



Commonwealth of Massachusetts

# Form CPF M 102: Campaign Finance Report Municipal Form

Office of Campaign and Political Finance

File with: City or Town Clerk or Election Commission

Fill in Reporting Period dates: Beginning Date: 10/02/2017 Ending Date: 12-31-2017

Type of Report: (Check one)  
 8th day preceding preliminary  8th day preceding election  30 day after election  year-end report  dissolution

Richard A. Cohen  
Candidate Full Name (if applicable)  
City Council  
Office Sought and District  
47 Alexander Drive  
Residential Address  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Committee to Elect Richard A. Cohen  
Committee Name  
William N Beaudry  
Name of Committee Treasurer  
47 Alexander Drive  
Committee Mailing Address  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

SUMMARY BALANCE INFORMATION:	
Line 1: Ending Balance from previous report	<u>\$ 8,663.80</u>
Line 2: Total receipts this period (page 3, line 11)	<u>3.00</u>
Line 3: Subtotal (line 1 plus line 2)	<u>\$ 8,666.80</u>
Line 4: Total expenditures this period (page 5, line 14)	<u>—</u>
Line 5: Ending Balance (line 3 minus line 4)	<u>8,666.80</u>
Line 6: Total in-kind contributions this period (page 6)	<u>—</u>
Line 7: Total (all) outstanding liabilities (page 7)	<u>—</u>
Line 8: Name of bank(s) used:	<u>United Bank</u>

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**Affidavit of Committee Treasurer:**  
I certify that I have examined this report including attached schedules and it is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a true and complete statement of all campaign finance activity, including all contributions, loans, receipts, expenditures, disbursements, in-kind contributions and liabilities for this reporting period and represents the campaign finance activity of all persons acting under the authority or on behalf of this committee in accordance with the requirements of M.G.L. c. 55.  
Signed under the penalties of perjury: [Signature] (Treasurer's signature) Date: 1/20/18

**FOR CANDIDATE FILINGS ONLY: Affidavit of Candidate: (check 1 box only)**

**Candidate with Committee and no activity independent of the committee**  
I certify that I have examined this report including attached schedules and it is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a true and complete statement of all campaign finance activity, of all persons acting under the authority or on behalf of this committee in accordance with the requirements of M.G.L. c. 55. I have not received any contributions, incurred any liabilities nor made any expenditures on my behalf during this reporting period.

**Candidate without Committee OR Candidate with independent activity filing separate report**  
I certify that I have examined this report including attached schedules and it is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a true and complete statement of all campaign finance activity, including contributions, loans, receipts, expenditures, disbursements, in-kind contributions and liabilities for this reporting period and represents the campaign finance activity of all persons acting under the authority or on behalf of this committee in accordance with the requirements of M.G.L. c. 55.

Signed under the penalties of perjury: [Signature] (Candidate's signature) Date: 20 JAN 2018

## SCHEDULE A: RECEIPTS

*M.G.L. c. 55 requires that the name and residential address be reported, in alphabetical order, for all receipts over \$50 in a calendar year. Committees must keep detailed accounts and records of all receipts, but need only itemize those receipts over \$50. In addition, the occupation and employer must be reported for all persons who contribute \$200 or more in a calendar year.*

**(A "Schedule A: Receipts" attachment is available to complete, print and attach to this report, if additional pages are required to report all receipts. Please include your committee name and a page number on each page.)**

Date Received	Name and Residential Address (alphabetical listing required)	Amount	Occupation & Employer (for contributions of \$200 or more)
10/13/17	United Bank refund Bank fee	\$3.00	
Line 9: Total Receipts over \$50 (or listed above)			
Line 10: Total Receipts \$50 and under* (not listed above)		3.00	
<b>Line 11: TOTAL RECEIPTS IN THE PERIOD</b>		3.00	← Enter on page 1, line 2

\* If you have itemized receipts of \$50 and under, include them in line 9. Line 10 should include only those receipts not itemized above.

**SCHEDULE A: RECEIPTS (continued)**

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Name and Residential Address (alphabetical listing required)</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Occupation &amp; Employer (for contributions of \$200 or more)</b>
Line 9: Total Receipts over \$50 (or listed above)			
Line 10: Total Receipts \$50 and under* (not listed above)			
<b>Line 11: TOTAL RECEIPTS IN THE PERIOD</b>			← Enter on page 1, line 2

\* If you have itemized receipts of \$50 and under, include them in line 9. Line 10 should include only those receipts not itemized above.

## SCHEDULE B: EXPENDITURES

M.G.L. c. 55 requires committees to list, in alphabetical order, all expenditures over \$50 in a reporting period. Committees must keep detailed accounts and records of all expenditures, but need only itemize those over \$50. Expenditures \$50 and under may be added together, from committee records, and reported on line 13.

(A "Schedule B: Expenditures" attachment is available to complete, print and attach to this report, if additional pages are required to report all expenditures. Please include your committee name and a page number on each page.)

Date Paid	To Whom Paid (alphabetical listing)	Address	Purpose of Expenditure	Amount
Line 12: Total Expenditures over \$50 (or listed above)				
Line 13: Total Expenditures \$50 and under* (not listed above)				
Line 14: <b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES IN THE PERIOD</b>				<del>0</del>

Enter on page 1, line 4 →

\* If you have itemized expenditures of \$50 and under, include them in line 12. Line 13 should include only those expenditures not itemized above.

OCPF E-File Receipt, Report ID/Confirmation  
#643335

FILER INFORMATION

CPF ID: 16082  
Filer Name: Cohen, Richard A.

REPORT INFORMATION

Report Type Description: Year-end report (MUN)  
Reporting Period: 1/1/2017 - 12/31/2017  
Filing Date: Tuesday, January 23, 2018

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Start Balance:	\$19,425.54
Receipts Itemized Total:	\$503.00
Receipts Unitemized Total:	\$0.00
Total Receipts:	\$503.00
Expenditures Itemized Total:	\$11,261.74
Expenditures Unitemized Total:	\$0.00
Total Expenditures:	\$11,261.74
Ending Balance:	\$8,666.80
Inkinds Total:	\$0.00
Liabilities Total:	\$0.00
Out of Pocket Total:	\$0.00

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**Form W1: Waiver of Fine - Determination  
Office of Campaign and Political Finance**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Office of Campaign and Political Finance  
One Ashburton Place, Room 411  
Boston, MA 02108  
(617) 979-8300

CPF ID# 16082

Date: 1/24/18

*M.G.L. c.55, s.3 states that the Director shall assess a civil penalty for any such report, statement or affidavit required to be filed with him, or with any city or town clerk upon written notice to him from such clerk....Said civil penalty shall be in the amount of twenty-five dollars per day; provided, however, that the maximum penalty the Director may assess shall be no greater than five thousand dollars for any one report, statement or affidavit which is filed later than the prescribed date. The Director may waive all or part of the penalty for good cause; provided, however, that such finding and the reasons therefor are in writing.*

Candidate/Treasurer against whom  
the civil penalty is assessed: Richard Cohen

Committee Name: Cohen Committee

Type of Report due: 2017 Year end Report (1/22/18)

Date report filed: January 23, 2018

Amount of penalty: \$25.00

In accordance with M.G.L. c. 55, s. 3, after review of the request for a waiver of the civil penalty:

I hereby **waive** the civil penalty assessed against the person listed above for the reason(s) listed below.

I hereby **reduce** the civil penalty assessed against the person listed above to \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the reason(s) listed below.

*Conte filed on time @ local level, its primary filing locale. Candidate ran for city Council  
Dissolution of committee*

I hereby **do not waive** the civil penalty assessed against the person named above.

*Within 30 days of receiving this determination, you may submit a written request for a hearing to appeal this decision. (See 970 CMR 2.14.) A hearing will then be scheduled and you will be informed of the date and time of the hearing. Within 30 days after the hearing, the Director or his designee will issue a final written decision. This decision is subject to judicial review in accordance with M.G.L. c. 55, s. 3 and c. 30A.*

I have examined the request for a waiver of the civil penalty filed by the above referenced person, which is attached. My findings are stated above.

Michael J. Sullivan  
Michael J. Sullivan, Director

1/24/18  
Date

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**Kelly, Alanna (CPF)**

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**From:** ALAN R [mayorrac@comcast.net]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 23, 2018 4:04 PM  
**To:** Kelly, Alanna (CPF)  
**Cc:** Atty Vince Gioscia; info@agawampackandship.com  
**Subject:** Waiver of Fines

Pursuant to our conversation today I am requesting a waiver of fines as I filed locally on time. I was unaware that I had to file dual reports. I apologize for any and all inconvenience this may have caused. I thank you all very much for your help with this matter.

Sincerely

Richard A Cohen

Sent from XFINITY Connect Mobile App