



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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REPORT OF THE AUDIT DIVISION ON THE COMMITTEE FOR THE ELECTION OF ED HOGAN

I. Background

A. Overview

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This report covers an audit of the Committee for the Election of Ed Hogan ("the Committee") undertaken by the Audit Division of the Federal Election Commission in accordance with the Commission's audit policy to determine whether there has been compliance with the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"). The audit was conducted pursuant to Section 438(a)(8) of Title 2 of the United States Code which directs the Commission to make from time to time audits and field investigations with respect to reports and statements filed under the provisions of the Act.

On April 9, 1976, the Committee registered with the Federal Election Commission as the principal campaign committee of Erwin "Ed" Hogan, candidate for election to the office of U.S. Representative from the 21st Congressional District of California. The Committee maintained its headquarters in Panorama City, California.

The audit covered the period from March 10, 1976, the inception date of the Committee, through November 22, 1976, the final coverage date of the termination report filed by the Committee. During that period, the Committee reported a beginning cash balance of \$-0-, total receipts for the period of \$3,294.57, total expenditures for the period of \$3,294.57 and a closing cash balance of \$-0-.

This audit report is based on documents and working papers supporting each of its factual statements. They form part of the record upon which the Commission based its decisions on the matters in this report and were available to Commissioners and appropriate staff for review.



B. Key Personnel

The principal officers of the Committee during the period of the audit were James O. Wildes, Chairman, and Dwight D. Ham, Treasurer.

C. Scope

The audit included such tests as verification of total reported receipts and expenditures and individual transactions; review of required supporting documentation; analysis of Committee debts and obligations; and, such other audit procedures as deemed necessary under the circumstances.

II. Auditor's Statement and Description of Findings

It is the opinion of the Audit staff, based upon examination of the reports and statements filed and the records presented, that the reports and statements of the Committee for the Election of Ed Hogan fairly present the financial activities of the Committee for the period covered by the audit. No material problems in complying with the Federal Election Campaign Act were discovered during the course of the audit.

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CONGRESSIONAL AUDIT REPORT

Candidate/Committee: Ed Hogan / Committee for the Election of Ed Hogan

State: California

District: 21

Location: Los Angeles

Political Party Affiliation: Republican

Major Opponent(s): James Corman (D)

Other Candidates Audited: Corman

Votes Cast: General Election - Corman 101,837 Hogan 44,094

Primary Election - Hogan 14,045 Steve Fox 7,213
Anne Exler 6,991 Dickerson 6,791

Total Receipts for Period: \$3,294.57

Total Expenditures for Period: \$3,294.57

First Elected (if applicable): N/A

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