

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
CAMPAIGN FINANCE AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE BOARD**

**PRIMA FACIE
DETERMINATION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT OF JEFF HUBER REGARDING SHANNON BRYANT:

On October 16, 2017, the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board received a complaint submitted by Jeff Huber regarding Shannon Bryant.

The complaint states that Shannon Bryant is a candidate for mayor in Grant, Minnesota. The complaint alleges that Ms. Bryant accepted six anonymous contributions over \$20 and did not provide all required information about her contributors on her campaign finance reports.

Determination:

In this matter, the candidate who is the subject of the complaint is a candidate for a local-level office. The complaint makes no claim that Ms. Bryant is running for any state-level office. Because Ms. Bryant is not a candidate for a state-level office, the Board has no jurisdiction over contributions to her campaign or her campaign finance reports. The allegations in the complaint therefore do not support a finding of a prima facie violation regarding the requirements of Chapter 10A.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 10A.022, subdivision 3, paragraph (1), this prima facie determination is made by a single Board member and not by any vote of the entire Board. Based on the above analysis, the Chair concludes that the complaint does not state a prima facie violation of Chapter 10A or of those sections of Chapter 211B under the Board's jurisdiction. The complaint is dismissed without prejudice.

/s/ Daniel N. Rosen
Daniel N. Rosen, Chair
Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board

Date: October 24, 2017