

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF STATE
BUREAU OF ELECTIONS

**INDEPENDENT/POLITICAL
COMMITTEE COVER PAGE**

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Report must be legible, typed or printed in ink and signed by the treasurer or designated record keeper

3. This Statement covers From: 08/25/08 To 10/19/08

1. Committee I.D. Number
P-2002-010

4. Committee's Mailing Address
**118 S. Washington St.
Ypsilanti, MI 48197**

2. Committee Name
**THE COMMITTEE FOR BETTER
GOVERNMENT**

Area Code and Phone (734) 482-9682

If the address in this box is different from the committee mailing address on the Statement of Organization, mail may be sent to this address by the filing official.

5. Treasurer's Name and Residential Address
**Steve Pierce
118 S. Washington St.
Ypsilanti, MI 48197**

Area Code and Phone

6. Treasurer's Business Address
**1013 San Mateo SE
Albuquerque, NM 87108**

Area Code and Phone (505) 349-3470

7. Designated Record Keeper's Name and Mailing Address (If the committee has a Designated Record Keeper)

Area Code and Phone

8. TYPE OF STATEMENT:
APPLICABLE TO INDEPENDENT AND POLITICAL COMMITTEES REGISTERED ON STATE LEVEL

APPLICABLE TO INDEPENDENT AND POLITICAL COMMITTEES REGISTERED ON COUNTY LEVEL

APPLICABLE TO INDEPENDENT AND POLITICAL COMMITTEES REGISTERED ON STATE AND COUNTY LEVEL

8a. TRIANNUAL STATEMENTS

Even Year Odd Year
 April 25 January 31
 July 25 July 25
 October 25 October 25

8d. ANNUAL STATEMENT
(_____ Coverage Year)

8g. AMENDMENT TO CAMPAIGN STATEMENT
(Complete item 8a, 8b, 8c 8d, 8e, 8f or 8h to indicate which Statement is being amended)

8e. PRE-ELECTION OR

8f. POST-ELECTION

8h. DISSOLUTION OF COMMITTEE

Pre-Election or Post-Election Statement relates to:

PRIMARY GENERAL
 CONVENTION SCHOOL
 SPECIAL CAUCUS

Effective Date of Dissolution

By checking this item, I/We certify that the committee has no asset or outstanding debts, including late filing fees. Further, I request that if the dissolution cannot be granted, that this be considered a request for the Reporting Waiver.

Date of Election, Convention or Caucus:

11/04/08

Note: The disposition of residual funds must be reported on Schedule 2B and the Summary Page.

8b. QUARTERLY STATEMENTS
CAUCUS COMMITTEES (ONLY)

January 31 April 25
 July 25 October 25

8c. SPECIAL ELECTION INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE REPORT

A committee that does not have a Reporting Waiver must file all required Campaign Statements. The Campaign Statements must include all applicable Schedules. Direct contributions, in-kind contributions, loans, expenditures and outstanding debts count against the \$1,000 Reporting Waiver threshold. If any of the information listed in items 2, 4, 5, 6 or 7 has changed since the information was shown on the committee's Statement of Organization, an amendment to the Statement of Organization should accompany this Campaign Statement. If a request for a Reporting Waiver is not received on or before the filing deadline of a required campaign statement, that campaign statement can not be waived.

9. Verification: I certify that all reasonable diligence was used in the preparation of this statement and attached schedules (if any) and to the best of my knowledge and belief the contents are true, accurate and complete.

Current Treasurer or Designated Record Keeper Steve Pierce
Type or Print Name

Steve Pierce
Signature

Date 10/22/08



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ITEMIZED DIRECT EXPENDITURES
SCHEDULE 2B
INDEPENDENT OR POLITICAL COMMITTEE

1. Committee I.D. Number **P-2002-010**
2. Committee Name **THE COMMITTEE FOR BETTER GOVERNMENT**

3. Name and address of person or vendor to whom the expenditure was made	5. Candidate or Ballot Question Information	6. Date	7. Amount	8. Cumulative for Election or Election Cycle
Expenditure #1 Name & Address: Pete Murdock Campaign Committee, 504 North River Street Ypsilanti, MI 48198 4. Purpose: <u>Contribution</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Fund Raiser	5. <u>Murdock</u> Name of Candidate <u>Ypsilanti City Council Ward 3</u> Office Sought & District # or Jurisdiction <u>Washtenaw</u> County <input type="checkbox"/> Ballot Proposal <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if expenditure is payment of Debt or Obligation reported on previous statement	<u>10/02/08</u> Date	<u>\$ 250</u> \$ <u>250</u>	<u>\$ 250</u> Click Here for Memo Itemization Type
Expenditure #2 Name & Address: 4. Purpose: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Fund Raiser	5. _____ Name of Candidate _____ Office Sought & District # or Jurisdiction _____ County <input type="checkbox"/> Ballot Proposal <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if expenditure is payment of Debt or Obligation reported on previous statement	_____ Date	\$ _____ \$ _____	 Click Here for Memo Itemization Type
Expenditure #3 Name & Address: 4. Purpose: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Fund Raiser	5. _____ Name of Candidate _____ Office Sought & District # or Jurisdiction _____ County <input type="checkbox"/> Ballot Proposal <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if expenditure is payment of Debt or Obligation reported on previous statement	_____ Date	\$ _____ \$ _____	 Click Here for Memo Itemization Type
Expenditure #4 Name & Address: 4. Purpose: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Fund Raiser	5. _____ Name of Candidate _____ Office Sought & District # or Jurisdiction _____ County <input type="checkbox"/> Ballot Proposal <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if expenditure is payment of Debt or Obligation reported on previous statement	_____ Date	\$ _____ \$ _____	 Click Here for Memo Itemization Type

Subtotal this page **\$250.00**
 Grand Total of all Schedules 2B (Complete on last page of Schedule) **\$250.00**

Enter this total on line 8a of the Summary Page



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ITEMIZED CONTRIBUTIONS
SCHEDULE 2A

INDEPENDENT OR POLITICAL COMMITTEE

1. Committee I.D. Number P-2002-010
2. Committee Name THE COMMITTEE FOR BETTER GOVERNMENT

Please enter contributor's name and address. If contribution is from an individual, enter last name, first name, and middle initial. Check box to indicate if contribution is from a Political Committee or an Independent Committee (Both are commonly called PACs).

6. Amount

7. Cumulative for Calendar Year for Each Contributor (Through date of receipt)

3. Contribution # 1
Is this contribution from a PAC? YES 4. Date of Receipt 10/02/08

Name & Address:

Steve Pierce
118 S Washington St
Ypsilanti, MI 48197

\$ 189.74

\$ 289.74

5. If over \$100.00 cumulative, please provide:

[Click Here for Memo Itemization Type](#)

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Business Address _____

Type of Contribution: Direct Loan from a person Fund Raiser

3. Contribution # 2
Is this contribution from a PAC? YES 4. Date of Receipt _____

Name & Address:

\$ _____ \$ _____

[Click Here for Memo Itemization Type](#)

5. If over \$100.00 cumulative, please provide:

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Business Address _____

Type of Contribution: Direct Loan from a person Fund Raiser

3. Contribution # 3
Is this contribution from a PAC? YES 4. Date of Receipt _____

Name & Address:

\$ _____ \$ _____

[Click Here for Memo Itemization Type](#)

5. If over \$100.00 cumulative, please provide:

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Business Address _____

Type of Contribution: Direct Loan from a person Fund Raiser

3. Contribution # 4
Is this contribution from a PAC? YES 4. Date of Receipt _____

Name & Address:

\$ _____ \$ _____

[Click Here for Memo Itemization Type](#)

5. If over \$100.00 cumulative, please provide:

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Business Address _____

Type of Contribution: Direct Loan from a person Fund Raiser

Page Subtotal
Grand Total of All Schedules 2A
(Complete on last page of Schedule)

\$189.74

Enter this total on line 3a of Summary Page



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1. Committee I.D. Number **P-2002-010**

2. Committee Name **THE COMMITTEE FOR BETTER GOVERNMENT**

**SUMMARY PAGE
INDEPENDENT OR POLITICAL COMMITTEE**

RECEIPTS	Column I This Period	Column II Cumulative for Calendar Year
3. Contributions		
a. Itemized Contributions (Schedule 2A, Column 6 + Schedule 2A-2, Column 8)	(3a.) \$ <u>189.74</u>	
b. Unitemized (less than \$20.01 each - no Schedule)	(3b.) \$ <u>NOT APPLICABLE</u>	
c. Subtotal of "Contributions"	(3c.) \$ <u>189.74</u>	(18.) \$ <u>2,794.74</u>
4. Other Receipts (Schedule 2A-1, Column 6)	(4.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	(19.) \$ <u>0.00</u>
5. TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER RECEIPTS (Add line 3c + Line 4)	(5.) \$ <u>189.74</u>	(20.) \$ <u>2,794.74</u>
IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS		
6. In-Kind Contributions		
a. Itemized (Schedule 2-1K, Column 7)	(6a.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	
b. Unitemized (less than \$20.01 each - no Schedule)	(6b.) \$ <u>NOT APPLICABLE</u>	
7. TOTAL IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS (Add Line 6a + Line 6b)	(7.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	(21.) \$ <u>0.00</u>
EXPENDITURES		
8. Expenditures		
a. Itemized Direct (Schedule 2B, Column 7)	(8a.) \$ <u>250.00</u>	
b. Itemized Get-Out-the-Vote (Schedule B-G, Column 6)	(8b.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	
c. In-Kind Expenditures- Purchase of Goods or Services (Schedule 2B-2, Column 7)	(8c.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	
d. Unitemized (less than \$50.01 each - no Schedule)	(8d.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	
e. Subtotal of Expenditures	(8e.) \$ <u>250.00</u>	(22.) \$ <u>2,794.74</u>
9. Independent Expenditures (Schedule 2B-1, Column 7)	(9.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	(23.) \$ <u>0.00</u>
10. TOTAL EXPENDITURES (Add Line 8e + Line 9)	(10.) \$ <u>250.00</u>	(24.) \$ <u>2,794.74</u>
IN-KIND EXPENDITURES		
11. In-Kind Expenditures- Endorsements, Donations or Loans of Goods or Services (Schedule 2B-2, Column 8)	(11.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	(25.) \$ <u>0.00</u>
DEBTS AND OBLIGATIONS		
12. Debts and Obligations		
a. Owed by the Committee (Schedule 2E)	(12a.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	
b. Owed to the Committee (Schedule 2E)	(12b.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	
BALANCE STATEMENT		
13. Ending Balance of last report filed (Enter zero if no previous reports have been filed.)	(13.) \$ <u>61.23</u>	
14. Amount received during reporting period (Line 5, Total Contributions & Other Receipts - Column I)	(14.) + <u>188.74</u>	
15. SUBTOTAL Add lines 13 and 14	(15.) = <u>250.00</u>	
16. Amount expended during reporting period (Line 10, Total Expenditures - Column I)	(16.) - <u>250.00</u>	
17. ENDING BALANCE (Subtract line 16 from line 15)	(17.) \$ <u>0.00</u>	

*If your ending balance is negative, please recheck your math.