

Notice of Submission of Rules Proposed for Adoption Without a Public Hearing to the Court of Administrative Hearings

Minnesota Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board

Amendments to Rules Relating to Campaign Finance; Minnesota Rules, part 4503.0900; Revisor's ID Number 4982; CAH Docket No. 5-9030-41329

Date: December 5, 2025

To: All Interested Persons

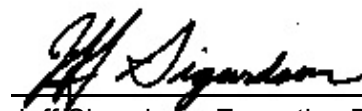
In accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 14.388, subdivision 2, this Notice is being sent to all persons who have registered their name with the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board under Minnesota Statutes, section 14.14, subdivision 1a. This Notice is also posted on the website of the Board.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-cited rules proposed for adoption will be submitted to the Court of Administrative Hearings on December 10, 2025. A copy of the rule modification is attached to this Notice.

All interested persons have five business days, starting on December 5, 2025, to submit comments to the Court of Administrative Hearings Rulemaking eComments website (minnesotaoah.granicusideas.com). If using the eComments website is not possible, you may submit comments in person or via United States mail addressed to Judge Mortenson at 600 North Robert Street, P.O. Box 64620, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55164-0620.

By Laws of Minnesota 2025, chapter 39, article 7, section 22, the Minnesota Legislature requires the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board to amend rules relating to transition expenses incurred by principal campaign committees. The Board is using the good cause exemption process under Minnesota Statutes, section 14.388, subdivision 1, clause (3), to make the specific changes required by the law cited above without additional interpretation, as authorized by the law cited above.

The agency contact person is Andrew Olson, Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board, 190 Centennial Office Building, 658 Cedar Street, Saint Paul, MN 55155-1603, 651-539-1190, andrew.d.olson@state.mn.us. You should direct questions about the rules or requests for special accommodation to the agency contact person.



Jeff Sigurdson, Executive Director

Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board

1.1 **Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board**

1.2 **Adopted Exempt Permanent Rules Making Conforming Changes to Transition**
1.3 **Expenses**

1.4 **4503.0900 NONCAMPAIGN DISBURSEMENTS.**

1.5 Subpart 1. **Additional definitions.** In addition to those listed in Minnesota Statutes,
1.6 section 10A.01, subdivision 26, the following expenses are noncampaign disbursements:

1.7 *[For text of items A to D, see Minnesota Rules]*

1.8 E. payment of fines assessed by the board; and

1.9 ~~F. costs of running a transition office for a winning gubernatorial candidate during~~
1.10 ~~the first six months after election; and~~

1.11 ~~G. F.~~ costs to maintain a bank account that is required by law, including service
1.12 fees, the cost of ordering checks, and check processing fees.

1.13 *[For text of subparts 2 to 2b, see Minnesota Rules]*

1.14 Subp. 2c. **Equipment purchases.** The cost of durable equipment purchased by a
1.15 principal campaign committee, including but not limited to computers, cell phones, and
1.16 other electronic devices, must be classified as a campaign expenditure unless the equipment
1.17 is purchased to replace equipment that was lost, stolen, or damaged to such a degree that it
1.18 no longer serves its intended purpose, or the equipment will be used solely:

1.19 *[For text of items A to C, see Minnesota Rules]*

1.20 D. for running a transition office in accordance with subpart 1 Minnesota Statutes,
1.21 section 10A.174; or

1.22 E. as home security hardware.

1.23 *[For text of subpart 3, see Minnesota Rules]*