



City of Austin
Ethics Review Commission

LETTER OF ADMONITION

TO: Robert Thomas
FROM: City of Austin Ethics Review Commission
DATE: November 4, 2014
RE: Determination of Sanctions under City Code, Sections 2-7-48 and 2-7-49

In accordance with Chapter 2-7 of the Austin City Code, this letter is to advise you that the City of Austin Ethics Review Commission (the "Commission") has completed its consideration of the complaint filed with the Commission against you on September 10, 2014.

The complaint alleges that you violated Section 2-2-27(A)(1) of the Austin City Code ("Section 2-2-27(A)(1)"). Following completion of the hearing procedures in Article 3 of Chapter 2-7, the Commission determined that a violation occurred. Specifically, the Commission found that you violated Section 2-2-27(A)(1) by making a campaign expenditure from personal funds that reached or exceeded \$25,000 and failed to report that expenditure within seven business days of the time the expenditure from personal funds reached \$25,000.

The Commission further determined that this violation may have been unintentional but that it calls for a more substantial response than a letter of notification.

Based on those determinations, the Commission issues this letter of admonition to you.

This action is effective as of this 28th day of October, 2014.

CITY OF AUSTIN ETHICS REVIEW COMMISSION


Austin Kaplan
Chair, Ethics Review Commission