

**KANSAS GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION**

**RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES REPORT  
OF A POLITICAL OR PARTY COMMITTEE**

**January 10, 2018**

**FILE WITH SECRETARY OF STATE  
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KRIS W. KOBACH  
SECRETARY OF STATE

A. Name of Committee: The Bluestem Fund  
Address: PO Box 2481  
City and Zip Code: Topeka, Kansas 66601  
This is a (check one):  Party Committee  Political Committee

B. Check **only** if appropriate:  Amended Filing  Termination Report

C. Summary (covering the period from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017)

1. Cash on hand at beginning of period .....	<u>3,847.69</u>
2. Total Contributions and Other Receipts (Use Schedule A) .....	<u>35,000.00</u>
3. Cash available this period (Add Lines 1 and 2) .....	<u>38,847.69</u>
4. Total Expenditures and Other Disbursements (Use Schedule C) .....	<u>9,334.06</u>
5. Cash on hand at close of period (Subtract Line 4 from 3) .....	<u>29,513.63</u>
6. In-Kind Contributions (Use Schedule B) .....	_____
7. Other Transactions (Use Schedule D) .....	_____

D. "I declare that this report, including any accompanying schedules and statements, has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is true, correct and complete. I understand that the intentional failure to file this document or intentionally filing a false document is a class A misdemeanor."

1/3/18  
Date

Craig Grant  
Signature of Treasurer

**SCHEDULE A  
CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER RECEIPTS**

Bluestem Fund  
(Name of Party or Political Committee)

Date	Name and Address of Contributor	Occupation & Industry of Individual Giving More Than \$150	Check Appropriate Box				Amount of Cash, Check, Loan or Other Receipt
			Cash	Check	Loan	☒ funds Other	
8/9/17	Pipefitters Local 533 Volunteer Political Fund 8600 Hillcrest Road Kansas City, MO 64138	Pipefitter workers		✓			\$5,000.00
10/17/17	CHIPP Political Account 1401 Hampton Ave. 3rd Floor St. Louis, MO 63139	Carpenters		✓			\$30,000.00
Subtotal This Page							\$35,000.00

**SCHEDULE C  
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER DISBURSEMENTS**

The Bluestem Fund  
(Name of Party Committee or Political Committee)

Date	Name and Address To Whom Expenditure is Made	Purpose of Expenditure	Amount
		If independent or in-kind expenditure in excess of \$300 is made for a candidate, list candidate name & address	
1/5/17	Precision New Media 456 S. Front Street Columbus, OH 43215	Social Media Legislative Education! Non Expressed	3,000.00 <del>817.00</del>
1/5/17	Blue State Digital 101 Ave. of the Americas 12th Floor New York, NY 10013	Monthly License Fee	408.06 <del>408.06</del>
4/17/17	US Postal Service Topeka, KS	PO Box Fee	76.00 <del>337.00</del>
6/8/17	Blue State Digital 101 Ave. of the Americas 12th Floor New York, NY 10013	Monthly License Fee	275.00
6/9/17	Governmental Ethics Commission Topeka, KS	Registration Fee	25.00
8/14/17	Blue State Digital 101 Ave. of the Americas 12th Floor New York, NY 10013	Monthly License Fee	275.00
8/17/17	Governmental Ethics Commission Topeka, KS	Registration Fee	275.00
11/4/17	Latté Research Partners 1001 17th Street NW Suite 301 Washington, D.C. 20036	Research	5,000.00
Subtotal This Page			9,334.06

Complete if last page of Schedule C

Total Itemized Expenditures This Period	9,334.06
Total Unitemized Expenditures of \$50 or less	
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES &amp; OTHER DISBURSEMENTS THIS PERIOD (to line 4 of Summary)</b>	<b>9,334.06</b>