# MEDINA COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY

AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001



Jim Petro Auditor of State

STATE OF OHIO

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## **REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES**

Democratic Party Executive Committee Medina County Democratic Party P.O. Box 583 Medina, Ohio 44256

We have performed the procedures enumerated below, which were agreed to by the Democratic Executive Committee, solely to assist the Committee in evaluating its compliance with Sections 3517.17 and 3517.18 of the Ohio Revised Code for the year ended December 31, 2001. Management is responsible for the Committee's compliance with those requirements. We followed the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants' attestation standards for agreed-upon procedures engagements. The sufficiency of the procedures is solely the responsibility of the Executive Committee. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

### **Cash Receipts**

We confirmed the Ohio Political Party Fund receipts with the State of Ohio and agreed them to amounts shown on the Political Party Fund Finance Report. We found no exceptions.

### **Cash Reconciliation**

- 1. We compared the sum of the cash balance recorded on the Committee's Political Party Fund Finance Report with the cash balance reconciled by the Treasurer for the Democratic Party as of December 31, 2001. The sums agreed.
- 2. We recomputed the mathematical accuracy of the reconciliation. We found no computational errors.
- 3. We agreed the bank balance on the reconciliation with the month end bank statement. The balance agreed.
- 4. We determined there were no reconciling items at December 31, 2001.

#### Cash Disbursements

- 1. We footed the cash disbursement listing on the Ohio Political Party Fund report and compared the listing totals to the disbursement totals on the Political Party Fund Finance report. The amounts agreed.
- 2. We selected 100% of the disbursement transactions and traced the payee and amount to source documentation such as invoices and canceled checks. We also compared the payees on the checks to the names on the invoices. The payees and amounts recorded in the cash disbursement journal agreed to the payees and amounts on the canceled checks.
- 3. We compared the endorsement to the payee listed on the check. The signatory on all checks we selected was an approved signatory.

4. We compared the purpose for the disbursement with the allowable uses described in Section 3517.18 of the Ohio Revised Code.

We found no exceptions.

#### **Payroll Disbursements**

The Democartic Party Executive Committee had no payroll cash disbursements during 2001.

We were not engaged to, and did not, perform an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance of the Political Party Fund Finance Report which is attached to this report. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that we would have reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Executive Committee and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone else.

Jim Petro Auditor of State

January 30, 2001

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## POLITICAL PARTY FUND FINANCE REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001 (UNAUDITED)

BEGINNING BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 2001	\$ 499
RECEIPTS: STATE DISTRIBUTION	1,452
DISBURSEMENTS: TELEPHONE \$496 POST OFFICE BOX RENT 100 DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REIMB. <u>500</u>	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1,096
ENDING BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 2001	<u>\$ 855</u>

See Independent Accountants' Report



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## **CLERK'S CERTIFICATION**

This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

Susan Babbitt

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

CERTIFIED FEBRUARY 12, 2002