

# CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT

FORM C/OH  
COVER SHEET PG 1

The C/OH Instruction Guide explains how to complete this form.		1 Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers) 00080128		2 Total pages filed: 8	
3 CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER NAME	MS / MRS / MR The Honorable		FIRST Ernest J.	MI	
	NICKNAME		LAST Bailes	SUFFIX IV	
4 CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER MAILING ADDRESS  <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Address		ADDRESS / PO BOX; APT / SUITE #; CITY; P.O. Box 1232  Shepherd, TX 77371		ZIP CODE	
		OFFICE USE ONLY			
		Date Received ELECTRONICALLY FILED 07/15/2025			
		Date Hand-delivered or Date Postmarked			
5 CAMPAIGN TREASURER NAME		MS / MRS / MR Mr.		FIRST Ernest J.	MI
		NICKNAME		LAST Bailes	SUFFIX IV
6 CAMPAIGN TREASURER ADDRESS  (Residence or Business)		STREET ADDRESS (NO PO BOX PLEASE); APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE; ZIP CODE 1020 Bailes Dairy Rd.  Shepherd, TX 77371			
7 CAMPAIGN TREASURER PHONE		AREA CODE PHONE NUMBER EXTENSION (936) 628-6280			
8 REPORT TYPE		<input type="checkbox"/> January 15 <input type="checkbox"/> 30th day before election <input type="checkbox"/> Runoff <input type="checkbox"/> 15th day after campaign treasurer appointment (officeholder only) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> July 15 <input type="checkbox"/> 8th day before election <input type="checkbox"/> Exceeded modified reporting limit <input type="checkbox"/> Final Report (Attach C/OH-FR)			
9 PERIOD COVERED		Month Day Year    THROUGH    Month Day Year 01/01/2025    06/30/2025			
10 ELECTION		ELECTION DATE Month Day Year		ELECTION TYPE <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> Runoff <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Special	
11 OFFICE		OFFICE HELD (if any)		12 OFFICE SOUGHT (if known)	

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# CANDIDATE / OFFICEHOLDER REPORT: SUPPORT & TOTALS

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<b>13 C / OH NAME</b> Bailes IV, Ernest J. (The Honorable)	<b>14 Filer ID</b> (Ethics Commission Filers) 00080128
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<b>15 NOTICE FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEE(S)</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Pages	This box is for notice of political contributions accepted or political expenditures made by political committees to support the candidate / officeholder. <i>These expenditures may have been made without the candidate's or officeholder's knowledge or consent.</i> Candidates and officeholders are required to report this information only if they receive notice of such expenditures.	
	<b>COMMITTEE TYPE</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> GENERAL  <input type="checkbox"/> SPECIFIC	<b>COMMITTEE NAME</b>  <hr/> <b>COMMITTEE ADDRESS</b>  <hr/> <b>COMMITTEE CAMPAIGN TREASURER NAME</b>  <hr/> <b>COMMITTEE CAMPAIGN TREASURER ADDRESS</b>  <hr/>

<b>16 CONTRIBUTION TOTALS</b>	1. TOTAL UNITEMIZED POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS (OTHER THAN PLEDGES, LOANS, OR GUARANTEES OF LOANS, OR CONTRIBUTIONS MADE ELECTRONICALLY)	\$ 0.00
	2. <b>TOTAL POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS</b> (OTHER THAN PLEDGES, LOANS, OR GUARANTEES OF LOANS)	\$ 0.00
<b>EXPENDITURE TOTALS</b>	3. TOTAL UNITEMIZED POLITICAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 259.84
	4. <b>TOTAL POLITICAL EXPENDITURES</b>	\$ 3,220.07
<b>CONTRIBUTION BALANCE</b>	5. TOTAL POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS MAINTAINED AS OF THE LAST DAY OF THE REPORTING PERIOD	\$ 37,451.85
<b>OUTSTANDING LOAN TOTALS</b>	6. TOTAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF ALL OUTSTANDING LOANS AS OF THE LAST DAY OF THE REPORTING PERIOD	\$ 0.00

**17 AFFIDAVIT**

I swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the accompanying report is true and correct and includes all information required to be reported by me under Title 15, Election Code.

The Honorable Ernest J. Bailes IV  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Candidate or Officeholder

AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said \_\_\_\_\_, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office.

Signature of officer administering	Printed name of officer administering	Title of officer administering oath
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# SUBTOTALS - C/OH

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<b>18 FILER NAME</b> Bailes IV, Ernest J. (The Honorable)		<b>19 Filer ID</b> (Ethics Commission Filers) 00080128	
<b>20 SCHEDULE SUBTOTALS</b> NAME OF SCHEDULE			SUBTOTAL AMOUNT
1.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE A1: MONETARY POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$	
2.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE A2: NON-MONETARY (IN-KIND) POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$	
3.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE B: PLEDGED CONTRIBUTIONS	\$	
4.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE E: LOANS	\$	
5.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE F1: POLITICAL EXPENDITURES FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$	3,220.07
6.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE F2: UNPAID INCURRED OBLIGATIONS	\$	
7.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE F3: PURCHASE OF INVESTMENTS FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$	
8.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE F4: EXPENDITURES MADE BY CREDIT CARD	\$	
9.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE G: POLITICAL EXPENDITURES FROM PERSONAL FUNDS	\$	
10.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE H: PAYMENT FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO A BUSINESS OF C/OH	\$	
11.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE I: NON-POLITICAL EXPENDITURES FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$	
12.	<input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULE K: INTEREST, CREDITS, GAINS, REFUNDS, AND CONTRIBUTIONS RETURNED TO FILER	\$	

# POLITICAL EXPENDITURES FROM POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

## SCHEDULE F1

### EXPENDITURE CATEGORIES FOR BOX 8(a)

Advertising Expense  
Accounting/Banking  
Consulting Expense  
Contributions/ Donations Made By -  
Candidate/Officeholder/Political Committee  
Credit Card Payment

Event Expense  
Fees  
Food/Beverage Expense  
Gift/Awards/Memorials Expense  
Legal Services

Loan Repayment/Reimbursement  
Office Overhead/Rental Expense  
Polling Expense  
Printing Expense  
Salaries/Wages/Contract Labor

Solicitation/Fundraising Expense  
Transportation Equipment & Related Expense  
Travel in District  
Travel Out of District  
OTHER (enter a category not listed above)

The Instruction Guide explains how to complete this form.

<b>1</b> Total pages Schedule F1: Sch: 1/5 Rpt: 4/8	<b>2</b> FILER NAME Bailes IV, Ernest J. (The Honorable)	<b>3</b> Filer ID (Ethics Commission Filers) 00080128
<b>4</b> Date 02/11/2025	<b>5</b> Payee name Allen, Jessica	
<b>6</b> Amount (\$) \$280.00	<b>7</b> Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 11316 Alhambra Dr  Austin, TX 78759	
<b>8</b> PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Salaries/Wages/Contract Labor	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense Campaign Contract Labor
<b>9</b> Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 01/06/2025	Payee name County Seat Self Storage	
Amount (\$) \$90.00	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 1660 TX-150  Coldspring, TX 77331	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense Storage Rental Expense for Campaign Materials
Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 02/05/2025	Payee name County Seat Self Storage	
Amount (\$) \$90.00	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 1660 TX-150  Coldspring, TX 77331	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense Storage Rental Expense for Campaign Materials
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<b>4</b> Date 04/07/2025	<b>5</b> Payee name County Seat Self Storage	
<b>6</b> Amount (\$) \$90.00	<b>7</b> Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 1660 TX-150  Coldspring, TX 77331	
<b>8</b> PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense Storage Rental Expense for Campaign Materials
<b>9</b> Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 05/05/2025	Payee name County Seat Self Storage	
Amount (\$) \$90.00	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 1660 TX-150  Coldspring, TX 77331	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	(a) Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	(b) Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense Storage Rental Expense for Campaign Materials
Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 06/05/2025	Payee name County Seat Self Storage	
Amount (\$) \$90.00	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 1660 TX-150  Coldspring, TX 77331	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	(a) Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	(b) Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense Storage Rental Expense for Campaign Materials
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<b>4</b> Date 03/05/2025	<b>5</b> Payee name County Seat Self Storage	
<b>6</b> Amount (\$) \$90.00	<b>7</b> Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 1660 TX-150  Coldspring, TX 77331	
<b>8</b> PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense District Storage Expense
<b>9</b> Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 01/14/2025	Payee name Ring Central	
Amount (\$) \$81.75	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 20 Davis Drive  Belmont, CA 94002	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense District Phone Line Expense
Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 03/25/2025	Payee name Ring Central	
Amount (\$) \$81.75	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 20 Davis Drive  Belmont, CA 94002	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense District phone expense
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<b>4</b> Date 04/25/2025	<b>5</b> Payee name Ring Central	
<b>6</b> Amount (\$) \$81.66	<b>7</b> Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 20 Davis Drive  Belmont, CA 94002	
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<b>9</b> Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 05/27/2025	Payee name Ring Central	
Amount (\$) \$81.66	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 20 Davis Drive  Belmont, CA 94002	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	(a) Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Office Overhead/Rental Expense	(b) Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense District office phone expense
Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 06/25/2025	Payee name Ring Central	
Amount (\$) \$81.66	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 20 Davis Drive  Belmont, CA 94002	
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<b>6</b> Amount (\$) \$81.75	<b>7</b> Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 20 Davis Drive  Belmont, CA 94002	
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<b>9</b> Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held
Date 02/17/2025	Payee name San Jacinto County Go Texan	
Amount (\$) \$1,650.00	Payee address; City; State; Zip Code 9821 Hwy 150  Shepherd, TX 77371	
PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	<b>(a)</b> Category (See Categories listed at the top of this schedule) Contributions/Donations Made By Candidate/Officeholder/Political Committee	<b>(b)</b> Description <input type="checkbox"/> Check if travel outside of Texas. Complete Schedule T. <input type="checkbox"/> Check if Austin, TX, officeholder living expense Charitable Contribution
Complete <u>ONLY</u> if direct expenditure to benefit C/OH	Candidate/Officeholder name	Office sought Office held