

State of West Virginia Campaign Financial Statement (Short Form) in Relation to 2026 Election Year

**IF YOU ANSWER "YES" TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS, YOU CANNOT USE THIS FORM.
YOU MUST USE THE LONG FORM (FORM F-7) TO FILE YOUR CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT.**

1. Has your committee received any loans?
2. Has your committee held any fundraisers?
3. Has your committee received any miscellaneous receipts, such as refunds or checking account interest?
4. Does your committee have any unpaid bills?
5. Have you or anyone else given an in-kind contribution to your campaign?
6. Has your committee given or received a transfer of excess campaign funds?

Committee or Candidate Name: John Merritt
 Office Sought: Board of Education District/Circuit: Wood District A
 Committee's Treasurer: John Merritt
 Treasurer's Mailing Address: 109 Birtwood Drive, Parkersburg, WV 26104
 Treasurer's Daytime Phone: 304-481-0387

SELECT REPORT TYPE (Filing deadlines falling on Saturday, Sunday or a legal holiday will be extended to the next business day.)

- | | | | |
|---|---|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First Quarter
Due April 1-7, 2026 | <input type="checkbox"/> Primary Report
Due April 17-May1, 2026 | <input type="checkbox"/> Second Quarter
Due July 1-7, 2026 | <input type="checkbox"/> Third Quarter
Due October 1-7, 2026 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Report
Due October 19-23, 2026 | <input type="checkbox"/> Fourth Quarter
Due January 1-7, 2027 | <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment
May be filed at any time | <input type="checkbox"/> Final Report
Zero balance required |

REPORT TOTALS

CASH BALANCE SUMMARY

Beginning Balance (ending balance from previous report) 1.			0.00
Total Contributions (from page 2) 2.	+	2,794.88	
Subtotal (lines 1+2) 3.	=	2,794.88	
Total Expenditures (from page 2) 4.		2,794.88	
Ending Balance (line 3-4)		0.00	

**TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS
ELECTION YEAR-TO-DATE**
(Add line 2 from all reports)

**TOTAL EXPENDITURES
ELECTION YEAR-TO-DATE**
(Add line 4 from all reports)

*Cannot have a negative ending balance

04/06/2026 @ 08:24:31 AM

CONTRIBUTIONS

\$250 or Less

More than \$250

Date	Full Name	Election Check One	Amount	Date	Contributor Information	Election Check One	Amount	
2-17	John Coe	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	100		Full Name: John Merritt Address: 109 Brutwood Drive, Phug Contributor's job: (individual) Retired 26104 Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee) None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	2,699.88	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General		
Total Contributions: (add both columns)								2794.88

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Date	Full name, residence address (if person); business address (if vendor)	Purpose	Amount
2-9-26	ABE Graphics 678 Colts Rd. Little Hocking Ohio 45742	Campaign Signs	732.50
1-20-26	The Brand Factory 881 R. deconv R. St. Marys, Wv 26170	Fair Book Help	450.00
2-8-26	Amazon.com	campaign pins	74.10
2-8-26	Amazon.com	campaign pens	148.39
2-10-26	Zazzle.com Zazzle.com	Business Cards	47.19
Total Expenditures:			1,452.18

I, John Merritt, swear or affirm that the attached statement is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, of all financial transactions occurring within the period covered by this statement, as required by West Virginia Code §3-8-5a.

Signature of Candidate, Treasurer, or Agent

Date 4-2-26

Office Use Only

Received by: NA

CONTRIBUTIONS

\$250 or Less

More than \$250

Date	Full Name	Election Check One	Amount	Date	Contributor Information	Election Check One	Amount
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> General	
					Total Contributions: (add both columns)		

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Date	Full name, residence address (if person); business address (if vendor)	Purpose	Amount
3-30-26	Stamp Amazon.com	Stamper, Ink	43.43
3-28-26	Sabrina Delaney 914 27 th St. Parkersburg, WV	Car Wrap Advertising	200.00
			Total Expenditures: 243.43

I, John Merritt, swear or affirm that the attached statement is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, of all financial transactions occurring within the period covered by this statement, as required by West Virginia Code §3-8-5a.

[Signature] Signature of Candidate, Treasurer, or Agent

Date 7-2-26

Office Use Only

Received by: NA

CONTRIBUTIONS

\$250 or Less

More than \$250


Date	Full Name	Election Check One	Amount	Date	Contributor Information	Election Check One	Amount
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Full Name: Address:	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General			Contributor's job: (individual) Employer: (individual) Affiliation: (political committee)	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General	
				Total Contributions: (add both columns)			

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Date	Full name, residence address (if person); business address (if vendor)	Purpose	Amount
3-21-26	Mov Easter Parade 193 Lake St. P.O. Box 12660	Parade Appearance	30.00
3-14-26	Amazon.com	Parade Candy	84.98
3-15-26	Vista Print.com (3-15-26)	Door Hangers	270.29
3-26-26	Vista Print.com	Campaign Stickers	348.36
3-14-26	Vista Print.com	Campaign Magnets, T-Shirts, Hat	365.64
Total Expenditures:			1,099.27

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, John Merrill, swear or affirm that the attached statement is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, of all financial transactions occurring within the period covered by this statement, as required by West Virginia Code §3-8-5a.



Signature of Candidate, Treasurer, or Agent

Date 4-2-26

Office Use Only
Received by: <u>MA</u>

