



STATE OF MICHIGAN
RUTH JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING

November 14, 2012

Nevel Overton-Slack
12721 Whittaker Road
Milan, Michigan 48160

Dear Mr. Overton-Slack:

The Department of State (Department) received a formal complaint filed against you by Lynda Dew, alleging that you violated the Michigan Campaign Finance Act (MCFA or Act), 1976 PA 388, MCL 169.201 et seq. The investigation and resolution of these complaints is governed by section 15 of the Act and the corresponding administrative rules, R 169.51 et seq. Copies of the complaint and supporting documentation are enclosed with this letter.

The MCFA and corresponding administrative rules require a person who produces printed material that relates to an election to include the phrase "Paid for by [name and address of the person who paid for the item]." MCL 169.247(1), R 169.36(2). A knowing violation constitutes a misdemeanor offense punishable by a fine of up to \$1,000.00, imprisonment for up to 93 days, or both. MCL 169.247(5).

In support of her complaint, Ms. Dew provided a flyer which states "AUGUSTA TREASURER POSITION" and "please consider voting for me." It appears that there is no paid-for-by statement on the flyer.

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of the Department's examination of these matters and your right to respond to the allegations before the Department proceeds further. It is important to understand that the Department is neither making this complaint nor accepting the allegations as true.

If you wish to file a written response to this complaint, you are required to do so within 15 business days of the date of this letter. Your response may include any written statement or additional documentary evidence you wish to submit. All materials must be sent to the Department of State, Bureau of Elections, Richard H. Austin Building, 1st Floor, 430 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan 48918. If you fail to submit a response, the Department will render a decision based on the evidence furnished by the complainant.

A copy of your reply will be provided to Ms. Dew, who will have an opportunity to submit a rebuttal statement to the Department. After reviewing all of the statements and materials provided by the parties, the Department will determine whether "there may be reason to believe that a violation of [the MCFA] has occurred [.]". MCL 169.215(10). Note that the Department's enforcement powers include the possibility of entering a conciliation agreement, conducting an

administrative hearing, or referring this matter to the Attorney General for enforcement of the criminal penalty provided in section 47(5) of the Act.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, you may contact me at (517) 241-0395.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lori A. Bourbonais".

Lori A. Bourbonais
Bureau of Elections
Michigan Department of State

c: Lynda Dew

Michigan Department of State
Campaign Finance Complaint Form

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This complaint form may be used to file a complaint alleging that someone violated the Michigan Campaign Finance Act (the MCFA, 1976 PA 388, as amended; MCL 169.201 et seq.).

Please print or type all information.

I allege that the MCFA was violated as follows:

Section 1. Complainant		
Your Name LYNDA H. DEW	Daytime Telephone Number 734-461-0983	
Mailing Address 10444 Willow RD.		
City Willis	State MI	Zip 48191

Section 2. Alleged Violator		
Name NEVEL OVERTON-SLACK		
Mailing Address 12721 WHITTAKER ROAD		
City MILAN	State MI	Zip 48160

Section 3. Alleged Violations (Use additional sheet if more space is needed.)

Section(s) of the MCFA violated:

169.247

Explain how those sections were violated:

CAMPAIGN literature handed out at
A SENIOR CITIZEN DINNER, doesn't identify
who paid for it.

Evidence that supports those allegations (attach copies of pertinent documents and other information):

ACTUAL literature

Section 4. Certification (Required)

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, formed after a reasonable inquiry under the circumstances, each factual contention of this complaint is supported by evidence.

X

Lynda H. Dew
Signature of Complainant

Nov. 1, 2012
Date

Section 5. Certification without Evidence (Supplemental to Section 4)

Section 15(6) of the MCFA (MCL 169.215) requires that the signed certification found in section 4 of this form be included in every complaint. However, if, after a reasonable inquiry under the circumstances, you are unable to certify that certain factual contentions are supported by evidence, you may also make the following certification:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, information, or belief, there are grounds to conclude that the following specifically identified factual contentions are likely to be supported by evidence after a reasonable opportunity for further inquiry. Those specific contentions are:

X

Signature of Complainant

Date

Section 15(8) of the MCFA provides that a person who files a complaint with a false certification is responsible for a civil violation of the MCFA. The person may be required to pay a civil fine of up to \$1,000.00 and some or all of the expenses incurred by the Michigan Department of State and the alleged violator as a direct result of the filing of the complaint.

Mail or deliver the completed complaint form and evidence to the following address:

Michigan Department of State
Bureau of Elections
Richard H. Austin Building 1st Floor
430 West Allegan Street
Lansing, Michigan 48918

AUGUSTA TREASURER POSITION

NEVEL OVERTON-SLACK

BACKGROUND

- *RURAL BACKGROND, FARM BRED AND RAISED, active in Farm Bureau
- * RETIRED POSTMASTER
- * AUGUSTA RESIDENT OVER 10 YEARS
- * SERVED ON SEVERAL TOWNSHIP COMMMITTEES AND BOARDS

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- *FINANCIAL SOUNDNESS and INTEGRITY
- *RURAL ENVIROMENT
- *LOCAL GOVERNMENT FUNCTIONING FOR THE RESIDENT S FORMOST
- *CIVILITY

If these are important, then please consider voting for me.

Questions, Suggestions, concerns e-mail me at abbahawk@hotmail.com



STATE OF MICHIGAN
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING

November 29, 2012

Lynda H. Dew
10444 Willow Road
Willis, Michigan 48191

Dear Ms. Dew:

The Department of State received a response to the complaint you filed against Nevel Overton-Slack, which concerns an alleged violation of the Michigan Campaign Finance Act (MCFA), 1976 P.A. 388, MCL 169.201 *et seq.* A copy of the response is provided as an enclosure with this letter.

If you elect to file a rebuttal statement, you are required to send it within 10 business days of the date of this letter to the Bureau of Elections, Richard H. Austin Building, 1st Floor, 430 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan 48918.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lori A. Bourbonais".

Lori A. Bourbonais
Bureau of Elections
Michigan Department of State

c: Nevel Overton-Slack



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2012 NOV 27 PM 3: 55

November 14, 2012

Nevel Overton-Slack
12721 Whittaker Road
Milan, Michigan 48160

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Department of State, Bureau of Elections

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Find attached a copy of my real flyer. I thought I had thrown them all away , but there were still several on floor of van.

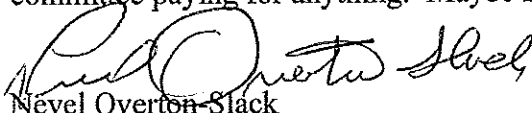
There was nothing paid for, since the only expense was my time & printer ink, the paper was old and left over, no value,. But I put the disclaimer at the bottom anyhow.. I thought it was clear enough – maybe not.

Anyhow this is the one that as far as I know was passed out.

I not being a computer person do have trouble with formatiing documents. The area for “questions “etc on down kept migrating to a second page., then the data below, my e-mail did also.

IT is very possible that the printer printed copies of the temporary “first page” & those would have been at bottom of a stack like the one attached. Although oddly no one including Ms Dew (whom I was running against) called the matter to my attention at the time so that if it was wrong, it could have been corrected. A simple “hey, you need to fix this” would have been appropriate and the proper response..

I thought I was clear that the flyers were of and from me alone. That there was no committee paying for anything. Maybe I was not clear enough?



Nevel Overton-Slack
12721 Whittaker
Milan, Mi 48190

11-22-12

AUGUSTA TREASURER POSITION

NEVEL OVERTON-SLACK

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Questions,

Suggestions,

concerns e-mail me at abbahawk@hotmail.com I LISTEN!

OR CALL 616-502-3946 I LISTEN THERE ALSO.(paid for & produced solely by me (12725 whittaker rd, Milan Mi 48160, no outside funds were requested nor accepted)

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING

December 18, 2012

Nevel Overton-Slack
12721 Whittaker Road
Milan, Michigan 48160

Dear Mr. Overton-Slack:

This letter concerns the complaint that was recently filed against you by Lynda Dew, which relates to a purported violation of the Michigan Campaign Finance Act (MCFA or Act), 1976 PA 388, MCL 169.201 *et seq.* The Department of State has received a rebuttal statement from the complainant, a copy of which is enclosed with this letter.

Section 15(10) of the MCFA, MCL 169.215(10), requires the Department to determine within 60 business days from the receipt of the rebuttal statement whether there is a reason to believe that a violation of the Act has occurred. Ms. Dew's complaint remains under investigation at this time. At the conclusion of the review, all parties will receive written notice of the outcome of the complaint.

Sincerely,

Lori A. Bourbonais
Bureau of Elections
Michigan Department of State

c: Lynda Dew

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December 8, 2012

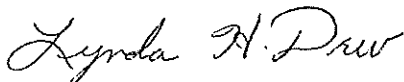
Dear Ms. Bourbonais:

I received your letter dated November 20, 2012 regarding the complaint I filed against Nevel Overton-Slack with a copy of his response. Please see my rebuttal statement below.

Mr. Nevel Overton-Slack claims in his response letter that he is not a computer person. I am enclosing newspaper articles of campaign bios that will shed light on his education. He has served on the Augusta Township Utility Advisory Board and has been their recording secretary. He has also worked as a receptionist for Augusta Township for years as he stated in his new version of his flyer. This position requires daily use of a computer. Mr. Overton Slack has ran for office several times in Augusta Township over the last 12 years and has been appointed to office once.

In my opinion his responses are inaccurate.

Thank you,



Lynda H. Dew
10444 Willow Road
Willis, MI 48191



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Lynda H. Dew (D)
RetiredNevel Overton Slack
(R)
farmer, retired
postmaster

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Biographical Information

Age 59

Address 10444 Willow Road
Willis, MI 48191

(http://maps.google.com/?

q=f0444+Willow+Road%0D%0AWilli
s%2C+MI+48191)How long have you lived in the
district? 32 YearsEducation High school graduate and
Washtenaw Community College
credits, Attended numerous Michigan
Township Association educational
classes, Attended BSA Township
software training classes, Augusta
Twp. Deputy Treasurer for 3 yrs.Previous elected office experience
(Indicate years) Augusta Charter
Township elected Trustee 2004-
2007, Augusta Charter Township
appointed Treasurer 2007-2008,
Augusta Charter Township
appointed Trustee 2001-2002Community Involvement (3 maximum)
Lincoln Golden Ages Seniors
member & supporter, Creator & cook
of Lincoln Seniors Spaghetti/Pasta
Dinner, Founder of Augusta Twp.
911 Patriot Day Ceremony, Co-Chair
Augusta Twp. Clean upEndorsements (3 maximum) U.A.W
Region 1A-Endorsed

Website

www.dewfortreasurer.com
(http://www.dewfortreasurer.com)

Facebook Page

facebook/ldew (http://facebook/ldew)

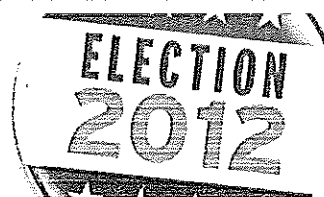
Age 70

Address 12721 Whittaker road
(http://maps.google.com/?
q=12721+Whittaker+road+)How long have you lived in the
district? 13+

Education Masters. Near PHD

Previous elected office experience
(Indicate years) noneCommunity Involvement (3 maximum)
Tax review board, utility committee,
Served as back-up at front desk at
township hallEndorsements (3 maximum) Ost Agri,
Eager Investments, Cahaba Tribal
Assoc.

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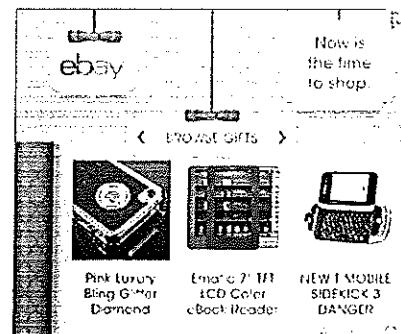
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My family moved to Augusta Twp. 32 years ago and we love it. The years of political unrest must end. This behavior is a direct insult to all of our veterans and their families that paid the ultimate price for our freedom. Their sacrifices allow us to live in a democratic country and to run for office. These positions need to be filled with people that understand the importance of that responsibility and treat it with respect. I know I can make a positive difference in our community.

We need people with real world experience in agriculture, business and government as well as education. We need people whose concern is for the residents & property owners, not themselves for power. We must have that change with new people.

What are your top three priorities?

Strongly encourage the board of trustees to constantly seek grants and/or low-cost loans for much needed infrastructure improvements. Minimize outsourcing of officers statutory duties and to tighten the budget.

Reach out to all board members to promote respect and professionalism. Work as a team for reasonable solutions to problems that effect Augusta Twp. and it's residents.

Promote community events to bring families, friends and neighbors together and create pride in our community

A) Sound & sane utility system. B) A government that serves the needs. That handles & prevents the problems of the residents, not catering to outside interests. 3) a government that is responsive to B above with more residents involved at all levels on boards, newsletter and committees.

What is the most pressing issue for this office?

One responsibility of a township treasurer is to collect taxes. A responsible and caring treasurer should also assist taxpayers in reaching this goal. The downturn of our economy has made it difficult for people to keep up with the financial demands of everyday life. We all know people who have lost their jobs and their homes as well. I will provide taxpayers information to guide them through this process. I am a hands on treasurer and very assessable. My Deputy and I will be there to help.

Financial stability and accountability. A new clean start on the problems.

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U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
(2-year terms)

7th District: Includes western and central

Sharon Renier (D) 2,192

Mark Schauer (D) 3,398

*Tim Walberg (R) 3,880

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
(2-year terms)

52nd District: Western and central

*Pam Byrnes (D) 7,309

Eric Lielbriedis (R) 2,913

53rd District: Most of Ann Arbor and Pittsfield, York and Saline townships.

*Rebekah Warren (D) 8,035

54th District: Eastern Washtenaw County.

Edison Hubert (D) 2,138

*Alma Wheeler Smith (D) 6,672

Tom Banks (R) 1,833

55th District: Western Monroe County, Milan, Pittsfield, Saline and York townships.

*Kathy Angerer (D) 3,174

Ken Devree (R) 201

Paul Jensen (R) 201

Frank Moynihan (R) 236

15th District Court

Margaret Connors 2,455

Eric Gutenberg 3,022

This article was on

M Live Michigan.

Please note the last page.

Thank - you

Synda H. Dew

Joan Lowenstein 1,809

Chris Easthope 3,124

WASHTENAW COUNTY

Clerk/Register of Deeds

*Lawrence Kestenbaum (D) 24,178

Treasurer

*Catherine McClary (D) 24,061

Sheriff

Iva Jo Bielec (D) 1,871

Jerry Clayton (D) 16,245

*Daniel Minzey (D) 11,910

Dwayne Taylor (R) 5,538

Prosecuting Attorney

*Brian L. Mackie (D) 25,334

Drain Commissioner

*Janis Bobrin (D) 17,045

Richard Deitering (D) 3,192

Douglas A. Egeler (D) 6,118

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

(2-year terms)

1st District: Northwestern Washtenaw County.

Eric Borregard (D) 2,006

*Mark Ouimet (R) 1,103

2nd District: Northeastern Washtenaw County.

*Ken Schwartz (D) 2,002

David Schmittou (R) 1,511

3rd District: Southwestern Washtenaw County.

Frank Parkinson (D) 996

Tom Partridge (D) 640

*Jessica Ping (R) 1,175

4th District: York and Augusta townships, southwest Ypsilanti Township.

Wesley E. Prater (D) 1,548

William Riney (D) 727

Rick Roe (D) 1,096

Owen Diaz (R) 592

5th District: Eastern Ypsilanti Township.

*Rolland Sizemore Jr. (D) 2,286

6th District: City of Ypsilanti.

*Ronnie D. Peterson (D) 1,983

7th District: Pittsfield Township

Larry Cox (D) 748

Jeff Jordan (D) 262

Kristin Judge (D) 1,720

Sean Gray (R) 266

8th District: Northeastern Ann Arbor.

*Barbara Levin Bergman (D) 1,158

Julie Seagraves (D) 461

9th District: Southern and southwestern Ann Arbor.

*Leah Gunn (D) 1,577

David Kanaan (D) 639

10th District: Northwestern Ann Arbor

*Conan Smith (D) 3,487

11th District: Central and east-central Ann Arbor

*Jeff Irwin (D) 1,944

ANN ARBOR

Mayor (2-year term)

***John Hieftje (D) 7,447**

Tom Wall (D) 3,393

City Council

(2-year terms)

Ward 1: North Central, northeast

Sandi Smith (D) 900

***Ron Suarez (D) 154**

(Write-in: Patricia Lesko-Democratic)

Ward 2: Northeast

Tony Derezhinski (D) 1,285

Stewart Nelson (D) 847

AUGUSTA TOWNSHIP

Supervisor

Peter J. Hafler, Sr. (D) 433

*Kathleen M. Jackson (D) 370

Brian A. Shelby (R) 123

Clerk

*Kathy Ann Giszczak (D) 474

Tanya L. McCune (D) 219

Robin L. Moore (D) 121

Kathleen McDonald (R) 115

Treasurer

Lynda H. Dew (D) 355

Angela Sherbine (D) 430

Trustees

Rosemary Chmielewski (D) 301

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C.J. McDonald (D) 218

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*William Tobler (D) 508

Ronald H. Mortiere (R) 113

Nevel Overton-Slack (R) 89

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2012 DEC 14 PM 3:05

12/11/12

Dear Ms. Bourbonais,

I ran across this information in my files at home and thought it was relevant to my complaint regarding Nevel Overton-Slack.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lynda H. Dew".

Lynda H. Dew
10444 Willow Road
Willis, MI 48191

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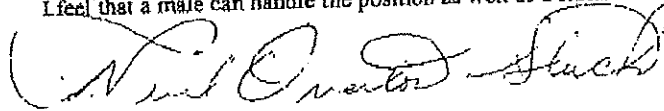
Nevel Osceola Overton-Slack

October 14, 2003

Greetings

Find attached my resume as notice of interest in Township receptionist. My background is aptly suited for the diversity of arenas necessary to the position.

I feel that a male can handle the position as well as a female.



Nevel Overton-Slack

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OCT 14 2003

AUGUSTA CHARTER TOWNSHIP

12721 Whittaker Rd
 Milan, MI 48160

Phone/fax 734-439-6879
 E-mail Abbehawk@hotmail.com

Nevel Overton - Slack

- Immediate Objective** To obtain a position in this area which will utilize my current skills and further develop new ones in another field.
- Current employment** Measurement Inc, 423 Morris, Durham, NC, ranking work for MEAP. Part time in Ypsilanti, Mich.
- Eager Investment Corp. pobox 1, Grandfield, Ok 73546 1983-present, Acquisition manager, identified, negotiated & acquired properties for company handled stock portfolio.
- On-net auction sales business.
- Prior Professional experience** US Postal Service 1975-1999
- Equal Employment Investigation**
- Served as Equal Employment Investigator for over eight years, for entire Southem Region, headed survey teams and wrote agency decisions at regional level.
- Postmaster, Station supervisor :**
- Worked as station supervisor in Baltimore, Maryland, manager of Stations and Branches in Wichita Falls Texas and Postmaster in Grandfield, OK. In these positions I supervised up 60 people, interviewed applicants, trained and evaluated new employees.
- University Of Missouri college instructor(1965-68):**
- Instructor in introductory courses in Sociology & Anthropology at University of Missouri.
- McKendree School of Religion, Baltimore, Maryland 1990-92:**
- Head of Department and teacher in Old testament and Middle East Studies instructed in history courses and supervised other staff members.
- Agricultural/ Farm: Agricultural land holding trust 1960-present**
- Have been a part of family farming enterprises from 1950 through present. Currently only direct involvement in land ownership and stock securities management.
- Researcher/archivist 1985-present**
- Designated researcher with Missouri State Historical Society 1965-72, Independent researcher to present. Compile and publish general and specific familial re-

search books.

Other jobs and positions. Manager of Pizza house, Rosarian, Library worker, many others getting thru college

Education

1965- 1968 University of Missouri, Masters in Sociology/Anthropology, Minor in American Ethnic History, Doctoral work as well.

1960 - 1965 Oklahoma State University Bachelors in Sociology/anthropology in Minority Studies.

1968-1969 Missouri School of religion, Graduate work.

1969-1993 McKendree School of Religion, Coursework while teaching.

Additional Abilities

Personnel Management: I have managed teams and crews up to 60 people, in government service, agriculture and private enterprise.

Researcher: Proficient in library and archival research, publish several research result books and market them.

Additional: I come from a farm background where hard work is basic to our philosophy. I have good interpersonal skills and do work well with people of diverse backgrounds. I adapt quickly to and enjoy change and learning. Respond quickly to the needs of the business. Excellent communication verbal and writing skills, with computer user ability. Willing to do what is necessary to get the job done.

Personal: My spouse is from Michigan and employed in area. So I have relocated to this area.

Race/Ethnic: I am from a mixed racial & ethnic background. 11/32 Native American, I am American Indian on federal personnel forms, currently serving as archivist and registrar for Cahaba Creek Tribal Association. I have lived on a Pueblo reservation.

I SUPPORT:

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

I fully support our Fire department.

I believe We have an exceptional professional Chief in Vic Chevrete & a great and motivated team of professional part time firemen & EMTs. I supported the Fire millage necessary to keep us a fire department.

I know We are extremely fortunate and blessed with these men being with our township.

I supported acquiring an additional fire truck, and other essential rescue equipment. So Our men are better equipped than before. They & We are in need a sufficient Fire Hall.

We have the land and the plan. Let us work together as a community to find the funding.

Neighbors & Community Involvement:

In the rural areas there is always some one-on-one interaction between neighbors. For mutual needs and security, Here we have Neighborhood Watch and the Augusta Mounted Patrol. I support both as important to us all. They are great examples of involvement without being intrusive or too nosy.

I believe such involvement MUST have common respect for one's neighbors, their privacy and property rights.

A cautious balance must be kept between the needs, fire, Ambulance, Water service, necessary for all of us vs. the micro-management of private and personal aspects of citizen's lives, property and person. Such destroys the Rural home life we all want.

More simply put, as Grandma Lewis used to say, "ANYTIME YOU LEAVE THE SCREEN DOOR OPEN, MOSQUITOS CAN GET IN. IF YOU PROP IT OPEN, THEY WILL BLEED YOU DRY!"

Paid for by supporters to elect & retain Navel Overton-Slack as Trustee.

Po box 51 Whitestown, PA 42190-0051

ABE LINCOLN-1862. The Country needed him then.

N.O. Slack-2002 the country needs him now.

A Dingell For Congress Supporter

As a Dingell Supporter, I encourage you to attend the support event this Friday the 19th at the UAW hall in Ypsilanti. Call 734-554-4370 to RSVP & tell them you are part of the Augusta for Dingell group. We need to show our support for our CONGRESSMAN.

Nevel was raised on a farm, He owns 480 acres that his father currently farms for him in a partnership. An avid poultryman and an active member of the Society for the Preservation of Poultry Antiquities & Farm Bureau. Past union steward for APWU,

8 years as a Federal EEO investigator, and 12 as a Postmaster. Currently when trustee duties permit, works as an academic evaluator in Ypsilanti.

Education: attended rural schools, BA from Oklahoma State, MA at Columbia Missouri. Taught at various levels and last year substituted in the Lincoln School system.

Just old-fashioned rural American values.

This August VOTE for NEVEL OVERTON-SLACK for YOUR AUGUSTA TRUSTEE

A member of the community, who will listen to your concerns & represents you & your needs.

Not part of any pack or clique

Experienced in agriculture, government and business.

Old-fashion ideas of hard work and involvement.

Township Finances: hmmm sort of like the weather, every talks about it, some complain about it & seems like nobody does anything about it. It is said & seems likely true that the township government spends more than it takes in.

Grandma & Grandpa used to have those problems & I can remember the talks. "We don't have enough to get thru the month." (Well usually it was 'till the next crop). They, having been thru the Great Depression, would agree that there were

- & are only 2 answers:
- 1) spend less (they would)
- 2) bring in more (those crops never did come in)
- 3) some parts of both (okay 3 answers)

So they always could find some changes. As I recall some: Wearing work gloves that did not match (& sew on "new" fingers) & socks (mismatched inside work boots), trading feedbags (that was a while back), bigger gardens, selling eggs & cream in town. Little stuff but it got them thru "till 'times got better".

Seems as how WE in Augusta need to think back & network some of those old ideas



STATE OF MICHIGAN
RUTH JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE
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December 18, 2012

Nevel Overton-Slack
12721 Whittaker Road
Milan, Michigan 48160

Dear Mr. Overton-Slack:

This letter concerns the complaint that was recently filed against you by Lynda Dew, which relates to a purported violation of the Michigan Campaign Finance Act (MCFA or Act), 1976 PA 388, MCL 169.201 *et seq.* The Department of State has received a rebuttal statement from the complainant, a copy of which is enclosed with this letter.

Section 15(10) of the MCFA, MCL 169.215(10), requires the Department to determine within 60 business days from the receipt of the rebuttal statement whether there is a reason to believe that a violation of the Act has occurred. Ms. Dew's complaint remains under investigation at this time. At the conclusion of the review, all parties will receive written notice of the outcome of the complaint.

Sincerely,

Lori A. Bourbonais

Lori A. Bourbonais
Bureau of Elections
Michigan Department of State

c: Lynda Dew

Dec 26, 2012

In receipt of packet of materials

It can best be replied to as follows.

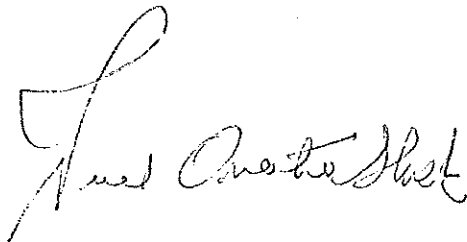
None of the documents, though it is interesting that they were even compiled; lead to any significant indication of mastery of computers and programs, beyond general low level routine. They would seem to have little relevancy to the matter.

I have brought this situation to the attention of others, long familiar with the not unusual and frequent nastiness of Augusta Township political fighting; while appalled; they expressed no surprise and questioned its origin. As experienced campaigners, they did not; any of them "catch" this flyer problem. One noted that it is an odd coincidence that the only person who seems to have noticed this improper flyer was an opponent (who won). One that has evidently been compiling dossiers on other township residents.

I did not during the election put forth any neither negative nor demeaning attitudes toward either of the people who filed and ran against me. I will not lower myself to do so now.

So it as was pointed out to me that it all comes down to one of several possibilities.

- a) That I deliberately produced an incomplete flyer. Ludicrous.
- b) That incomplete copy did get past scrutiny of several people. A distinct possibility, though small.
- c) That it was a truncated production, created for some political reason. Possible, but was not my doing

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Fred Chester Shet". The signature is written in dark ink on a white background.



STATE OF MICHIGAN
RUTH JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
LANSING

March 8, 2013

Nevel Overton-Slack
12721 Whittaker Road
Milan, Michigan 48160

Dear Mr. Overton-Slack:

The Department of State (Department) has completed its investigation of a complaint filed against you by Lynda Dew, which alleged that you violated section 47(1) of the Michigan Campaign Finance Act (MCFA or Act), 1976 PA 388, MCL 169.247(1), by failing to include a complete and correct identification statement on certain campaign-related material. This letter concerns the disposition of Ms. Dew's complaint.

The MCFA and corresponding administrative rules require a person who produces printed material that relates to an election to include the phrase "Paid for by [name and address of the person who paid for the item]." MCL 169.247(1), R 169.36(2). A knowing violation constitutes a misdemeanor offense punishable by a fine of up to \$1,000.00, imprisonment for up to 93 days, or both. MCL 169.247(5).

The Act also requires the Department to "endeavor to correct the violation or prevent a further violation by using informal methods [.]" if it finds that "there may be reason to believe that a violation ... has occurred [.]". MCL 169.215(10). The objective of an informal resolution is "to correct the violation or prevent a further violation [.]". *Id.*

The complaint was filed by Ms. Dew on November 7, 2012. You filed a written response on November 27, 2012, and Ms. Dew filed a rebuttal statement on December 13, 2012.

Ms. Dew alleged that one of your campaign flyers did not identify who paid for it. Ms. Dew provided as evidence a flyer which states "AUGUSTA TREASURER POSITION NEVEL OVERTON-SLACK" and "please consider voting for me." While the flyer did contain your e-mail address, it appeared that the flyer did not contain a proper and complete paid-for-by statement.

In response, you filed a letter which stated that the flyer submitted by Ms. Dew was possibly a draft of the flyer you eventually handed out, but that the finished flyer did contain a paid-for-by statement. You provided as evidence a flyer with substantially the same information on it, but it also included a complete paid-for-by statement.

While the Department believes that the evidence tends to show that some of your campaign flyers failed to contain a complete paid-for-by statement, section 15(10) of the MCFA requires


the Department to "endeavor to correct the violation or prevent a further violation by using informal methods such as a conference, conciliation, or persuasion.

The Department is advising you that section 47(1) and R 169.36(2) require you to print a complete and accurate identification statement on all campaign materials, consisting of the phrase "paid for by" followed by the full name and address of your committee. Note that all printed materials that refer to an election or your candidacy produced in the future must include this identification statement.

Please be advised that if the Department is unable to correct or prevent additional violations through informal methods, the act mandates the Department to ask the Attorney General to prosecute if a crime has been committed. MCL 169.215(10). A knowing violation of section 47 of the MCFA is a misdemeanor. MCL 169.247(5). This notice has served to remind you of your obligation under the Act to identify your printed matter, and may be used in future proceedings as evidence that tends to establish a knowing violation of the Act.

The Department now considers this matter closed and will take no further action against you at this time.

Sincerely,


Lori Bourbonais
Bureau of Elections
Michigan Department of State

c: Lynda Dew