never
- Smokeless tobacco: Never

Substance Use Topics

- Alcohol use: Not Currently
Comment: very rare
- Drug use: Never

Medication List**Current Outpatient Medications:**

- HYDROcodone-acetaminophen (NORCO) 5-325 mg tablet, , Disp: , Rfl:
- losartan-hydroCHLOROthiazide (HYZAAR) 100-12.5 mg tablet, Take 1 tablet by mouth 1 (one) time each day., Disp: , Rfl:
- metFORMIN (GLUCOPHAGE) 500 mg tablet, Take 500 mg by mouth in the morning and 500 mg in the evening., Disp: , Rfl:
- pravastatin (PRAVACHOL) 10 mg tablet, Take 10 mg by mouth 1 (one) time each day., Disp: , Rfl:
- albuterol (VENTOLIN HFA) 90 mcg/actuation inhaler, Inhale 2 puffs every 6

(six) hours if needed for wheezing., Disp: , Rfl:

• aspirin 81 mg EC/DR tablet, Take 81 mg by mouth 1 (one) time each day. Will stop 5/17, Disp: , Rfl:

Objective

Visit Vitals

Ht	1.727 m (5' 8")
Wt	68 kg (150 lb)
BMI	22.81 kg/m ²
Smoking Status	Never
BSA	1.81 m ²

Physical Exam

General Alert and oriented x4 with an appropriate affect. The patient is pleasant, cooperative, and in no apparent distress. Well developed, well nourished, and well groomed.

Cardiovascular 2+ pulses

Pulmonary Non-labored breathing

Neuro NV

Focused

+palpable DP pulse.

Imaging

2 views of the were obtained in clinic today and independently reviewed showing transverse displaced fracture of

Assessment

1.

Plan

1. Weightbearing: Weightbearing as tolerated to the lower extremity. immobilizer is to be left in place at all times.
2. Bledsoe knee immobilizer provided to patient in clinic.
3. The risks, benefits and alternatives to surgery were discussed; the risks included, but were not limited to infection, injury to blood vessels and nerves, bleeding, stiffness, risks of blood clots, risks of post-operative and intra-operative fracture, risks of anesthesia, heart attack, stroke, anemia, pneumonia, the need for future surgery, death and others. The patient understands and agrees to proceed with **operative fixation of** on 5/22/2024.

4. All questions were answered to the patient's satisfaction.
5. The patient will follow up with Dr. Shaath in 3 weeks postoperatively for wound check.
- 6.
- 7.

MA Jayden at 5/16/2024 12:45 PM

Procedure Orders

1. Splinting [372961515] ordered by Jayden Alexander Torres, MA

Post-procedure Diagnoses

1. Pain of extremity [M79.604]

Patient ID: Donna Brown is a 73 y.o. female.

Splinting

Date/Time: **5/16/2024 2:33 PM**

Performed by: **Jayden Alexander Torres, MA**

Authorized by: **Bailey Burba, PA**

Consent:

Consent obtained: **Verbal**

Consent given by: **Patient**

Risks, benefits, and alternatives were discussed: **yes**

Universal protocol:

Procedure explained and questions answered to patient or proxy's satisfaction:
yes

Patient identity confirmed: **Verbally with patient**

Procedure details:

Location:

Knee location:

Strapping: **no**

Lower extremity splint type: **T-ROM.**

Supplies: **Prefabricated splint**

Attestation: **Splint applied and adjusted personally by me**

Post-procedure details:

Procedure completion: **Tolerated well, no immediate complications**

Comments:

Name: Donna Brown | DOB: 4/12/1951 | MRN: 5007433177 | PCP: Pcp None | Legal Name: Donna Brown

Progress Notes

Bailey Burba at 6/13/2024 1:15 PM



Orthopaedic Trauma Surgery
PROGRESS NOTE CLINIC

Patient: Donna Brown

MRN: 5007433177

CHIEF COMPLAINT:

S/p operative fixation of _____ on 5/22/2024.

HPI:

Donna Brown is a 73 y.o. female that is here for their postoperative appointment from the above mentioned procedure. Pain is well controlled. Denies nausea, vomiting, fever, or chills. Patient reports wearing knee immobilizer at all times. She denies any complaints at this time.

PHYSICAL EXAM

General: NAD, pleasant, cooperative

Respiratory: unlabored breathing, no audible wheeze, no cough

MSK: RLE: Staples in place. Incision c/d/i. Bledsoe brace in place locked in extension. Compartments soft and compressible.

- +palpable DP pulse.

IMAGING:

No imaging obtained today's visit.

ASSESSMENT & PLAN

73 y.o. female s/p operative fixation of by Dr. Shaath on 5/22/2024.

- Weight Bearing Status: Weightbearing as tolerated to the extremity with knee immobilizer in place locked in extension.
- Pain control as needed.

- Dressings: Staples removed in clinic. Continue to monitor incisions for signs of infection.
- PT orders will be provided next visit.
- Follow up in clinic in 5 weeks with Dr. Shaath , **Repeat xrays at next office visit**
- All patient's questions were answered to their satisfaction

Bailey Burba PA-C

DISCLAIMER:

This document was created with the aid of voice recognition software. Errors in speech recognition, grammar, gender pronouns, typos, data importation/interpretation, etc... may exist and should be interpreted in proper context.

MyChart® licensed from Epic Systems Corporation © 1999 - 2024

Appointment Details

Progress Notes

Mohamed Shaath at 7/15/2024 9:25 AM

ORLANDO HEALTH

Orthopaedic Trauma Surgery

Chief complaint:

Status Post fixation of a on 5/22/2024

History of present illness:

The patient is a 73 y.o. female status post the aforementioned procedures. She reports her pain is well-controlled. She has been compliant with her orthopedic restrictions.

Objective:

On physical examination the patient is alert and oriented x3 and is in no acute distress.

On physical examination of the the wound is well-healed. The patient can straight leg raise with no lag. She is neurovascularly intact distally.

Imaging:

2 views of the were obtained demonstrating a stabilized with plate and screw fixation. are healed and alignment is maintained.

Assessment: 73 y.o. female status post the aforementioned

Plan:

1. Weightbearing as tolerated to the right lower extremity.
2. An order for physical therapy was given to bend 30 degrees every 2 weeks.
3. Return to clinic in approximately 2 months time with radiographs of the
4. All of her questions and concerns were answered to her satisfaction.

PRESS FIRMLY TO SEAL



PRESS FIRMLY TO SEAL

PRIORITY MAIL
FLAT RATE ENVELOPE
POSTAGE REQUIRED



PRIORITY[®]
MAIL

FROM:



Retail

P

US POSTAGE PAID

\$9.85

Origin: 32807
09/05/24
1169230802-17

Restrictions apply.*

many international destinations.

PRIORITY MAIL[®]

0 Lb 3.30 Oz

RDC 03

EXPECTED DELIVERY DAY: 09/07/24

SHIP
TO:

TALLAHASSEE FL 32399



USPS TRACKING[®] #



9505 5153 9101 4249 0705 89



Form is required.

Items exclusions see the

rate and limitations of coverage.

Stephen Brown

To schedule free Package Pickup,
scan the QR code.



USPS.COM/PICKUP



Florida Elections Commission
107 W Gaines St. Ste 224
Tallahassee, FL 32399-6596

FEC

This package is made from post-consumer waste. Please recycle - again.

This packaging is the property of the U.S. Postal Service[®] and is provided solely for use in sending Priority Mail[®] and Priority Mail International[®] shipments. Misuses may be a violation of federal law. This package is not for resale. EP14F © U.S. Postal Service; October 2023; All rights reserved.

REC'D: FL ELECTIONS COM
13 SEP '24 PM3:11



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Cord Byrd
Secretary of State

DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

June 28, 2024

Stephen Brown
Candidate for Circuit Judge, Circuit 9, Group 43

CAN 83997

Dear Mr. Brown:

The campaign treasurer's report that was due on June 10, 2024, was filed on June 21, 2024. By law, you are automatically assessed a late fine of \$2,419.38.

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

1. 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:

*Florida Elections Commission
107 West Gaines Street, Ste. 224
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0150*

If you appeal, please send a copy also to the Florida Division of Elections so that you will not receive further notices from the Division about this matter.

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

Sincerely,


Donna S. Brown, Chief
Bureau of Election Records



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Cord Byrd
Secretary of State

DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

June 17, 2024

Stephen Brown

CAN 83997

Candidate for Circuit Judge, Circuit 9, Group 43

Dear Mr. Brown:

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 June 10, 2024.

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.

Sincerely,

Donna S. Brown, Chief
Bureau of Election Records

**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE, DIVISION OF ELECTIONS
CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORT SUMMARY**

(1) Stephen Brown (2) 83997
Candidate, Committee or Party Name I.D. Number

(3) _____
Address (number and street) City State Zip Code
☐ Check box if address has changed since last report

(4) Check appropriate box(es):

- ☒ Candidate (office sought):
☐ Political Committee ☐ Check If PC has DISBANDED
☐ Committee of Continuous Existence ☐ Check If CCE has DISBANDED
☐ Party Executive Committee

(5) REPORT IDENTIFIERS

Cover Period: From 04/01/2024 To 05/31/2024 Report Type: Q2

☐ Original ☒ Amendment ☐ Special Election Report

(6) CONTRIBUTIONS THIS REPORT

Cash & Checks	\$250.00
Loans	\$0.00
<i>Total Monetary</i>	\$250.00
In-Kind	\$160.00

(7) EXPENDITURES THIS REPORT

Monetary Expenditures	\$11,020.25
Transfers to Office Account	\$0.00
<i>Total Monetary</i>	\$11,020.25

(8) Other Distributions

Certification

It is a first degree misdemeanor for any person to falsify a public record (ss.839.13, F.S.)

I certify that I have examined this report and it is true, correct and complete

Name of ☐ Treasurer ☐ Deputy Treasurer

X
Signature

I certify that I have examined this report and it is true, correct and complete

Name of ☒ Candidate ☐ Chalman (PC/PTY Only)

X
Signature

ID: 83997

CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORT – ITEMIZED CONTRIBUTIONS

Page 1 of 1

Name: Stephen Brown

Report: 2024 Q2

Period: 04/01/2024 to 05/31/2024

** Records in Filed Report **

Seq #	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle)	Contributor	Occupation	Amount
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip	Type	In-Kind Description	Amend
1	COHEN, KRISTIE	I	LAWYER	\$250.00
05/24/2024	100 SE 6TH ST. FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301	CHE		
2	BROWN STEPHEN	S	CANDIDATE	\$160.00
04/02/2024	5922 DANUBE WAY ORLANDO, FL 32807	INK	LUMBER	ADD

Name: Stephen Brown

Report: 2024 Q2

Period: 04/01/2024 to 05/31/2024

** Records in Filed Report **

Seq # Date	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle) Street Address & City, State, Zip	Type	Purpose	Amount Amend
1 04/01/2024	ALIBABA.COM SINGAPORE E-COMMERCE PRIVATE LTD 8 SHENTON WAY, #45-01 AXA TOWER SINGAPORE, XC 06881-8811	MON	PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	\$897.23
2 04/01/2024	LGBT+ CENTER ORLANDO INC 946 MILLS AVE ORLANDO, FL 32803	MON	EVENT REGISTRATION	\$51.50
3 04/08/2024	FLORIDA DIVISION OF ELECTIONS ROOM 316, R.A. GRAY BUILDING, 500 SOUTH BRONOUGH STREET TALLAHASSEE, FL 32399	MON	QUALIFYING FEE	\$7,646.52
4 04/03/2024	AMAZON WEB SERVICES 410 TERRY AVE NORTH SEATTLE, WA 98109	MON	CLOUD COMPUTING SERVICES	\$17.50
5 04/03/2024	ALIBABA.COM SINGAPORE E-COMMERCE PRIVATE LTD 8 SHENTON WAY, #45-01 AXA TOWER SINGAPORE, FL 06881-8811	MON	PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	\$432.77
6 04/15/2024	SILVER SPURS CLUB, INC. 1875 SILVER SPUR LANE KISSIMMEE, FL 34744	MON	SPONSORSHIP	\$600.00
7 05/23/2024	NAMECHEAP.COM 4600 EAST WASHINGTON STREET, SUITE 305 PHOENIX, AZ 85034	MON	WEBSITE HOSTING	\$19.88
8 05/24/2024	PAYPAL 2211 N. 1ST ST. SAN JOSE, CA 95131	MON	PROCESSING FEE FOR ONLINE CONTRIBUTION	\$7.72
9 05/24/2024	DONORBOX 1520 BELLE VIEW BLVD. #4106 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22307	MON	PROCESSING FEE FOR ONLINE CONTRIBUTION	\$4.38 UPD
* 9 05/24/2024	DONORBOX 1520 BELLE VIEW BLVD. #4106 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22307	X		\$4.38 History 06/21/24
10 05/06/2024	AMAZON WEB SERVICES 410 TERRY AVE NORTH SEATTLE, WA 98109	MON	CLOUD COMPUTING SERVICES	\$15.00 ADD
11 05/06/2024	REYES 821 N. ORANGE AVE ORLANDO, FL 32801	MON	FOOD FOR MEETING	\$24.24 ADD
12 05/16/2024	MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL FLORIDA 605 E ROBINSON ST ORLANDO, FL 32801	MON	EVENT REGISTRATION	\$430.52 ADD
13 05/21/2024	UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE 821 HERNDON AVE ORLANDO, FL 32803	MON	POSTAGE	\$19.66 ADD
14 05/21/2024	UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE 501 N SEMORAN BLVD ORLANDO, FL 32807	MON	POSTAGE	\$9.25 ADD
15 05/22/2024	UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE 501 N SEMORAN BLVD ORLANDO, FL 32807	MON	POSTAGE	\$71.50 ADD
16 05/22/2024	UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE 501 N SEMORAN BLVD ORLANDO, FL 32807	MON	POSTAGE	\$32.50 ADD
17 05/28/2024	UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE 501 N SEMORAN BLVD ORLANDO, FL 32807	MON	POSTAGE	\$235.25 ADD
18 05/28/2024	UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE 501 N SEMORAN BLVD ORLANDO, FL 32807	MON	POSTAGE	\$140.10 ADD

Name: Stephen Brown

Report: 2024 Q2

Period: 04/01/2024

to 05/31/2024

** Records in Filed Report **

Seq #	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle)	Type	Purpose	Amount
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip			Amend
19	VISTA PRINT	MON	PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	\$167.40
05/28/2024	275 WYMAN ST WALTHAM, MA 02451			ADD
20	VISTA PRINT	MON	PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	\$161.77
05/30/2024	275 WYMAN ST WALTHAM, MA 02451			ADD
21	UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE	MON	POSTAGE	\$35.56
05/31/2024	501 N SEMORAN BLVD ORLANDO, FL 32807			ADD

Name: Stephen Brown

Report: 2024 Q2

Period: 04/01/2024 to 05/31/2024

** Records in Filed Report **

Seq #	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle Street Address & City, State, Zip	Type	Nature of Account	Amount
				Amend

Name: Stephen Brown

Report: 2024 Q2

Period: 04/01/2024 to 05/31/2024

** Records in Filed Report **

Seq #	Full Name (Last, Suffix, First, Middle)	Recipient	Purpose	Amount
Date	Street Address & City, State, Zip	Type	Related Expenditure	Amend
1	BROWN STEPHEN	O	CANDIDATE LOAN REPAYMENT	\$1,000.00
04/08/2024	5922 DANUBE WAY ORLANDO, FL 32807	RMB	#0	UPD
1	BROWN STEPHEN	O	CANDIDATE LOAN REPAYMENT	\$1,000.00
05/24/2024	5922 DANUBE WAY ORLANDO, FL 32807	RMB	#0	History 06/26/24
2	BROWN STEPHEN	O	CANDIDATE LOAN REPAYMENT	\$500.00
04/25/2024	5922 DANUBE WAY ORLANDO, FL 32807	RMB	#0	ADD
3	BROWN STEPHEN	O	CANDIDATE LOAN REPAYMENT	\$1,000.00
04/29/2024	5922 DANUBE WAY ORLANDO, FL 32807	RMB	#0	ADD
4	BROWN STEPHEN	O	CANDIDATE LOAN REPAYMENT	\$1,000.00
04/29/2024	5922 DANUBE WAY ORLANDO, FL 32807	RMB	#0	ADD
5	BROWN STEPHEN	O	CANDIDATE LOAN REPAYMENT	\$1,000.00
05/29/2024	5922 DANUBE WAY ORLANDO, FL 32807	RMB	#0	ADD

Queued Items for 2024-Q2

Account: 83997

CTJ 009 Stephen Brown

Rpt Seq: 6

<i>ProcessDescription</i>	<i>Status</i>	<i>Submitter</i>	<i>Created</i>	<i>LastUpdate</i>
Create Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 6:44:46 PM	6/21/2024 6:44:46 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 7:03:21 PM	6/21/2024 7:03:21 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 7:05:36 PM	6/21/2024 7:05:36 PM
File Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 7:06:46 PM	6/21/2024 7:06:46 PM
Review Filed Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 7:07:49 PM	6/21/2024 7:07:49 PM
Amend Filed Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 7:08:56 PM	6/21/2024 7:08:56 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 7:10:08 PM	6/21/2024 7:10:08 PM
File Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/21/2024 7:10:36 PM	6/21/2024 7:10:36 PM
Amend Filed Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/25/2024 7:29:09 PM	6/25/2024 7:29:10 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/25/2024 7:42:51 PM	6/25/2024 7:42:51 PM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 2:01:37 PM	6/26/2024 2:01:37 PM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 3:10:27 PM	6/26/2024 3:10:27 PM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 3:55:12 PM	6/26/2024 3:55:12 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 4:13:33 PM	6/26/2024 4:13:33 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 4:35:09 PM	6/26/2024 4:35:09 PM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 4:41:38 PM	6/26/2024 4:41:38 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 4:42:03 PM	6/26/2024 4:42:03 PM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 4:49:26 PM	6/26/2024 4:49:26 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 4:50:19 PM	6/26/2024 4:50:19 PM
Recalc Pending Report Total	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 5:15:48 PM	6/26/2024 5:15:48 PM
Review Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 5:18:57 PM	6/26/2024 5:18:57 PM
File Pending Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/26/2024 5:19:59 PM	6/26/2024 5:19:59 PM
Review Filed Report	Processing Complete	83997	6/27/2024 5:56:31 PM	6/27/2024 5:56:31 PM


[search](#) | [directory](#) | [contact us](#) | [411](#) | [subscribe](#) | [tour](#) | [help](#)

Florida Department of State - Division of Elections

Florida Election System Reports

Candidate/Committee Lookup

Name:

Candidate Name: Stephen Brown

Account: [83997](#)

Election:

Acct: Type:

Search

Reset

Date Due	Type	Date Filed	Status	Days Late	Fine Assessed	Appealed	Amount Fined	Amount Paid
8/9/2024	P6	8/9/2024						
8/2/2024	P5	8/2/2024						
7/26/2024	P4	7/26/2024						
7/19/2024	P3	7/19/2024						
7/5/2024	P2	7/5/2024						
6/21/2024	P1	6/21/2024						
6/10/2024	Q2	6/21/2024	SNT	11	\$2,419.38		\$2,419.38	\$0.00
4/10/2024	Q1	4/10/2024						
1/10/2024	Q4	1/9/2024						
10/10/2023	Q3	10/1/2023						
7/10/2023	M6	7/2/2023						
6/12/2023	M5	6/5/2023						

HISTORY NOTES
Stephen Brown - 83997

Unique ID	Date Recorded	Last Edited Date	Originally Recorded By
79341	6/2/2023 10:27:00 AM		cnhudson
Credentials			
Stephen Brown given credentials over the phone			




FLORIDA DEPARTMENT *of* STATE

RON DESANTIS
Governor

CORD BYRD
Secretary of State

June 1, 2023

Stephen Brown


Dear Mr. Brown:

This will acknowledge receipt of the Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository for the office of Circuit Judge, which was placed on file in our office on May 30, 2023. Your name has been placed on the 2024 active candidate list.

Campaign Treasurer's Reports

Your first campaign treasurer's report will be due on **June 12, 2023**. The report will cover the period of May 1-31, 2023 (2023 M5). 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: 83997

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.

Division of Elections

R.A. Gray Building, Suite 316 • 500 South Bronough Street • Tallahassee, Florida 32399
850.245.6240 • 850.245.6260 (Fax) • [DOS.MyFlorida.com/elections](https://dos.mylouisiana.com/elections)



Stephen Brown
June 1, 2023
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.

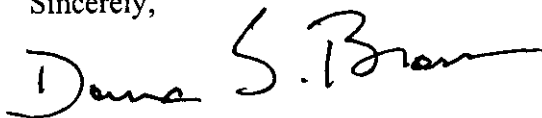
Instructions and Assistance

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 <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: Chapters 104 and 106, Florida Statutes, *Candidate and Campaign Treasurer Handbook*, *Calendar of Reporting Dates*, and Rule 1S-2.017, Florida Administrative Code.

Please let me know if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Donna S. Brown". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Donna" being more prominent.

Donna S. Brown, Chief
Bureau of Election Records

DSB/cnh

Enclosures

pc: Donna L. Brown, Deputy Treasurer

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

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

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

RECEIVED
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

2023 MAY 30 AM 11:08

2023 MAY 30 PM 05:08

NOTE: This form must be on file with the qualifying officer before opening the campaign account.

OFFICE USE ONLY

1. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES):

☒ Initial Filing of Form Re-filing to Change: ☐ Treasurer/Deputy ☐ Depository ☐ Office ☐ Party

2. Name of Candidate (in this order: First, Middle, Last)

STEPHEN BROWN

3. Address (include post office box or street, city, state, zip code)

[REDACTED]

4. Telephone

[REDACTED]

5. E-mail address

ESTOPTHIS@GMAIL.COM

6. Office sought (include district, circuit, group number)

NINTH CIRCUIT JUDGE GROUP 43

7. If a candidate for a nonpartisan 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

☐ Write-In ☐ No Party Affiliation ☐ _____ Party candidate.

9. I have appointed the following person to act as my ☒ Campaign Treasurer ☐ Deputy Treasurer

10. Name of Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer

STEPHEN BROWN

11. Mailing Address

[REDACTED]

12. Telephone

[REDACTED]

13. City

[REDACTED]

14. County

[REDACTED]

15. State

[REDACTED]

16. Zip Code

[REDACTED]

17. E-mail address

ESTOPTHIS@GMAIL.COM

18. I have designated the following bank as my ☒ Primary Depository ☐ Secondary Depository

19. Name of Bank

TRUIST

20. Address

4751 New Broad Street

21. City

Orlando

22. County

Orange

23. State

FL

24. Zip Code

32814

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

5/24/2023

26. Signature of Candidate

X 

27. Treasurer's Acceptance of Appointment (fill in the blanks and check the appropriate block)

I, **STEPHEN BROWN**, do hereby accept the appointment
(Please Print or Type Name)

designated above as: ☒ Campaign Treasurer. ☐ Deputy Treasurer.

05/24/2023

Date

X

Signature of Campaign Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer

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

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

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

RECEIVED
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
2023 MAY 30 AM 11:08
TREASURY DIVISION

NOTE: This form must be on file with the qualifying officer before opening the campaign account.

OFFICE USE ONLY

1. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES):

☒ Initial Filing of Form Re-filing to Change: ☐ Treasurer/Deputy ☐ Depository ☐ Office ☐ Party

2. Name of Candidate (in this order: First, Middle, Last)

STEPHEN BROWN

3. Address (include post office box or street, city, state, zip code)

[REDACTED]

4. Telephone

[REDACTED]

5. E-mail address

ESTOPTHIS@GMAIL.COM

6. Office sought (include district, circuit, group number)

NINTH CIRCUIT JUDGE GROUP 43

7. If a candidate for a nonpartisan 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

☐ Write-In ☐ No Party Affiliation ☐ _____ Party candidate.

9. I have appointed the following person to act as my ☐ Campaign Treasurer ☒ Deputy Treasurer

10. Name of Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer

DONNA L. BROWN

11. Mailing Address

6145 BALBOA CIRCLE #405

12. Telephone

(561) 271-9587

13. City **14. County** **15. State** **16. Zip Code** **17. E-mail address**

BOCA RATON

PALM BEACH

FL

33433

DONNA412@GMAIL.COM

18. I have designated the following bank as my ☐ Primary Depository ☐ Secondary Depository

19. Name of Bank

20. Address

21. City

22. County

23. State

24. Zip Code

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

5/24/2023

26. Signature of Candidate

X

[Signature]

27. Treasurer's Acceptance of Appointment (fill in the blanks and check the appropriate block)

I, **DONNA L. BROWN**, do hereby accept the appointment
(Please Print or Type Name)

designated above as: ☐ Campaign Treasurer. ☒ Deputy Treasurer.

5/26/2023
Date

X

[Signature]

Signature of Campaign Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer

(Please Type)

DATE: 11/10/87

DS-DE 83 (Rev. 03/08)