



MISSOURI ETHICS COMMISSION

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James Klahr  
Executive Director

March 29, 2017

Errol Bush  
4306 Melba  
Northwoods MO 63121

Re: File No. 17-0017-I

Dear Mr. Bush:

The Missouri Ethics Commission considered the complaint filed against you at its March 27, 2017 meeting. The complaint alleged that you, an incumbent candidate for alderman in the April 4, 2017 municipal election in Northwoods, failed to include a paid for by disclosure on campaign postcards containing your name and likeness. The postcards asked voters to re-elect four candidates – Mayor Everett Thomas, City Collector Holmes, Alderman Bush and Alderman Tolliver.

The staff review of this complaint found you were not involved in the creation, publication or distribution of the postcards nor did you have any prior knowledge of the mailer. You did not reimburse the Committee to Elect Everett Thomas for its costs in producing the postcards.

From the facts presented, the Commission finds no reasonable grounds exist to support a violation of Chapter 130, RSMo, and dismisses the complaint.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "James Klahr".

James Klahr  
Executive Director