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Candidates

Candidates for constitutional, legislative, and judicial offices are expected to be knowledgeable about the requirements of Chapter 10A.



Candidates must register within 14 days of raising or spending in excess of \$100 to influence their nomination or election. Once registered, the candidate's principal campaign committee must file periodic reports.

Political Committee and Political Fund Overview

Political committees and funds are expected to be knowledgeable about the requirement of Chapter 10A.

The treasurer of a political committee or political funds must register within 14 days of raising or spending in excess of \$100 to influence the nomination or election of Chapter 10A candidates or to support or defeat a ballot question. Once registered, the committee or fund must file periodic reports.

An entity of two or more whose major purpose is to influence the nomination or election of a candidate or to promote or defeat a ballot question is defined as a *political committee*.

A political fund is defined as an accumulation of dues or voluntary contributions by an association that are collected or expended to influence the nomination or election of a candidate or to promote or defeat a ballot question. The contents of a political fund may not be commingled with other funds or with personal funds of an officer or member of the fund. If not prohibited by other law, an entity may deposit in its political fund money from dues or membership fees.

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Nash announces bid for state representative seat

By Mark Olson Created 05/07/2010 - 10:41am

Jim Nash has announced that he is a candidate for the office of Minnesota State House of Representatives in District 34A.

District 34A covers western Carver County (including Carver, Victoria and a portion of Chaska), and parts of Scott County.

Nash currently serves on the Waconia City Council, representing Ward 1. "It is something I have been considering for some time, but when Rep. Paul Kohls called and told me that he was not going to seek reelection, he encouraged me to run. Paul has done a great job representing us in his four terms in the House, as a voice for fiscal responsibility, limited government, and family values, and I want to do the same for the citizens of Caver and Scott counties," Nash stated, in a press release.

"I know that Paul's announcement comes as a bit of a surprise for many but I also know that I am ready to focus my energies and mount a winning campaign today. I have worked hard as a city council member to make sure that the residents have somebody they can count on and I would be honored to do the same for the citizens of 34A," Nash stated.

Nash was elected to the Waconia City Council in 2008. He has served as the council representative to the Association of Carver County Elected Officials, Council Liaison to the Chamber of Commerce, Long Range Capital Improvement Committee, City Personnel Committee, Southwest Transportation Coalition, and has personally flown to Washington D.C. to lobby federal officials on behalf of Carver County transportation issues.

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Nash lives in Waconia with his wife, Kim, and their six children. He has worked as a vice president of sales in various companies for the last 10 years, has volunteered as a coach, at his church, as a leader on international relief trips, and for local charities in the Minneapolis area.



Nash is also an avid outdoorsman and enjoys boating, fishing and hunting. "I love our community, state, and our country and want to represent the hard-working families in Carver and Scott counties as their voice in St. Paul. I am up to the challenge, I am ready to work hard, and I look forward to meeting with citizens around our district."

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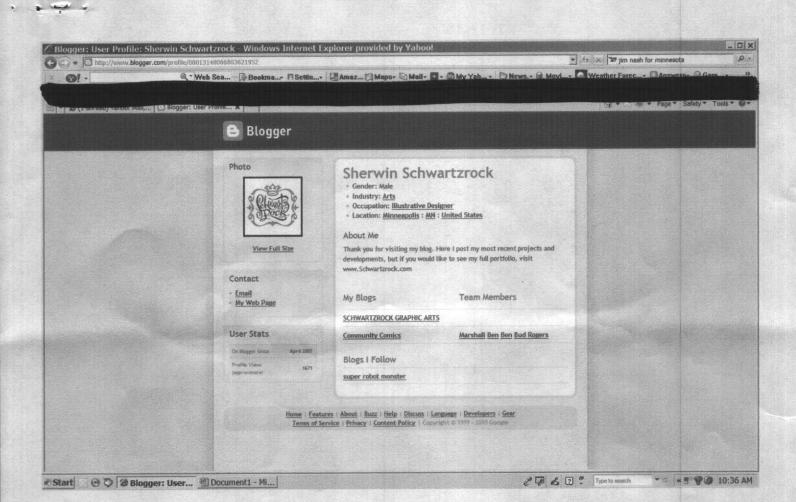


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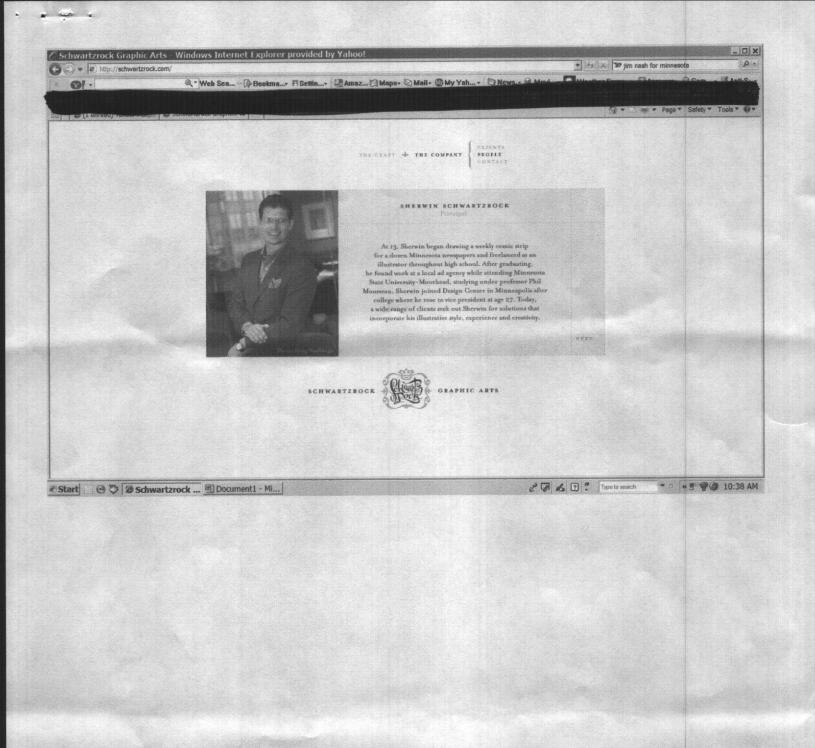


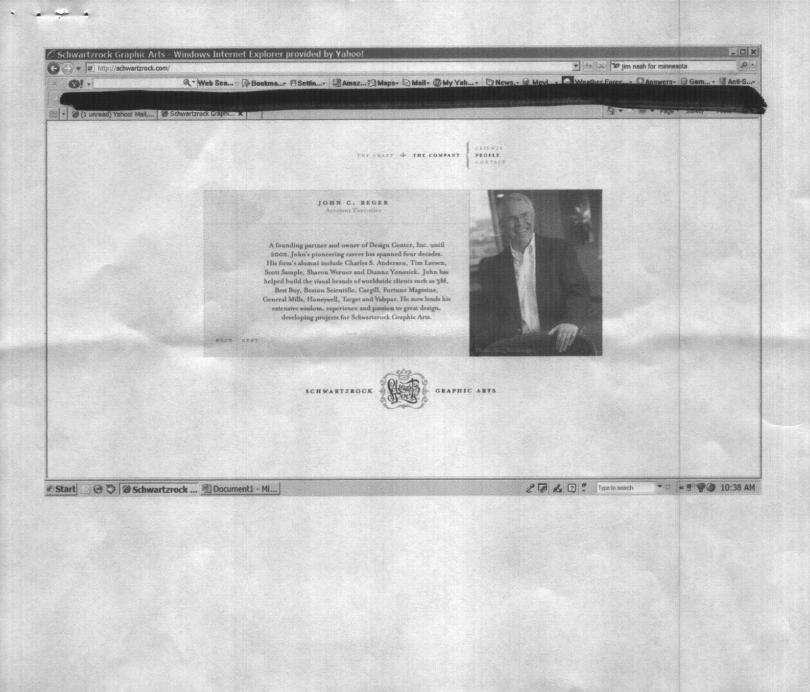
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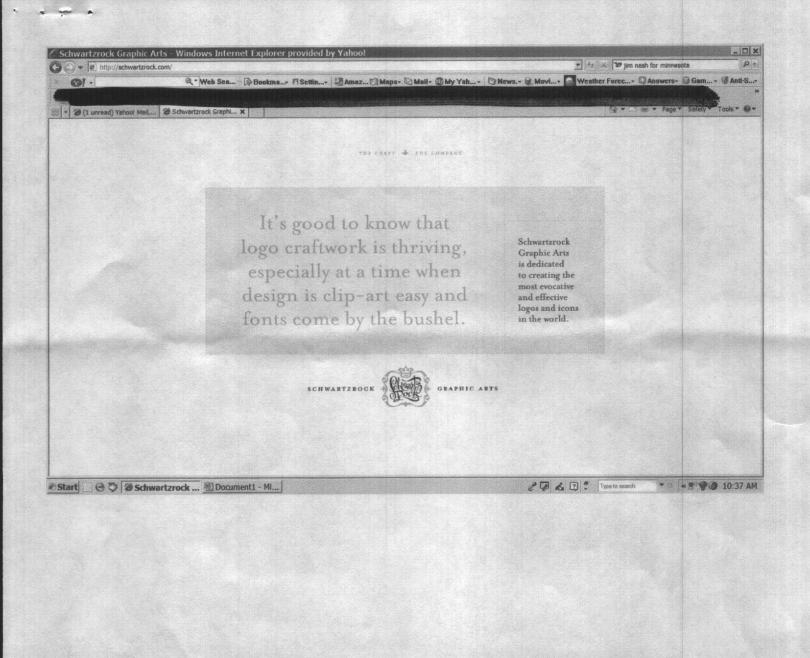
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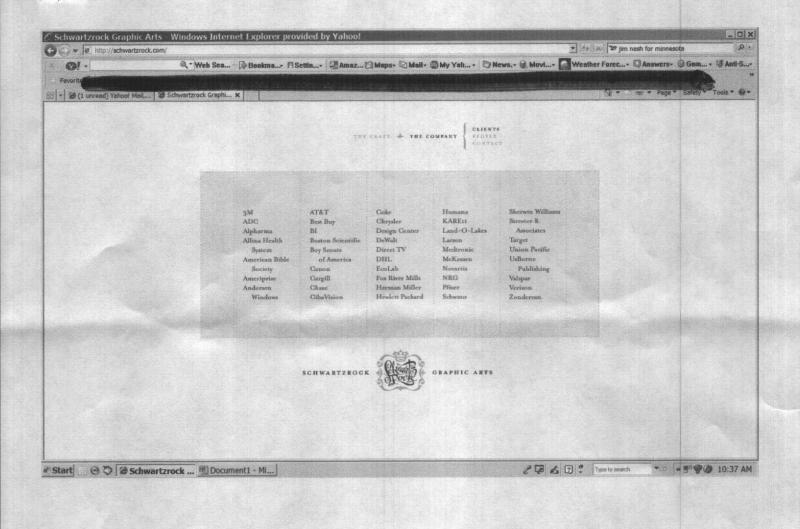


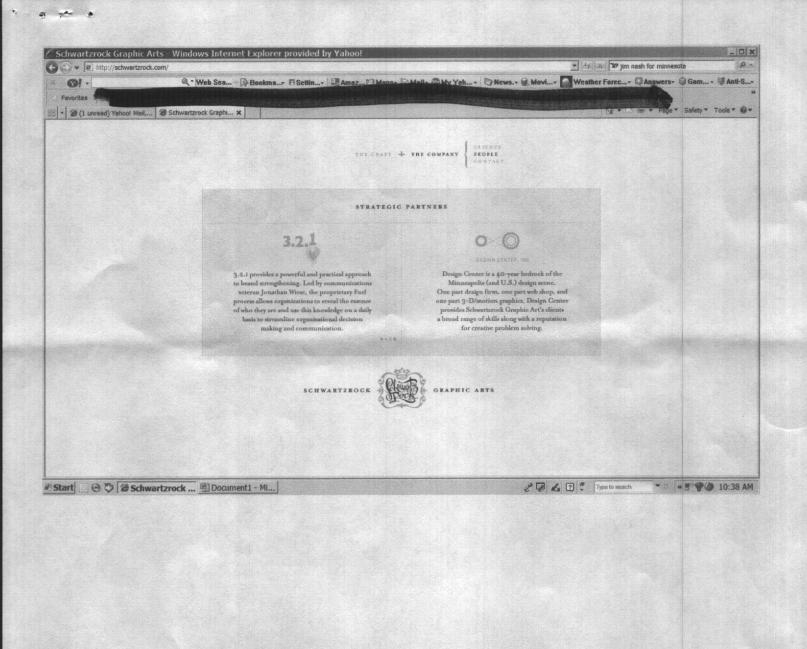
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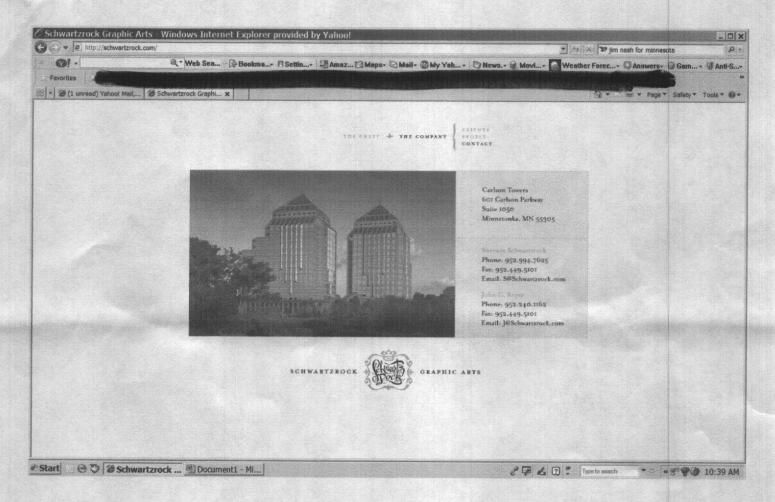








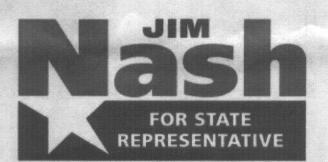
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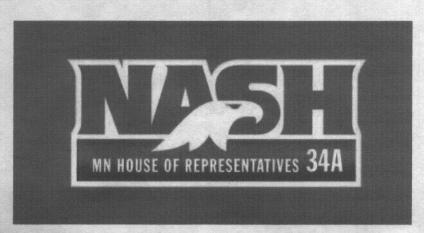
Nash for MN Rep.

My friend, Jim Nash is running for the Republican nomination to compete for the MN state representative seat in district 34A. He asked my help for a logo years ago when he successfully ran for a seat on the Waconia city council. Now he's running for state representative. What's next? Govenor?

Seriously, Jim is a solid character. But I have yet to understand why people would want these thankless jobs...







POSTED BY SHERWIN SCHWARTZROCK AT 6:21 AM O COMMENTS

Jim Nash for Minnesota Minnesota Facebook Friends, I need your help! I am looking for 25 people to help me on Monday night at the endorsing convention in Norwood, MN at 6:00pm. I need people who will come and hold signs, pass out lapel stickers, literature, and sign up volunteers. I need your help to win the endorsement and go to St. Paul and work hard for you! Call me, text me, respond here on Facebook I need your help!

Jim May 20 at 8:31am

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Jim Nash for Minnesota Pushing hard through these last few days before the endorsing convention. I had great meetings with delegates and have been getting lots of great feedback!!!!!

Thanks for all of your support, keep spreading the word throughout Carver and Scott Counties!

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Brothers Office Furniture owner wins GOP nod

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HOUSE 34A

Ernie Leidiger, a Camden Township resident and owner of Brothers Office Furniture, beat out two candidates on Monday night for the Republican endorsement in House District 34A.

He was endorsed on the second ballot at a special convention called in Norwood Young America after Rep. Paul Kohls, R-Victoria, announced he would not run again due to a job change.

Leidiger beat out Waconia City Councilman Jim Nash and Louisville Township resident Bruce Mackenthun, a professional handyman and licensed builder.

On the first ballot, Leidiger received half of the vote, with Nash garnering 30-some percent and Mackenthun, 12 percent.

Mackenthun said he bowed out after the first round of voting and threw his support toward Leidiger, who then garnered 65 percent.

Neither Leidiger, Nash nor the local Republican chairman Frank Long could be immediately reached for comment.

District 34A includes central and western Carver County, as well as the townships of St. Lawrence, Louisville and Jackson in Scott County.

Leidiger, who is active in the business community and veteran causes, is vice-chairman of the Carver County Republicans. He will now face DFL-endorsed candidate Leanne Kunze of Laketown Township.

Mackenthun, who hasn't been involved in politics as much as the other candidates, said he knocked on almost every door to build delegate support, despite suffering from a six-inch nail that recently went through his foot.

"That's the kind of determination we need to have going forward," he said.

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Judging from the thunderous applause he received after he spoke, Mackenthun said it appeared he might be the victor, but he thinks delegates went with Leidiger as the more well-known entity and also because many delegates didn't want to chance Nash winning.

Nash had positioned himself as the choice of Kohls, which annoyed some delegates, Mackenthun said, and he came across as too political, with a group of supporters holding signs behind him as he spoke at the endorsing convention.

Leidiger, who has owned Brothers Office Furniture for five years, is a Desert Storm veteran and a retired Naval Officer.

He helped found Operation Homefront, a charity for dependants of deployed service members, is on the board of directors of the local U.S. Naval Academy Alumni Association and is a member of the American Legion and VFW.

Leidiger also belongs to the Twin West and North Hennepin County Chambers of Commerce and the Minnesota Defense Alliance.

"My experience in the public and private sector, along with my conservative values, makes me a good candidate for this office" Leidiger stated when he announced his candidacy. "The last year has shown the danger of an out-of-control government. The bottom line in this campaign comes back to honesty and respect for constituents. I will work with the people to remove government roadblocks to job creation and reduce the enormous cost of state government."

Shannon Fiecke

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(Contribution limits apply to the total of cash contributions, in-kind contributions, and loans.)

Individual and Candidate Contribution Limits. Applies to the aggregate of contributions received during the calendar year from an individual, political committee, or political fund (excluding political party units) and from the candidate's personal funds.

Office	Individual, Political Committee or Fund contribution Limit	Candidate's personal funds contribution limit (applicable only to candidates who have signed a public subsidy agreement)
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$2,000	\$20,000
Attorney General, Secretary of State, and State Auditor	\$1,000	\$10,000
Senate	\$500	\$5,000
House of Representatives	\$500	\$5,000
Judicial Office	\$2,000	Not Applicable

Aggregate Political Party Unit and Terminating Principal Campaign Committee Contribution Limits. Applies to the aggregate of contributions received during the calendar year from all political party units and terminating principal campaign committees. Party units include a party caucus in the legislature, a state party, and party units in legislative districts, congressional districts, counties, municipalities, and precincts, and terminating principal campaign committees in aggregate.

Office	Contribution limit 2010
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$20,000
Attorney General, Secretary of State, and State Auditor	\$10,000
Senate	\$5,000
House of Representatives	\$5,000
Judicial Office	\$20,000

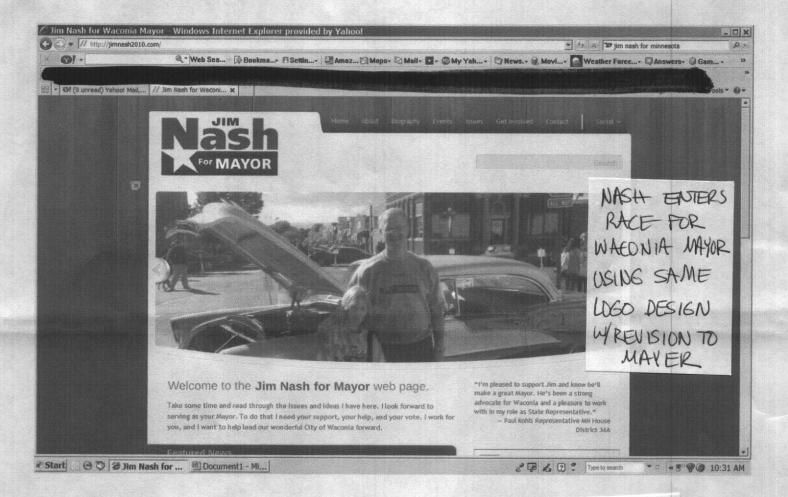
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All candidates (except judicial candidates) are subject to an aggregate contribution limit. This limit is not dependent on the signing of a Public Subsidy Agreement. This limit applies to the aggregate of all contributions and loans received during the year from:

- lobbyists,
- political committees or political funds,
- large givers, who are persons who donate more than the amount specified in the right-hand column in the chart below.

Office	Aggregate limits 2010	A large giver is a person who during the calendar year donates more than:
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$515,500	\$1,000
Attorney General	\$86,000	\$500
Secretary of State, State Auditor	\$43,000	\$500
Senate	\$12,900	\$250
House of Representatives	\$6,500	\$250

The aggregate contribution limit does not increase for first time candidates, candidates in a contested primary, or candidates who did not sign a public subsidy agreement or have been released from their spending limits.



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