

# KANSAS GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION

## RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES REPORT OF A CANDIDATE FOR STATE OFFICE

January 10, 2008

FILE WITH SECRETARY OF STATE AND CANDIDATE'S COUNTY ELECTION OFFICER  
SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR INSTRUCTIONS

A. Name of Candidate: **RALPH OSTMEYER**  
 Address: **PO BOX 97**  
 City and Zip Code: **GRINNELL KS 67738** County: **GOVE**  
 Office Sought: **STATE SENATE** District: **40TH**

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

C. Summary (covering the period from January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007)

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| 1. Cash on hand at beginning of period .....                         | <b>\$8,642.84</b>  |
| 2. Total Contributions and Other Receipts (Use Schedule A) .....     | <b>\$19,411.35</b> |
| 3. Cash available this period (Add Lines 1 and 2) .....              | <b>\$28,054.19</b> |
| 4. Total Expenditures and Other Disbursements (Use Schedule C) ..... | <b>\$2,118.70</b>  |
| 5. Cash on hand at close of period (Subtract Line 4 from 3) .....    | <b>\$25,935.49</b> |
| 6. In-Kind Contributions (Use Schedule B) .....                      | <b>\$0</b>         |
| 7. Other Transactions (Use Schedule D) .....                         | <b>\$19,505.88</b> |

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."

1-4-08  
Date

*Lori Edwards*  
Signature of Treasurer

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# **SCHEDULE A** **CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER RECEIPTS**

RALPH OSTMEYER

(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

| Date                      | Name and Address of Contributor   | Occupation of Individual Giving More Than \$150 | Check Appropriate Box    |                                     |                          |                                     | Amount of Cash, Check, Loan or Other Receipt |
|---------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
|                           |   |   | Cash                     | Check                               | Loan                     | Other                               |  |
| 3/27/07                   | Virginia Beamer<br>Candidate for State Representative<br>PO Box 85<br>Oakley KS 67748                                 | Reimbursement for ad                            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | \$67.50                                      |
| 4/12/07                   | Jim Morrison Campaign Account<br>PO Box 366<br>Colby KS 67701   | Reimbursement for ad                            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | \$53.76                                      |
| 4/12/07                   | John M. Faber, State Representative<br>Ed Carson, Treas<br>PO Box 53<br>Bird City KS 67731-0053                       | Reimbursement for ad                            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | \$64.59                                      |
| 8/13/07                   | Altria Corporate Services, Inc<br>on behalf of Philip Morris USA Inc<br>1005 Congress Ave, Ste 850<br>Austin TX 78701 |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | \$250.00                                     |
| 9/27/07                   | Anheuser-Busch Companys Inc<br>One Busch Place<br>St. Louis MO 63118  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | \$250.00                                     |
| 9/27/07                   | Kansas Committee for Rural<br>Electrification<br>PO Box 4267<br>Topeka KS 66604-0267                                  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | \$200.00                                     |
| 9/27/07                   | Union Pacific Railroad<br>Government Affairs<br>1400 Douglas St<br>Omaha NE 68179                                     |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | \$250.00                                     |
| 9/27/07                   | Kansas Contractors Association<br>Political Action Committee<br>PO Box 5061<br>Topeka KS 66605                        |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | \$100.00                                     |
| 9/27/07                   | Embarq Corporation PAC of Kansas<br>800 SW Jackson Suite 1108<br>Topeka KS 66612                                      |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | \$200.00                                     |
| 10/1/07                   | Midwest Energy Inc<br>1330 Canterbury Drive<br>Hays KS 67601  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | \$100.00                                     |
| <b>Subtotal This Page</b> |   |   |                          |                                     |                          |                                     | <b>\$1,535.85</b>                            |

## SCHEDULE A

### CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER RECEIPTS

RALPH OSTMEYER

(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

| Date                      | Name and Address of Contributor   | Occupation of Individual Giving More Than \$150 | Check Appropriate Box    |                                     |                          |                          | Amount of Cash, Check, Loan or Other Receipt |
|---------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
|                           |   |   | Cash                     | Check                               | Loan                     | Other                    |  |
| 10/12/07                  | AT&T Kansas PAC<br>220 SE 6th Room 500<br>Topeka KS 66603   |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00                                     |
| 10/12/07                  | ITC Great Plains, LLC<br>39500 Orchard Hill Place, Suite 200<br>Novi, MI 48375                          |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$100.00                                     |
| 10/12/07                  | The Boeing Company<br>PO box 7730<br>Wichita KS 67277-7730  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00                                     |
| 10/23/07                  | Kansas Cable PAC<br>PO Box 3027<br>Wichita KS 67201   |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$200.00                                     |
| 10/31/07                  | Kansas Dental PAC<br>5200 SW Huntoon Street<br>Topeka KS 66604  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00                                     |
| 10/31/07                  | Westar Energy Employee<br>State PAC c/o Gov. Affairs Dept<br>PO box 889<br>Topeka KS 66601              |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00                                     |
| 11/19/07                  | Reynolds American Inc<br>Mr Randy Morris<br>PO Box 2990<br>Winston-Salem, NC 27102                      |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$150.00                                     |
| 11/19/07                  | Blue Cross Blue Sheild of Kansas<br>1133 SW Topeka Boulevard<br>Topeka KS 66629-0001                    |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00                                     |
| 12/4/07                   | Kansas Association FOR JUSTICE<br>Consumer/ Civil Justice PAC<br>719 Van Buren<br>Topeka KS 66603-37315 |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$400.00                                     |
| 12/4/07                   | Seaboard Foods LP<br>9000 W 67th St, Suite 200<br>PO box 29135<br>Shawnee Mission, KS 66201             |   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00                                     |
| <b>Subtotal This Page</b> |   |   |                          |                                     |                          |                          | <b>\$2,350.00</b>                            |

# **SCHEDULE A** **CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER RECEIPTS**

RALPH OSTMEYER

(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

| Date                      | Name and Address<br>of Contributor   | Occupation of Individual<br>Giving More Than \$150 | Check<br>Appropriate Box |                                     |                          |                          | Amount of<br>Cash, Check,<br>Loan or<br>Other Receipt |
|---------------------------|--|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|
|                           |  |  | Cash                     | Check                               | Loan                     | Other                    |   |
| 12/13/07                  | Anderson Financial Services LLC<br>DBA Loan Max LM168<br>600 South Broadway<br>Salina KS 67402             |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00  |
| 12/13/07                  | The Williams Companies, Inc<br>PO Box 21218<br>Tulsa OK 74121-1218   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$200.00  |
| 12/13/07                  | Philip B and Jacqueline L Finley<br>685 S Court<br>Colby KS 67701  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$50.00   |
| 12/17/07                  | PMCA Gas PAC<br>115 SE 7th St<br>PO box 678<br>Topeka KS 66601-0678  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00  |
| 12/17/07                  | O. R. Wingfield<br>PO Box 118<br>McDonald KS 67745-0118  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$100.00  |
| 12/20/07                  | Kansas Automobile Dealers PAC<br>Election Action Committee<br>731 South Kansas Ave<br>Topeka KS 66603-3807 |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00  |
| 12/20/07                  | Waste Management<br>PO Box 3027<br>Houston TX 77253  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$500.00  |
| 12/24/07                  | Aquila Inc<br>Employee Federal PAC<br>20 W 9th Street, 2nd Floor<br>Kansas City MO 64105                   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00  |
| 12/24/07                  | Occidental Chemical Corporation<br>(6200 S Ridge Rd, Wichita KS 67215)<br>PO Box 809050<br>Dallas TX 75380 |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$200.00  |
|                           |  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |   |
| <b>Subtotal This Page</b> |  |  |                          |                                     |                          |                          | \$2,050.00  |

## SCHEDULE A CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER RECEIPTS

Ralph Ostmeyer

(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

| Date                      | Name and Address<br>of Contributor  | Occupation of Individual<br>Giving More Than \$150 | Check<br>Appropriate Box |                                     |                          |                          | Amount of<br>Cash, Check,<br>Loan or<br>Other Receipt |
|---------------------------|---|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|
|                           |   |  | Cash                     | Check                               | Loan                     | Other                    |   |
| 12/27/07                  | Kansas Credit Union Legislative<br>Action Committee<br>815 SW Topeka<br>Topeka KS 66612                               |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$200.00  |
| 12/27/07                  | Prairie Bank Potawatomi Nation<br>Steve Ortiz, Tribal Council Chairman<br>16281 Q Road<br>Mayetta KS 66509            |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$350.00  |
| 12/27/07                  | Kansas Restaurant & Hospitality<br>Assoc. Political Action Committee<br>3500 N Rock Rd, Bldg 1300<br>Wichita KS 67226 |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00  |
| 12/27/07                  | HCA Kansas Good Government Fund<br>%Hugh Tappen, Wesley Med. Center<br>550 N Hillside<br>Wichita KS 67214-4976        |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00  |
| 12/27/07                  | Kansas Chamber of Commerce &<br>Industry PAC (PACK)<br>835 SW Topeka Blvd<br>Topeka KS 66612-1671                     |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$500.00  |
| 12/27/07                  | Kansas Beverage Association<br>Political Action Committee<br>5845 SW 29th St<br>Topeka KS 66614                       |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$200.00  |
| 12/31/07                  | Peter Zerr<br>417 Main, PO Box 222<br>Grainfield KS 67737   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$100.00  |
| 12/31/07                  | J.M. Bloom<br>223 Price Ave<br>Oakley KS 67748  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$25.00   |
| 12/31/07                  | Darrell Sutor<br>630 AA Road<br>Zurich KS 67663   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$50.00   |
| 12/31/07                  | W.A. White<br>302 West Ave<br>Norton, KS 67654  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$25.00   |
| <b>Subtotal This Page</b> |   |  |                          |                                     |                          |                          | <b>\$1,950.00</b>                                     |

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(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

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|---------------------------|---|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
|                           |   |  | Cash                     | Check                               | Loan                                | Other                    |  |
| 12/31/07                  | Builders Association of Kansas- PAC<br>212 SW 8th Ave, Ste 201<br>Topeka KS 66603 |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$200.00                                     |
| 12/31/07                  | Ralph Ostmeyer<br>PO Box 97<br>Grinnell KS 67738                                  | Loan to campaign by candidate- occupation farmer | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$10,000.00                                  |
| 12/31/07                  | Koch Industries, Inc<br>PO Box 2256<br>Wichita KS 67201-2256                      |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$500.00                                     |
| 12/31/07                  | Hoxie Implement Company, Inc<br>Gerald W Heim<br>PO Box 587<br>Hoxie 67740        |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$250.00                                     |
| 12/31/07                  | Regan Green<br>Rt 2 Box 42<br>Ludell KS 67744                                     | Farmer/ Trailer Dealer                           | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$200.00                                     |
| 12/31/07                  | Bert Summers<br>329 Maple<br>Oakley KS 67748                                      |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$50.00                                      |
| 12/31/07                  | Bob J Clark<br>317 S Smokyhill<br>Oakley KS 67748                                 |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$100.00                                     |
| 12/31/07                  | RL Gaskill<br>401 N Wilson<br>Oberlin KS 67749                                    |  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> | \$100.00                                     |
| <b>Subtotal This Page</b> |   |  |                          |                                     |                                     |                          | <b>\$11,400.00</b>                           |

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| Total Itemized Receipts for Period                       | \$19,285.85        |
| Total Unitemized Contributions (\$50 or less)            | \$125.50           |
| Sale of Political Materials (Unitemized)                 |                    |
| Total Contributions When Contributor Not Known           |                    |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIPTS THIS PERIOD (to line 2 of Summary)</b> | <b>\$19,411.35</b> |

## SCHEDULE C

### EXPENDITURES AND OTHER DISBURSEMENTS

RALPH OSTMEYER

(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

| Date               | Name and Address   | Purpose of Expenditure or Disbursement                       | Amount   |
|--------------------|--|--|----------|
| 1/25/07            | Goodland Star-News<br>1205 Main Ave<br>Goodland KS 67735   | 1 yr subscription renewal                                    | \$89.00  |
| 2/22/07            | Colby Free Press<br>155 W 5th St<br>Colby KS 67701   | Townhall Meeting Ads group price<br>printed in 6 area papers | \$177.20 |
| 5/22/07            | Sam's Club<br>Topeka KS  | Parade Candy   | \$143.55 |
| 5/22/07            | Thomas County Free Fair<br>PO box 260<br>Colby KS 67701  | Fair Booth   | \$75.00  |
| 6/19/07            | Norton Telegram<br>215 South Kansas<br>Norton KS 67654   | 1 yr subscription renewal                                    | \$70.00  |
| 10/1/07            | Colby Free Press<br>155 W 5th St<br>Colby KS 67701   | 1 yr subscription renewal                                    | \$74.00  |
| 10/8/07            | LeRoy's Printing and Publishing Inc<br>560 N Franklin<br>Colby KS 67701                            | 1000 Envelopes<br>1000 Letter heads- 2 color                 | \$160.95 |
| 11/22/07           | Hawver Capital Report<br>Hawver's News Company LLC<br>3823 SW Wood Valley Drive<br>Topeka KS 66610 | Subscription renewal   | \$168.00 |
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| Subtotal This Page |  |  | \$957.70 |

## SCHEDULE C EXPENDITURES AND OTHER DISBURSEMENTS

Ralph Ostmeyer

(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

| Date                      | Name and Address  | Purpose of Expenditure<br>or Disbursement  | Amount   |
|---------------------------|---|--|----------|
| 12/27/07                  | Leroy's Printing & Publishing, Inc<br>560 N Franklin Avenue<br>Colby KS 67701 | 1000 envelopes & letterhead (\$150)<br>Imprint & prepare mailing (\$50)<br>Postage for mailing (\$78.33) | \$299.75 |
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| <b>Subtotal This Page</b> |   |  | \$299.75 |

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| Total Itemized Expenditures This Period  | \$1,257.45 |
| Total Unitemized Expenditures of \$50 or less  | \$861.25   |
| <b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES &amp; OTHER DISBURSEMENTS<br/>THIS PERIOD (to line 4 of Summary)</b> | \$2,118.70 |



## SCHEDULE D OTHER TRANSACTIONS

RALPH OSTMEYER

(Name of Candidate, Party Committee or Political Committee)

| Date                      | Name and Address                                  | Nature of Account or Loan Payable or Loan Receivable  | Balance at Close of Period |
|---------------------------|---|---|----------------------------|
| 1/1/05                    | Ralph Ostmeyer<br>PO Box 97<br>Grinnell, KS 67738 | 2004 Senate miles traveled- 21,989 miles @ .37- \$8,135.93<br>12/19/05 Repaid Ralph for 11,560 miles \$4,277.20 | \$3,858.73                 |
| 12/20/05                  | Ralph Ostmeyer<br>PO Box 97<br>Grinnell KS 67738  | 2005 Senate miles traveled- 12,543 miles @ .40  | \$5,017.20                 |
| 1/1/07                    | Ralph Ostmeyer<br>PO Box 97<br>Grinnell KS 67738  | 2006 unreimbursed Senate miles traveled- 1465 miles @ .43   | \$629.95                   |
| 12/31/07                  | Ralph Ostmeyer<br>PO Box 97<br>Grinnell KS 67738  | Loan to campaign by candidate   | \$10,000.00                |
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| <b>Subtotal this Page</b> |   |   | \$19,505.88                |

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| <b>TOTAL OTHER TRANSACTIONS (to line 7 of Summary)</b> | \$19,505.88 |
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