



GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION

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Joshua Shorter
Treasurer for John Whitmer
461 South Firefly Court
Wichita, KS 67235

July 7, 2016

Notification of Material Error or Omission
In A Receipts and Expenditures Report

RE: Receipts and Expenditures Report Due January 10, 2016
(Covering the Period January 1, 2015 thru December 31, 2015)

A review of your Receipts and Expenditures Report identified above indicates the material error(s) or omission(s) listed on the other side of this page. Such error(s) and omission(s) must be corrected within thirty (30) days of the date of this notice by filing an amended report.

File the amended report within thirty (30) days with:

Secretary of State
120 SW 10th
Memorial Hall
Topeka, KS 66612

As provided by law, a copy of this notice has been made a part of your record in the Secretary of State's Office. The intentional failure to file an amended report within thirty (30) days is a class A misdemeanor. In addition, you may not accept contributions or make expenditures following the end of the thirty (30) day period if the amended report has not been filed.

Additional information and assistance may be obtained by writing or calling this office. If after having contacted this office substantial issues remain unresolved, you may within ten (10) days of receipt of this notice request a hearing before the Commission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Carol E. Williams", followed by a horizontal line.

Carol E. Williams
Executive Director

1. According to the reports filed with the Secretary of State, the Kansas Land Title Association PAC reports making a \$200 contribution to John Whitmer on 12-15-15. This contribution was not reported by your campaign. If this contribution was received, it must be reported on Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) on the January 10, 2016 report. This error will cause the cash balance on the front page summary sheet to be incorrect. Therefore, an amended front page summary sheet must also be filed. If the campaign did not receive this contribution, please note this fact in a letter to the Commission.

2. According to the verified statements filed with the Secretary of State, the Air Products & Chemicals, Inc. Political Alliance reports making a \$500 contribution to John Whitmer on 7-7-15. This contribution was not reported by your campaign. If this contribution was received, it must be reported on Schedule A (Contributions and Other Receipts) on the January 10, 2016 report. This error will cause the cash balance on the front page summary sheet to be incorrect. Therefore, an amended front page summary sheet must also be filed. If the campaign did not receive this contribution, please note this fact in a letter to the Commission.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact this office.