

1 CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

2 BILL NO. 2013-41

3 INTRODUCED BY:

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5 Councilor Calvert

6 Councilor Bushee

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10 AN ORDINANCE

11 RELATING TO THE CITY OF SANTA FE CAMPAIGN CODE AND PUBLIC CAMPAIGN
12 FINANCE CODE, AMENDING SUBSECTIONS 9-2.3(I) SFCC 1987 AND 9-3.3(E) SFCC 1987
13 TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF *CONTRIBUTION* TO INCLUDE AS A CONTRIBUTION
14 CERTAIN EXPENDITURES BY PERSONS OTHER THAN THE CANDIDATE OR THE
15 CANDIDATE'S POLITICAL COMMITTEE.-

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17 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE:

18 Section 1. Subsection 9-2.3(I) SFCC 1987 (being Ord. #1998-41, §3, as amended) is
19 amended to read:

20 I. *Contribution* means a loan, loan guarantee, gift, advance, pledge, contract, agreement
21 or promise of money or anything of value or other obligation, whether or not these items are legally
22 enforceable, made directly or indirectly, to a candidate or political committee for the purpose of
23 influencing the outcome of a municipal election.

24 (1) The term "contribution" includes:

25 (a) The transfer of funds or anything of value between political

1 committees;

2 (b) The transfer of anything of value for less than full consideration;

3 (c) Interest, dividends or other income derived from the investment of
4 campaign funds;

5 (d) The payment for the services of an individual serving on behalf of a
6 candidate or political committee, which payments are made by a third party; and

7 (e) The purchase of tickets for fundraising events such as dinners, rallies,
8 raffles, etc. and the proceeds of collections at fundraising events.

9 (f) An expenditure by a person other than a candidate or the candidate's
10 political committee that is made in cooperation, consultation or concert with, or at the
11 request or suggestion of, a candidate or the candidate's political committee.

12 (2) The term "contribution" does not include:

13 (a) A volunteer's personal services provided without compensation or the
14 travel or personal expenses of such a campaign worker; and

15 (b) The cost of an event held in honor of or on behalf of a candidate
16 when the total cost of the event amounts to no more than two hundred dollars (\$200.).

17 **Section 2. Subsection 9-3.3(E) SFCC 1987 (being Ord. #2009-44, §4, as amended) is**
18 **amended to read:**

19 E. *Contribution* means a loan, loan guarantee, gift, advance, pledge, contract, agreement
20 or promise of money or anything of value or other obligation, whether or not legally enforceable,
21 made directly or indirectly, to a candidate or political committee for the purpose of influencing the
22 outcome of a municipal election.

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- (b) The transfer of anything of value for less than full consideration;
- (c) Interest, dividends or other income derived from the investment of campaign funds;
- (d) The payment for the services of an individual serving on behalf of a candidate or political committee, which payments are made by a third party; and
- (e) The purchase of tickets for fundraising events such as dinners, rallies, raffles, etc. and the proceeds of collections at fundraising events.
- (f) An expenditure by a person other than a candidate or the candidate's political committee that is made in cooperation, consultation or concert with, or at the request or suggestion of, a candidate or the candidate's political committee.

- (2) The term "contribution" does not include:
 - (a) A volunteer's personal services provided without compensation or the travel or personal expenses of such a campaign worker; and
 - (b) The cost of an event held in honor of or on behalf of a candidate when the total cost of the event amounts to no more than two hundred dollars (\$200.).

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



KELLEY A. BRENNAN, INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY