

Minnesota
Campaign Finance and
Public Disclosure Board



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Dear House Candidate:

The forms and information enclosed in this packet are to assist you in meeting the requirements of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 10A, which governs campaign finance and disclosure in Minnesota. As a candidate in a special election, you will be required to meet various statutory requirements and deadlines. Please review this letter and the enclosed disclosure calendar for information about deadlines and requirements.

- If you wish to be eligible to receive a subsidy, the **public subsidy agreement** must be completed and filed with the Board by December 11, 2019. You must sign and file an agreement to be eligible to receive a public subsidy payment. Please read the agreement carefully, because once it is signed, the agreement may not be rescinded.

Funding is available for the public subsidy payment to eligible candidates.

- The **affidavit of contributions** must be completed and filed with the Board **by December 16, 2019**. The Board will be unable to pay public subsidy to you if you fail to file the affidavit on time. In order to file the affidavit, you must first raise \$1,500 in qualifying individual contributions.
- The **statement of economic interest** must be completed and filed with the Board **within 14 days** after you file an affidavit of candidacy. A statement of economic interest is required by statute from each candidate filing for state office.
- A Registration and Statement of Organization must be completed and filed with the Board within 14 days after raising or spending more than \$750 (other than your own personal funds) to influence your nomination or election in this special election. If you have already registered a committee for House District 30A the registration is still in effect. If needed you may use this form to amend any committee information previously filed.
- Please refer to the House District 30A Special Election Public Disclosure Calendar for important filing dates.
- **Please Note:** The **pre-primary-election report**, due on January 7, 2020, is **only required if there is a Primary Election**. See the House District 30A Special Election Public Disclosure Calendar.
- A candidate is required to file electronic reports that disclose their committee's receipts and expenditures. The Board provides free software, called Campaign Finance Reporter, which satisfies this requirement. The software is available for download at <https://cfb.mn.gov/filer-resources/complete-a-filing/campaign-finance-filings/campaign-finance-report/>. It is possible to obtain a waiver from the electronic filing requirement and file paper reports. An explanation of the reasons why a waiver may be granted and the application form for a waiver are enclosed.

Late filing fees: Please note, if a report, including a report of large pre-election contribution, is not filed on time, a late filing fee of \$50 per business day will begin to accrue **WITHOUT**

NOTICE on the next day following the day the report was due. The maximum late filing fee per report is \$1,000.

Contribution Limits: During the special election cycle the contribution limits are as provided in the following chart. Please note, with the exception of contributions from the candidate, contribution limits apply regardless of whether the candidate signs the public subsidy agreement.

Individuals and Lobbyists	\$1,000	Total of cash and in-kind contributions
Political Committees and Funds	\$1,000	Total of cash and in-kind contributions
Political Party Units	\$10,000	In aggregate from all party units and terminating state candidate committees combined, cash and in-kind
Candidate	\$5,000	If the candidate does not sign the public subsidy agreement there is no limit on the amount the candidate may contribute to their own campaign.

Aggregate Special Source Limit: Aggregate contributions received from registered lobbyists, political committees, political funds, and unregistered associations when added together must not exceed **\$13,100** during the special election cycle.

Also, if you are a candidate who had a principal campaign committee for House 30A before November 27, 2019, please contact Megan Engelhardt at 651-539-1182 for additional guidance regarding your obligations.

If you have questions about this packet, please call me at 651-539-1189 or 800-657-3889.

Sincerely,



Jeff Sigurdson
Executive Director

Campaign Finance *and* Public Disclosure Board



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PUBLIC SUBSIDY AGREEMENT Special Election ~ House District 30A

The public subsidy agreement allows eligible candidates to receive subsidies from the State Elections Campaign Fund under Minnesota Statutes chapter 10A.

Instructions

- This agreement must be completed and filed by candidates for Minnesota House District 60A to establish eligibility.
- This agreement may be filed by fax to 651-539-1196 or 800-357-4114.
- Refer questions to Board staff at 651-539-1189 or 800-657-3889.
- All information on this form is public.

Deadline This form must be filed with the Board not later than **December 11, 2019**.

Identification Please print or type:

Candidate's Name	
Office Sought House	District 30A
Telephone with area code	Email address
Committee registration number (if committee is registered)	

Candidate signature

I understand this agreement is a binding legal document. Once signed and filed, the agreement may not be rescinded. I have read and understand this public subsidy agreement. I agree to the terms of the agreement as shown on page two.

Signature of candidate

Date signed

Any person who signs and certifies to be true a report or statement which the person knows contains false information, or who knowingly omits required information, is subject to a civil penalty imposed by the Board of up to \$3,000 and is subject to criminal prosecution for a gross misdemeanor.

Spending limit Increase The spending limit is increased by 10% for a candidate who is running for an office for the first time and who has not run previously for any other office whose territory now includes a population that is more than one-third of the population in the territory of the new office.

If you meet the above requirements for a spending limit increase, please sign here:

Signature of candidate

Agreement As a candidate for House, I request a public subsidy for my principal campaign committee from the State of Minnesota and hereby agree to all the following:

1. To abide by the statutory spending limits for a House candidate for the special election cycle. I understand that the special election cycle ends, and this agreement expires, 15 days after the special election is held. I also understand that campaign expenditures include the total of my monetary campaign expenditures, in-kind campaign expenditures, and unpaid campaign expenditures.

Spending Limit	Limit for first time candidate	Limit for closely contested primary	Limit for first time candidate closely contested primary	Contribution limit from candidate	Amount that must be raised from individuals in \$50 increments
\$65,500	\$72,050	\$78,600	\$86,460	\$5,000	\$1,500

2. To limit my personal contributions to my principal campaign committee to \$5,000 during the special election cycle. I understand that my personal contributions include the total of my cash and in-kind contributions to my principal campaign committee and the outstanding balance of any loans I make to my principal campaign committee.
3. To return the amount of public subsidy received (if any) that exceeds my actual campaign expenditures.
4. To make no independent expenditures on behalf of another committee.
5. To include closed captioning for deaf and hard-of-hearing viewers, as required by Minnesota Statutes section 10A.38, on all professionally produced visual or audio recordings of two minutes or less produced for the purpose of influencing the nomination or election of the candidate by broadcast, cable television, candidate's website, and radio, or file with the Board a statement setting forth the reasons for not doing so before the advertisement is disseminated.

Please note: To be eligible to receive public subsidy funds from the State Elections Campaign Fund, you must:

- complete, sign and file this public subsidy agreement for House District 30A not later than December 11, 2019
- accumulate at least \$1,500 in contributions from individuals eligible to vote in Minnesota, counting only the first \$50 received from each individual contributor. Contributions received on or after January 1, 2019, and **by** December 16, 2019, may be counted toward the \$1,500.
- file an affidavit of contributions with the Board before midnight on December 16, 2019, stating that you have accumulated the \$1,500.
- appear on the special general election ballot.

Public Subsidy Amounts:	<u>Party Affiliation</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>
	DFL	\$3,673.16
	RPM	\$3,617.79
	IPMN	\$ 122.14
	GPM	\$ 32.11
	GRP	\$2,360.97
	LPM	\$ 69.85
	LMNP	\$2,411.97

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**AFFIDAVIT OF CONTRIBUTIONS
Special Election ~ House District 30A**

(INSTRUCTIONS ON OTHER SIDE)

The undersigned candidate or treasurer states as follows:

1. The Candidate is: (Please print or type)

Candidate Name	Reg. #
Street address	
City/state/zip	
Telephone # with area code	

2. The candidate named above is a candidate in the Special Election in 2020 for House District 30A.

3. The principal campaign committee for the candidate has accumulated total contributions in the amount of \$_____, counting **ONLY THE FIRST \$50 RECEIVED FROM EACH INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTOR WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN THIS STATE.** The contributions were received in the time period described in the eligibility instructions on page two.

Notice to filer: To qualify for public subsidy, the amount of contributions reported in item 3 above, must be at least \$1,500. If you have not raised at least this amount, filing this affidavit will not qualify you for public subsidy.

Signature of candidate or treasurer

Date signed

Any person who signs and certifies to be true a report or statement which the person knows contains false information, or who knowingly omits required information, is subject to a civil penalty imposed by the Board of up to \$3,000 and is subject to criminal prosecution for a gross misdemeanor.

AFFIDAVIT OF CONTRIBUTIONS
Special Election ~ House District 30A

INSTRUCTIONS

This affidavit of contributions must be completed and filed by the candidate or the treasurer of a principal campaign committee to establish eligibility for receipt of public subsidies in the special election in 2020 for House District 30A. The form must be filed by December 16, 2019.

General

- This affidavit must be signed by the candidate or treasurer, and dated.
- All information on this form is public.
- Please retain a copy of this affidavit for your records.
- Refer your questions to Campaign Finance & Public Disclosure Board staff at 651-539-1189, 800-657-3889, or TTY 800-627-3529, ask for 651-539-1187.

Deadline

An affidavit of contributions must be received by the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board by December 16, 2019, or, if mailed, postmarked by December 16, 2019.

Filing

This affidavit may be filed with the Board by:

- mail,
- by submitting the form using the Campaign Finance Reporter software,
- delivery in person or by messenger to the Board office,
- faxed to 651-539-1196 or 800-357-4114

This document is considered timely filed if it is received in the Board office or postmarked on or before the required filing date.

Public Subsidy Eligibility Requirement Instructions

Please note To be eligible to receive public subsidy funds from the State Elections Campaign Fund, you must:

- complete, sign and file the public subsidy agreement for House District 30A no later than December 11, 2019
- accumulate at least \$1,500 in contributions from individuals eligible to vote in Minnesota, counting only the first \$50 received from each individual contributor. Contributions received on or after January 1, 2019, and **by** December 16, 2019, may be counted toward the \$1,500. The deadline for accumulating contributions that count toward the \$1,500 for the special election House District 30A affidavit of contributions is December 16, 2019.
- file an *Affidavit of Contributions* with the Board by December 16, 2019, stating that you have accumulated the \$1,500.
- win the primary election.

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Original Statement of Economic Interest for Candidates for Elective Office

Filing instructions

(General instructions for completing the form are on page 2)

- The statement must be filed with the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board within 14 days after a candidate files an affidavit of candidacy.
- Late fees will accrue for a statement not received by the due date.
- This form may be filed by mail to the address above, by email to cfb.eis@state.mn.us, or by fax to 651-539-1196 or 800-357-4114.
Fax filers: Keep the original and a fax confirmation notice as proof of timely filing.
- All information on this statement is public information and may be published on the Board's website.
- It is unlawful to use information filed with the Board for commercial purposes.
- Board staff may be reached by telephone at 651-539-1184 or 800-657-3889 or by email at cfb.eis@state.mn.us.

Candidate information

Employment information

Name		Occupation
Address at which you wish to receive mail from the Board (You may use either a home or business address)		Name of employer (Also include any employer as a source of compensation on page 3. Indicate here if self-employed or unemployed.)
City, state, zip		Business address (This address will be posted on the Board's website)
Telephone (Daytime)		Business city, state, zip
Office sought	District #	Email address

Certification

I, _____, certify that the information contained on this form, including information on the schedules on page 3, is complete, true, and correct.
 (Print or type name)

 Signature

 Date

Notice: Any person who signs and certifies to be true a statement which the person knows contains false information or omits required information is subject to a civil penalty imposed by the Board of up to \$3,000 and is subject to criminal prosecution for a gross misdemeanor.

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General instructions

Occupation

Your occupation is your usual trade, profession, or employment. It includes categories such as homemaker, student, and retired.

Reporting period

The reporting period begins on the first day of the calendar month before the date you filed your affidavit of candidacy and runs through the date that you filed.

Reporting sources of compensation

Based on the definitions below, list all businesses from which you received more than \$250 in compensation in any calendar month during the reporting period. Include any employer listed on page 1.

"Business" means an association, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or other organized legal entity including a government agency. An individual acting alone in the individual's own capacity, such as in the form of a sole proprietorship, is not a business for purposes of this statement.

"Compensation" means any payment for labor or personal services as a director, officer, owner, member, partner, employer, or employee of a business. Compensation also includes payment of honoraria. Compensation does not include payments that do not result from the performance of services, such as rental income social security payments, unemployment compensation, workers' compensation, pension benefits, or insurance benefits.

Reporting business or professional activity categories

List the following information:

- 1) The business or professional activity category of each business from which you received more than \$250 in any calendar month as an employee if you also own 25% or more of that business; and
- 2) Any business or professional activity category in which you received compensation of more than \$2,500 in the past 12 months as an independent contractor.

The business and professional activity categories are listed on page 4. You may abbreviate a word as long as the abbreviation sufficiently identifies the category that you are reporting.

Reporting securities

"Securities" means stocks, shares, bonds, warrants, options, pledges, notes, mortgages, annuities, debentures, leases, and commercial paper. "Securities" does not include mutual funds or exchange-traded funds.

List all businesses in which you individually or jointly held securities valued at more than \$10,000 at any time in the reporting period. Use the definition of business in the compensation section above. For securities in a business, list the complete legal name of the business, not the business's stock market abbreviation. Do not list the value of the securities.

Include securities held in Individual Retirement Accounts, deferred compensation plans, 401(k) accounts, or similar plans. List individual securities held within the plan or account, not the plan or account itself. Do not include mutual funds. Do not include securities held in defined benefit pension plans.

Reporting real property

Do not report your homestead. Report interests in all other real property located in Minnesota that you held individually or jointly on the date you filed your affidavit of candidacy. You must report the following interests: a fee simple interest (you are an owner, even if you owe a mortgage), a mortgage that you hold as a seller, or a contract for deed as a buyer or seller.

Report an option to buy if the value of the option is more than \$2,500 or if the fair market value of the optioned property is more than \$50,000 even if the value of the option itself is \$2,500 or less.

For each property list the county in which the property is located. Also list the complete property address. The complete property address is the street address and city, or if the property does not have a street address, the section, township, and range where the property is located and the approximate acreage.

Waiver of reporting of second residence

Upon written request and for good cause shown, the Board may waive the requirement that a candidate disclose the address of real property that serves as a secondary residence of the candidate. Contact Board staff if you want to request this waiver.

Reporting pari-mutuel horseracing interests

Report any investment, ownership, or interest in property connected with pari-mutuel horse racing in the United States or Canada, including a race horse. Include any direct or indirect, partial or full interest held by you or an immediate family member.

Attach additional pages if necessary to complete any of these schedules.

Sources of compensation

----- Check each applicable box -----

Name of source	Director	Officer	Owner	Member	Partner	Employer	Employee	Honorarium

Business or professional activity categories

----- Check the applicable box -----

Business or professional activity category (See page 4)	Employee: \$250 in income in month and owns 25% or more of business	Independent contractor: More than \$2,500 in compensation

Securities

Name of business in which security is held	Name of business in which security is held

Real property

----- Check one -----

County	Street address and city; or section, township, and range	Own	Mortgage (Held as seller)	Contract for deed (As buyer or seller)	Option to buy - option worth more than \$2,500	Option to buy - property worth more than \$50,000	Acreage (If applicable)

Pari-mutuel horse racing interests

----- Check one -----

	Partial interest	Full interest	Description of interest (Horse, stable, etc.)
Official direct interest			
Official indirect interest			
Family interest			

Business and professional activity categories

Use these categories for the business or professional activity category section on page 3. If you need more information to decide which category to use, please see the chart on the Internal Revenue Service website at <http://www.irs.gov/instructions/i1040sc/ch02.html#d0e1929>.

Accommodation
Administrative and Support Services
Agriculture, Forestry, Hunting, & Fishing
Agriculture & Forestry Support Activities
Amusement, Gambling, & Recreation Industries
Broadcasting (except Internet) & Telecommunications (including internet service providers)
Construction of Buildings
Construction - Heavy and Civil Engineering
Construction - Specialty Trade Contractors
Credit Intermediation & Related Activities
Data Processing Services (including internet publishing)
Educational Services
Food Services & Drinking Places
Health Care - Ambulatory Health Care Services
Health Care - Hospitals
Health Care - Nursing & Residential Care Facilities
Information (publishing industries except internet)
Insurance Agents, Brokers, & Related Activities
Manufacturing - Chemical
Manufacturing - Food
Manufacturing - Leather & Allied Product
Manufacturing - Nonmetallic Mineral Product
Manufacturing - Other
Mining
Motion Picture & Sound Recording
Museums, Historical Sites, & Similar Institutions
Performing Arts, Spectator Sports, & Related Industries
Personal & Laundry Services
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services (Architectural, Engineering, & Related Services)
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services (Computer Systems Design & Related Services)
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services (Legal, Accounting, Payroll, & Tax Preparation Services)
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services (Specialized Design Services)
Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services (Other)
Real Estate
Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, & Similar Organizations
Rental & Leasing Services
Repair & Maintenance Services
Retail - Building Material & Garden Equipment & Supplies Dealers
Retail - Clothing & Accessories Stores
Retail - Electronic & Appliance Stores
Retail - Food & Beverage Stores
Retail - Furniture & Home Furnishing Stores
Retail - Gasoline Stations
Retail - General Merchandise Stores
Retail - Health & Personal Care Stores
Retail - Motor Vehicle & Parts Dealers
Retail - Sporting Goods, Hobby, Book, & Music Stores
Retail - Miscellaneous Store Retailers
Retail - Nonstore Retailers
Securities, Commodity Contracts, & Other Financial Investments & Related Activities
Social Assistance
Transportation
Transportation (couriers and messengers)
Unclassified Establishments (unable to classify)
Utilities
Warehousing & Storage Facilities
Waste Management & Remediation Services
Wholesale Trade - Merchant Wholesalers - Durable Goods
Wholesale Trade - Merchant Wholesalers - Nondurable Goods
Wholesale Electronic Markets and Agents & Brokers

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Registration and Statement of Organization Principal Campaign Committee

under Minn. Stat. §§ 10A.14 and 10A.19

Instructions

- This statement is due at the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board office within 14 days after the Candidate raises or spends in excess of \$750, or within 10 days after any change in previously filed information.
- All required sections must be filled in before the committee can be registered.
- This form may be emailed to cf.board@state.mn.us or faxed to 651-539-1196; 800-357-4114
- All information on this form or report is public information and may be published on the Board's website at <https://cfb.mn.gov/>
- It is unlawful to use this information for commercial purposes.
- Do not use pencil or red ink.
- Board staff may also be reached by phone at 651-539-1187 or 800-657-3889 or by email at cf.board@state.mn.us

Registration

New Registration

Amendment: Registration No. _____

Candidate

Candidate name	
Address (Line 1)	
Address (Line 2)	
City, state, zip	
Telephone (Daytime)	Email address (Required, or write "No email")

Office sought

Constitutional office (Specify) _____ Senate: Distr # _____ House of Representatives: Distr # _____
 Supreme Court Appeals Court District Court: Distr # _____ Seat # _____

Party affiliation

Democratic Farmer Labor Grassroots-Legalize Cannabis Party Independence Party Minnesota Libertarian Party Minnesota
 Republican Party Minnesota Green Party Minn Legal Marijuana Now Party Other _____

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Public Disclosure Calendar - Special Election ~ House District 30A

Filings open: December 3, 2019

CRITICAL DEADLINES TRIGGERED BY DATE OF FILING FOR OFFICE:

Period to File Affidavit of Candidacy	Public Subsidy Agreement Due	Affidavit of Contributions Due	Economic Interest Due
December 3 through December 10	December 11	December 16	Within 14 days of Filing

Candidates must file **STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTEREST** no later than **14 days** after filing for office.

December 3, 2019	Filing for office period opens
December 10, 2019	Filing for office period closes at 5:00 p.m.
December 11, 2019	Last day to file Public Subsidy Agreement
December 16, 2019	Last day to file Affidavit of Contributions
January 1, 2020 through January 13, 2020	CONTRIBUTIONS and LOANS from any one source totaling more than \$500 must be reported to the Board electronically within 24 hours after receipt (if there is a primary) and also in the next required report.
January 7, 2020	PRE-PRIMARY REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES DUE (if there is a primary) Period covered: November 27, 2019, through December 31, 2019
January 14, 2020	PRIMARY ELECTION (if necessary)
January 22, 2020 through February 3, 2020	CONTRIBUTIONS and LOANS from any one source totaling more than \$500 must be reported to the Board electronically within 24 hours after receipt and also in the next required report.
January 28, 2020	PRE-GENERAL REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES DUE. Period covered: November 27, 2019, through January 21, 2020
February 4, 2020	GENERAL ELECTION.
February 19, 2020	Public Subsidy Agreements expire for special election cycle.
February 20, 2020	New Public Subsidy Agreement may be signed.
March 2, 2020	ELECTION CYCLE FINAL REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES DUE. Period covered: November 27, through February 19, 2020

**2019 – 2020 ELECTION CYCLE SEGMENT
CONTRIBUTION LIMITS**

All contribution limits apply to the total of cash contributions, in-kind contributions, and loans received during the two-year period from January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2020.

Individual and Candidate Contribution Limits. Applies to the aggregate of contributions received during 2019 and 2020 from an individual, political committee, or a political fund (excluding political party units), unregistered associations, and from the candidate's personal funds.

Office	2019 - 2020 Contribution Limit Total Amount for Two-Year Period	2019 – 2020 Candidate's Personal Contribution Limit - Total Amount for Two-Year Period (applicable only to candidates who have signed a public subsidy agreement)
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$2,000	\$10,000
Attorney General	\$1,500	\$7,500
Secretary of State and State Auditor	\$1,000	\$5,000
Senate	\$1,000	\$5,000
House of Representatives	\$1,000	\$5,000
Judicial Office	\$2,500	Not applicable

Aggregate Political Party Unit and Terminating Principal Campaign Committee Contribution Limits. Applies to the aggregate of contributions received during 2019 and 2020 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 in aggregate.

Office	2019 - 2020 Political Party and Terminating Committee Contribution Limit Total Amount for Two-Year Period
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$20,000
Attorney General	\$15,000
Secretary of State, State Auditor	\$10,000
Senate	\$10,000
House of Representatives	\$10,000
Judicial Office	\$25,000

Aggregate contribution limits. 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. The aggregate contribution limit does not increase for first-time candidates or for candidates who do not sign a public subsidy agreement. This limit applies to the aggregate of all contributions and loans from lobbyists, political committees or political funds, and associations not registered with the Board.

Office	Aggregate Limit for 2019 -2020 Election Cycle Segment
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$327,200
Attorney General	\$43,700
Secretary of State, State Auditor	\$21,800
Senate*	\$19,700
House of Representatives*	\$13,100

*Estimated amounts – final aggregate contribution limits will be calculated in April of 2020

CAMPAIGN EXPENDITURE LIMITS FOR 2019 – 2020 ELECTION CYCLE SEGMENT

All expenditure limits apply to the total campaign expenditures incurred during the two-year period from January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2020. All expenditure limits apply only to candidates who sign a public subsidy agreement.

Office	A 2019 - 2020 Base Spending Limit	B Limit for Candidate Running for Office for the First Time	C Limit for Candidate with Closely Contested Primary	D Limit for First Time Candidate with Closely Contested Primary
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$1,636,200	\$1,799,820	NA	NA
Attorney General	\$218,300	\$240,130	NA	NA
Secretary of State, State Auditor	\$109,200	\$120,120	NA	NA
Senate*	\$98,300	\$108,130	\$117,960	\$129,756
House of Representatives*	\$65,500	\$72,050	\$78,600	\$86,460

*Estimated amounts – final spending limits will be calculated in April of 2020

Spending limit. The spending limit includes the total of:

1. Monetary campaign expenditures,
2. In-kind campaign expenditures, and
3. Unpaid campaign expenditures.

Election Cycle Segments. The spending limit is higher in a two-year segment during which an election is held for the office sought.

First-Time Candidate. A candidate is eligible for a 10% increase in the base campaign expenditure limit if the following conditions are met:

1. The candidate has not previously held the same office. For the legislature the office is House of Representatives or State Senate, without regard to any specific district.
2. The candidate has not previously been on the primary or general election ballot for that office.
3. The candidate has not in the past 10 years raised or spent more than \$750 in a run for any other office whose territory now includes a population that is more than one-third of the population in the territory of the office the candidate is now seeking.

Closely Contested Primary election. A candidate is eligible for a 20% spending increase for having a closely contested primary election if the following conditions are met:

1. The candidate won the primary election, and had at least one opponent in the primary election,
2. The candidate received fewer than twice as many votes as any one of the opponents in the primary. The closely contested primary spending increase is available for use only after the primary election.

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