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NEED ASSISTANCE?

Contact the Hawaii Campaign Spending Commission (“Commission”) at (808) 586-0285, visit us at 235 S. Beretania Street, Room 300, or explore the website’s guidebooks, manuals, videos, and filing resources.



WRAP-UP OF THE 2026 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

For the 2026 legislative session, the Commission submitted six (6) bills to the legislature, two (2) of which will become law:

Act 136, H.B. 2050, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 - RELATING TO PARTIAL PUBLIC FINANCING OF ELECTIONS – Increases the expenditure limit and the amount of partial public campaign financing available for all elective offices. Adjusts the minimum amount of qualifying contributions certain candidates must receive to participate in the program. Increases the matching fund payments to \$2 for each \$1 of qualifying contributions in excess of the minimum qualifying contribution amounts. Permits qualifying candidates to receive up to 75% of their maximum amounts. Appropriates \$2.4 million to the Hawaii Election Campaign Fund. Effective date is 7/1/2026, with the appropriation taking effect for the 2028 election cycle.

S.B.2532, H.D.1, C.D.1 - RELATING TO THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION'S ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM – Amends various sections of the Hawaii campaign spending laws to enhance user experience by modernizing and streamlining the filing process by requiring designated campaign finance forms to be submitted electronically through the Campaign Spending Commission’s upgraded electronic filing system. Effective date is 11/4/2026.

As to the four (4) Commission bills that did not pass, they concerned (1) extending the pay-to-play state and county government contractor ban to grants-in-aid recipients as well as officers and immediate family members of the government contractor/grantee; (2) prohibiting elected officials from accepting and soliciting contributions during legislative session; (3) escheating any excess cash contribution over \$100 to the Hawaii Election Campaign Fund; and (4) adjusting the salaries of the Commission's executive director and associate director to align with similar government offices who have compliance and enforcement responsibilities. The Commission will consider whether to continue its efforts to advocate for these bills in the future.



Other bills that passed this session that were not Commission bills but increase transparency and accountability in campaign finance:

S.B.2247, S.D.1, H.D.1, C.D.1 - RELATING TO POLITICAL FUNDRAISING BY EXECUTIVE BRANCH EMPLOYEES - Prohibits any Executive Branch employee who is nominated or appointed by the Governor to a compensated position subject to confirmation by the Senate from engaging in certain campaign fundraising activities.

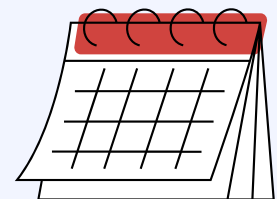
Act 11, S.B.2471, S.D.2, H.D.2, C.D.1 - RELATING TO THE POWERS OF ARTIFICIAL PERSONS - Reaffirms that artificial persons created under state law possess only those powers that are necessary or convenient to carry out lawful purposes, and that those powers do not include the power to spend money or contribute anything of value to influence elections or ballot measures. Authorizes the Attorney General and the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs to impose certain penalties for violations. Effective date is 7/1/2027.

Notably, the Commission has no enforcement authority under Act 11 and is unable to provide comments or guidance regarding the Act. You may consult with your legal advisor concerning its potential impact, if any.

REPORTING SCHEDULES

Full reporting schedules for the 2026 election can be found at the links below. The Commission will add the necessary reports to your reporting schedule in your respective electronic filing system (Candidate Filing System ("CFS") and Noncandidate Committee Filing System ("NCFS")). **Deadlines must be met by 11:59 p.m. Hawaiian standard time.** ⚠ Carefully verify and validate reports and file early to avoid penalties.

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Your committee's reporting schedule will depend on which of the four (4) options below your committee falls under or qualifies for. Please be sure to select the appropriate option. The dates in bold indicate the next report that is due.

Option 1:

- Candidate committees NOT running** in the 2026 election must file these reports no later than 11:59 p.m. Hawaiian standard time on the following dates:
- **Supplemental Report** covering the period January 1, 2026 to June 30, 2026 (due on **July 31, 2026**); and
 - **Supplemental Report** covering the period July 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026 (due on February 1, 2027).

Option 2

Candidate committees RUNNING in the 2026 election must file the following upcoming Primary Reports (*unless committee is a "\$1,000 or less filer"*) depending on when nomination papers are filed.

If you filed nomination papers between February 2, 2026 (which is the first day you can file nomination papers for this election) and February 23, 2026 and you will be on the Primary Election ballot, at a minimum, you will be required to file these reports no later than 11:59 p.m. Hawaiian standard time on the following dates:

- **1A Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period January 1, 2026 to February 23, 2026 (due on March 2, 2026);
- **1B Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period February 24, 2026 to April 25, 2026 (due on April 30, 2026);
- **1C Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period April 26, 2026 to June 30, 2026 (due **July 9, 2026**);
- **2nd Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period July 1, 2026 to July 24, 2026 (due on July 29, 2026); and
- **Final Primary Report** covering the period July 25, 2026 to August 8, 2026 (due on August 28, 2026).

If you filed nomination papers between February 24, 2026 and April 25, 2026 and you will be on the Primary Election ballot, at a minimum, you will be required to file these reports no later than 11:59 p.m. Hawaiian standard time on the following dates:

- **1B Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period January 1, 2026 to April 25, 2026 (due on April 30, 2026);
- **1C Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period April 26, 2026 to June 30, 2026 (due **July 9, 2026**);
- **2nd Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period July 1, 2026 to July 24, 2026 (due on July 29, 2026); and
- **Final Primary Report** covering the period July 25, 2026 to August 8, 2026 (due on August 28, 2026).

If you filed nomination papers between April 26, 2026 and June 2, 2026 and you will be on the Primary Election ballot, at a minimum, you will be required to file these reports no later than 11:59 p.m. Hawaiian standard time on the following dates:

- **1C Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period January 1, 2026 to June 30, 2026 (due **July 9, 2026**);
- **2nd Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period July 1, 2026 to July 24, 2026 (due on July 29, 2026); and
- **Final Primary Report** covering the period July 25, 2026 to August 8, 2026 (due on August 28, 2026).

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Option 2

With respect to the **GENERAL ELECTION** reports, all candidates running in the 2026 election and on the General Election ballot will be required to file, at a minimum, these reports no later than 11:59 p.m. Hawaiian standard time on the following dates:

- **1st Preliminary General Report** covering the period August 9, 2026 to September 26, 2026 (or January 1, 2026 to September 26, 2026 for candidates whose names did not appear on the Primary Election ballot, but will appear on the General Election ballot) (due on October 1, 2026);
- **2nd Preliminary General Report** covering the period September 27, 2026 to October 19, 2026 (due on October 26, 2026); and
- **Final Election Period Report** covering the period October 20, 2026 to November 3, 2026 (due on December 3, 2026 unless you will be sworn in prior to this date) (*NOTE: Candidates who ran in the 2026 election and won outright or were unsuccessful in the Primary Election will file the Final Election Period Report for the period August 9, 2026 to November 3, 2026.)

Option 3

Noncandidate committees in the 2026 election will be required to file, at a minimum, these reports no later than 11:59 p.m. Hawaiian standard time on the following dates (*unless committee is a "\$1,000 or less filer"*):

- **Preliminary Primary Report** covering the period January 1, 2026 to July 24, 2026 (due on **July 29, 2026**);
- **Final Primary Report** covering the period July 25, 2026 to August 8, 2026 (due on August 28, 2026);
- **1st Preliminary General Report** covering the period August 9, 2026 to September 26, 2026 (due on October 1, 2026);
- **2nd Preliminary General Report** covering the period September 27, 2026 to October 19, 2026 (due on October 26, 2026); and
- **Final Election Period Report** covering the period October 20, 2026 to November 3, 2026 (due on December 3, 2026). (*NOTE: This is the only required report you need to file if you have declared to be \$1,000 or less. If so, then your reporting period is from January 1, 2026 to November 3, 2026.)

Option 4

Candidate committees and noncandidate committees that have declared by their respective June 30, 2026 and July 24, 2026 deadlines that they **do not intend to receive or spend more than \$1,000 in the aggregate in the 2026 election** ("**\$1,000 or less filer**"), will only need to file the Final Election Period Report no later than December 3, 2026 (covering the period January 1, 2026 to November 3, 2026). If you exceed the limit, you will be required to notify the Commission and file all other required reports from the period in which the \$1,000 limit was exceeded.

Failure to file these reports by the deadline will result in a fine and the posting of your committee's name on the Commission website under "**Candidate Committees That Failed to File or Correct a Report**" or "**Noncandidate Committees That Failed to File or Correct a Report**". Moreover, if a fine is assessed against your committee and you fail to pay it on time, Commission staff will issue a complaint against your committee and set it for consideration at the next public Commission meeting. Therefore, we encourage all committees to timely file their reports and pay any fines.



Lastly, please remember that when you electronically file your reports with the Commission, candidates and treasurers for candidate committees **and** chairpersons and treasurers for noncandidate committees, are certifying that the information contained in the filed reports are true, complete, and accurate. Therefore, it is strongly advised that you verify and validate your reports before you file them since the Commission will rely on the electronically filed information which could generate an inquiry/investigation if inaccurate.



TERMINATION OF COMMITTEE REGISTRATION WITH THE COMMISSION



If you are a candidate who does not anticipate running in a future state or county election or you are a noncandidate committee that does not intend to participate in future state or county elections AND your committee has no surplus or deficit as shown in your campaign finance disclosure report, you may terminate your registration. Once approved, you will no longer be required to file reports electronically with the Commission.

Required documents:

- A completed “Request for Termination of Registration” form (available via eSign for candidate committees and noncandidate committees on the website).
 - A closing bank statement verifying the committee's bank account has been closed.
 - No outstanding fines or unresolved matters with the Commission.

TIPS FOR CANDIDATE COMMITTEES



If you are a candidate participating in the 2026 election, please keep these important reminders in mind:

- ✓ **New candidates:** Review the Commission’s guidebooks, manuals, reporting schedules, and cyber-learning videos available on the Commission’s website.
- ✓ **Advertisement disclaimers:** Campaign signs and banners must include the name and address of the person paying for the advertisement. Certain small items (e.g., bumper stickers, buttons, pins, clothing) are exempt. Missing disclaimers result in mandatory fines.
- ✓ **Keep Organizational Reports current:** Update changes to addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, officers, or other information within 10 days. Failure to update may result in fines and public posting of noncompliant committees on the Commission’s website.
- ✓ **Research campaign data:** Use the Commission’s data visualization tool to review past election and campaign finance information.
- ✓ **Fundraisers:** File a Notice of Intent to Hold a Fundraiser before the event begins and before the Commission closes at 4:30 p.m. Hawaii standard time. Late filings will result in fines.
- ✓ **Fundraiser tickets:** If campaign funds are used to purchase fundraiser tickets, keep copies for your records. Likewise, provide tickets to candidates purchasing tickets to your fundraiser with campaign funds.
- ✓ **Debit card use:** Maintain detailed records of all transactions to ensure accurate reporting.
- ✓ **Charitable donations and scholarships:** Candidate committees may make charitable donations or award scholarships up to twice the maximum amount one person may contribute to that candidate, subject to statutory restrictions. Charitable donations are generally prohibited from the filing of the candidate’s nomination papers through the November 3, 2026 General Election, and scholarships are generally prohibited from June 2, 2026 (the close of filing nomination papers) through the General Election, unless the candidate has already been elected or is no longer in the election.
- ✓ **Donations to nonprofits:** TIP - To be treated as a charitable donation, the nonprofit organization must acknowledge and record your donation as a tax-deductible charitable contribution. Candidate committees should confirm with the nonprofit organization in advance how their donation will be characterized, as expenditures treated as income or sponsorship revenue by the nonprofit organization may be subject to different campaign finance rules.
- ✓ **Super PACs (independent expenditure committees) and coordination:** A Super PAC’s support must remain independent. Coordination between a candidate committee and a Super PAC may convert expenditures into contributions subject to contribution limits and may affect the Super PAC’s status.

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- ✔ **Use of a candidate's campaign materials by Super PACs:** A Super PAC's use of your campaign materials without your knowledge or consent may still be considered a contribution and could result in excess contribution violations.
- ✔ **Coordinated activities:** Expenditures made in cooperation, consultation, or concert with a candidate or committee are generally treated as contributions to the candidate and expenditures by the candidate.
- ✔ **Lobbyist contributions:** Registered state and county lobbyists may not contribute to, or make expenditures on behalf of, candidates and committees during legislative sessions and for five calendar days before and after a session.
- ✔ **Cash contributions:** Do not accept more than \$100 in cash from a single person during an election period.
- ✔ **Partial public funding:** Candidates seeking public funding must agree to applicable expenditure limits, file a Statement of Intent before collecting qualifying contributions, and meet minimum qualifying contribution thresholds.

KEY NONCANDIDATE COMMITTEE COMPLIANCE CONSIDERATIONS

Registration & Reporting:

- ✔ Noncandidate committees must file an Organizational Report **within 10 days of receiving contributions or making expenditures exceeding \$500 in the aggregate** during a two-year election period.
- ✔ Committees that fail to register or correct Organizational Report deficiencies after notification will have their names published on the Commission's website until compliance is achieved.
- ✔ An Electioneering Communication Statement ("Statement") **must be filed with the Commission within 24 hours when more than \$2,000 is spent** on electioneering communications during:
 - July 9 – August 8, 2026 (30 days before the Primary Election), or
 - September 4 – November 3, 2026 (60 days before the General Election).
 Once the \$2,000 threshold is reached, all subsequent electioneering communications must be reported regardless of amount by filing the Statement.

Contributions & Advertising:

- ✔ **Fundraiser notices are required** regardless of ticket price or suggested contribution and must be filed before the fundraiser begins and before the Commission closes for the day.
- ✔ **Dark money:** Noncandidate committees who are 501(c)(4) nonprofit organizations must receive written consent and provide written notice to donors that their name and address will be reported to the Commission if they make a donation individually or in an aggregate of more than \$10,000 and permit that donation to be used for electioneering communications, independent expenditures, or political contributions.
- ✔ Noncandidate committees **may not accept more than \$100 in cash from a single person** during an election period.



⚠ **Increased Fines for Noncandidate Committee Violations** ⚠

- (1) Failure to comply with Organizational Report requirements is subject to a minimum fine of \$1,000 per violation
- (2) Failure to have the proper advertisement disclaimer is subject to a fine of no less than \$150 for each advertisement
- (3) Failure to identify the top three contributors to advertisements paid by Super PACS is subject to a fine of \$1,000 per violation.
- (4) The fine for noncandidate committees making only independent expenditures (Super PACs) that have received at least one contribution of more than \$10,000, or spent more than \$10,000 in an election period, is increased to an amount not to exceed \$5,000 for each occurrence or an amount not to exceed three times the amount of the unlawful contribution or expenditure for a campaign finance violation. Further, if the noncandidate committee cannot pay, the Commission may order that the fine be paid from the personal funds of the candidate or officers of the noncandidate committee (i.e., chairperson and/or treasurer).

NEW SCHEDULE OF FINES and ELIGIBILITY/APPLICATION OF CONCILIATION AGREEMENTS



The Commission updated its Schedule of Fines at its June 18, 2025 meeting following the 2024 election. Key changes to Conciliation Agreement eligibility and application are summarized below.

ELIGIBILITY:

Effective February 2, 2026, only new candidate committees and noncandidate committees will be eligible for a Conciliation Agreement which must be approved by the Commission at a public HRS Chapter 92 Sunshine meeting pursuant to Hawaii Administrative Rules (“HAR”) §3-160-74 and will reduce the administrative fine in five (5) areas of violations as set forth in the Schedule of Fines. See, 2A.1 (Disclosure Reports – but does not include the reports due 10 days before an election set forth in 2A.2), 3H (Excess Contributions), 3I (Nonresident Contributions), 5D & 5E (Advertisements), and 7A (Electioneering Communications). New candidate committees are defined as candidates who appear on the ballot for the first time or who have not appeared on a ballot for the previous 4 years, regardless of whether they terminated their committee registrations with the Commission or are running for another office. New noncandidate committees are defined as committees who are registering with the Commission for the first time or who may have terminated their registration, but who have not reregistered with the Commission for the previous 4 years. Conciliation Agreements and reduced fines will no longer be available after December 31st of an election year. (*Note: The Supplemental Report covering the period ending on December 31 of an election year will be considered part of the first year’s reports and available for a Conciliation Agreement, although it is not due until January 31 of the following year.) Committees who do not terminate their registrations with the Commission are responsible for filing all required reports after December 31 and will be fined as continuing registered committees for failing to do so.

APPLICATION:

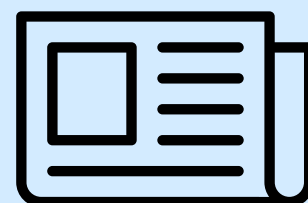
New candidate committees and noncandidate committees may receive up to two (2) reductions in each of the five (5) designated violations. For the first violation in each of the designated violations, new committees are eligible to pay 1/3 of the fine, and for the second violation in that designation, they are eligible to pay 2/3 of the fine. There will be no reduction for the third violation in that designation. Lastly, reductions will not apply to fines of \$25 or less and will not count towards the two (2) violations eligible for reduction in each of the designations.

UPDATES FROM THE COMMISSION

HRS CHAPTER 92H - RESTRICTIONS ON PUBLICATION OF CERTAIN PUBLIC SERVANTS' PERSONAL INFORMATION

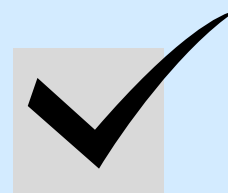
Pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes (“HRS”) Chapter 92H, effective 10/1/2024, upon receiving written notification from the Hawaii State Judiciary’s representative Ironwall360, the Commission is mandated to remove protected personal information such as the home address of Hawaii Judiciary personnel who have been included in reports filed by candidate and noncandidate committees. This law serves to protect personal information from being publicly accessed for the protection of judicial employees.

As such, the Commission will be informing affected candidate or noncandidate committees of this action in writing. For more information, please see [Act 187, Session Laws of Hawaii 2024](#).



REMINDER TO CHECK OFF THE \$3 BOX ON YOUR 2026 TAX RETURN

The Commission continues to urge you to check off the \$3 “yes” box on your 2026 tax return which permits \$3 from state funds (or \$6 if married and filing a joint return) to be allocated to the [Hawaii Election Campaign Fund](#). The health and sustainability of the public funding program depends on greater participation of Hawaii taxpayers in checking off the \$3 box. Checking off this box does not increase your tax or reduce your refund.



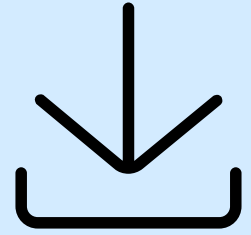
2026 MEETING SCHEDULE, MEETING AGENDAS AND BOARD PACKETS

Commission meetings for 2026 are generally scheduled for the second Wednesday of each month at 10:00 a.m. via remote Zoom video conferencing and/or in-person in Conference Room 204, Leiopapa A Kamehameha Building, 235 S. Beretania Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813. View the [2026 Meeting Schedule](#). Meeting location, dates and times are subject to change so please check the “2026 Meeting Schedule” page prior to attending a meeting.



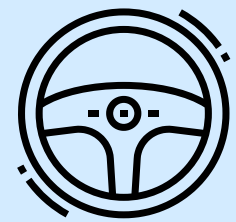
DOWNLOADABLE CALENDAR AVAILABLE ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE

An updated and downloadable calendar of events including (but not limited to) the candidate committee and noncandidate committee reporting schedules, the Commission's monthly meeting schedule, and the State holidays can be downloaded by individuals into their Apple, Google, Microsoft Outlook, and Yahoo calendars as well as many other calendar programs that use the standard iCal format, from the Commission's website. View the [Commission's Downloadable Calendar](#).



2026 AMENDED STANDARD MILEAGE RATE ANNOUNCED BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (IRS)

Effective January 1, 2026, for those committees that seek reimbursement from campaign funds for the campaign related use of a personal vehicle, the federal standard mileage rate is 72.5 cents per mile as announced in [IRS Notice 2026-10](#) (an increase of 2.5 cents from 2025). The Commission reminds these committees that a daily mileage log noting the campaign use and personal use of the personal vehicle satisfies recordkeeping requirements of HAR §3-160-23. See, HAR §3-160-45(b)(1)(B).



UPDATE OF THE COMMISSION'S NEW ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEMS FOR THE 2028 ELECTION

The Commission has procured the services of MapLight to build the Commission's new electronic filing systems for the committees and the public, targeted for launch in Spring 2027.

The Commission is currently building and designing the system to address many of the most frequently reported challenges with the current system, including improvements to:

- **Individual user accounts.** Each user will have their own secure account. Users can be linked to one or multiple committees, and each committee can have multiple users, making it easier to track activity and collaborate.
- **The registration process.** A streamlined registration process eliminates the need for a separate electronic filing form ("EFF"), getting committees set up faster.
- **Public-facing data visuals.** Easy-to-read charts and graphs will make it easier to visualize spending totals and campaign finance data at a glance.
- **Transaction entry and filing experience.** The system will automatically place contributions and expenditures into the appropriate schedules based on the information entered and group related transactions together, reducing manual work and the risk of error.
- **Email notifications and reminders.** With automated notifications, the system will send reminders, helping committees stay on top of upcoming filing deadlines.



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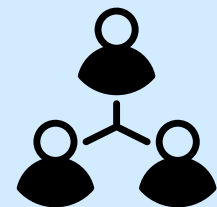
- **Uploading a large number of transactions.** Committees will be able to upload multiple transactions at once using CSV files, saving time for those with high transaction volumes.
- **Searching and accessing campaign finance data.** A public search function will allow users to easily look up and access campaign finance transactions across committees and election cycles.
- **Access to resources.** Guidance materials, training tools, and support documentation will all be available for the system.

NOTE: The new system requires access to a computer, laptop, or mobile device with internet connectivity. As part of our commitment to security, the system uses multi-factor authentication (“MFA”) to protect your account. While staff will continue to be available to assist, please be aware that our ability to provide the same level of assistance that committees may have received in the past will be limited. Each user must log in directly using their own credentials and device to access and manage their committee's filings. We encourage all committees to ensure they have access to the necessary device and are comfortable navigating it ahead of launch.

We anticipate sharing previews before the end of the year and will continue to keep you posted as developments progress. We hope to build a more seamless and user-friendly experience using newer technologies for the committees and the public.

WELCOMING NEW CSC STAFF

On January 16, 2026, the Commission’s former General Counsel **Kristie Cruz Chang**, who started with the Commission on June 17, 2025, became the Commission’s Associate Director to head up the Reporting and Compliance section.



On March 3, 2026, **Eunice Park** started as the Commission’s General Counsel. Eunice is a graduate of the University of North Carolina School of Law in Chapel Hill, where she earned her J.D., and holds a B.A. in Psychology from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. She brings over a decade of experience in public service, regulatory oversight, and litigation. Most recently, Eunice served as the Charities Program Administrator with the Tax & Charities Division of the Department of the Attorney General, where she oversaw more than 10,000 registered charitable organizations and their compliance with nonprofit regulations and reporting requirements. Previously, Eunice served as a Deputy Attorney General, conducting enforcement actions and administrative hearings involving charitable organizations. She also served as a Staff Attorney with the Insurance Division at the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs and as a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney with the City and County of Honolulu and the County of Kauai. Outside of her professional work, Eunice is an avid cyclist and enjoys spending time outdoors with her husband and daughter.

On March 30, 2026, **Sasha Asselbaye** started as the Commission’s second Elections Assistant. Sasha was raised on O’ahu, graduating from ‘Iolani School in 2020. She earned a B.A. from Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee where she double majored in Political Science and Medicine, Health, and Society with a minor in Data Science. She previously worked in Washington, DC as a data analyst consulting on a variety of congressional campaigns. She also has local policy experience, interning at the Hawaii Public Health Institute in the summer of 2023. Sasha enjoys exercising, getting some sun at the beach, and spending time with her family. She is an Elections Assistant at the Commission and works to provide support in analyzing and reporting data related to election campaign spending.

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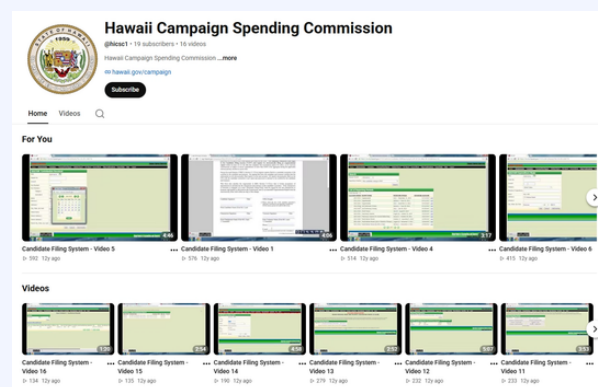
On May 4, 2026, **Corie Tanida** started as the Commission's Investigator. Corie is a graduate of Moanalua High School, the University of Evansville with an undergraduate degree in political science, and Chaminade University with an M.B.A., nonprofit concentration. Corie has extensive experience in the nonprofit and advocacy sector as a community advocate and was a lead proponent of voting modernization and good government reforms. She is a Returned Peace Corps Volunteer (El Salvador), has served as a bills analyst at the Hawaii State Legislature, managed nonprofits, and administered grants for the State of Hawaii. Most recently Corie worked as the Director of Public Affairs for a local association management and lobbying firm. In her free time, Corie enjoys serving the community and volunteers with various community- based organizations.

CYBER-LEARNING TRAINING VIDEOS

On the Commission's website under "Guidebooks & Manuals" for [Candidate Committees](#) and [Noncandidate Committees](#), you will find bite-size cyber-learning training videos from 1 to 7 minutes on instructions on how to register with the Commission, how to enter/report campaign finance activity, and how to file reports. These videos are available 24/7 to assist you in electronically filing your reports on the [Candidate Filing System \("CFS"\)](#) or [Noncandidate Filing System \("NCFS"\)](#). Please take a moment to review them.

For **candidate committees**, click on these links for instruction on how to:

- [Video 1 – Filing the Electronic Filing Form \(1:52\)](#)
- [Video 2 – Logging in to the CFS \(1:29\)](#)
- [Video 3 – Filing the Organizational Report \(2:19\)](#)
- [Video 4 – Amending the Organizational Report \(0:59\)](#)
- [Video 5 – Entering Campaign Finance Activity Overview \(4:44\)](#)
- [Video 6 – Editing or Deleting a Name or Address \(2:23\)](#)
- [Video 7 – Entering Receipts: Schedule A – Contributions \(4:40\)](#)
- [Video 8 – Entering Receipts: Schedule C – Other Receipts \(5:39\)](#)
- [Video 9 – Entering Receipts: Schedule D – Loans \(7:32\)](#)
- [Video 10 – Entering Expenditures: Schedule B – Expenditures Made \(4:11\)](#)
- [Video 11 – Entering Expenditures: Schedule E – Unpaid Expenditures \(5:29\)](#)
- [Video 12 – Entering Expenditures: Schedule F – Durable Assets \(5:46\)](#)
- [Video 13 – Previewing and Printing Reports \(4:37\)](#)
- [Video 14 – Filing Reports \(6:14\)](#)



For **noncandidate committees**, click on these links for instruction on how to:

- [Video 1 – Filing the Electronic Filing Form \(1:53\)](#)
- [Video 2 – Logging in to the NCFS \(1:29\)](#)
- [Video 3 – Filing the Organizational Report \(2:43\)](#)
- [Video 4 – Amending the Organizational Report \(1:00\)](#)
- [Video 5 – Enter Campaign Finance Activity Overview \(4:43\)](#)
- [Video 6 – Editing or Deleting a Name or Address \(2:19\)](#)
- [Video 7 – Entering Receipts: Schedule A – Contributions Received \(3:31\)](#)
- [Video 8 – Entering Receipts: Schedule A2 – Donations Received \(3:17\)](#)
- [Video 9 – Entering Receipts: Schedule C – Other Receipts \(3:45\)](#)
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VIOLATIONS OF CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAWS

The following candidate committees violated Hawaii campaign finance laws and have failed to comply with the Commission's orders by refusing to register with the Commission, file required disclosure reports, and/or pay assessed fines. Pursuant to HRS §11-410(d), the Commission has been pursuing enforcement actions with the assistance from the Attorney General's Office – Civil Recoveries Division. Furthermore, pursuant to HRS §11-156, a candidate who has unfiled disclosure reports or unpaid fines will not receive a certificate of election should that candidate win in a subsequent election.

- Henry Cho
- Shaena Hoohuli, Hoohuli Headquarters
- Kukana Kama-Toth, Friends of Kukana Kama-Toth
- Robin Knox, Robin 4 Maui
- Candace Linton
- Jonah Lion, Campaign ALOHA
- Lono Mack, MACK
- Ryan Malish, 808Ryan4Senate
- Devin McMackin, Friends of Big Mac
- Mitch McPeek, Mitch McPeek
- Chris Toafili, Chris Toafili
- Brendan Schultz, Schultz for District 5
- Theresa Texeira, Friends of Kinsey Texeira
- Christian Ulufanua, Christian Ulufanua

The following noncandidate committees violated Hawaii campaign finance laws and have failed to register, file required disclosure reports, and/or pay assessed fines.

- United Group of Home Operators, Inc.
- Universal Equipment Rental Hawaii, LLC
- KH Makaha, LLC

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