COMMITTEE'S REPORT

(filed by committees that support or oppose one or more candidates and/or propositions and that are not candidate committees)

1. Full Name and Address of Political Committee

TIDEWATER INC. POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (TI
601 Poydras Street
Suite 1900
New Orleans, LA 70130-6040

OFFICE USE ONLY

Report Number: 32657

Date Filed: 10/10/2012

Report Includes Schedules:
Schedule A-1

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PAC Monthly 10/10

2. Date of Primary 11/6/2012

This report covers from 9/1/2012 through 9/30/2012

3. Type of Report:

____ 180th day prior to primary	____ 40th day after general
____ 90th day prior to primary	X Annual (future election)
____ 30th day prior to primary	____ Monthly
____ 10th day prior to primary	
____ 10th day prior to general	____ Amendment to prior

The following schedules have been suppressed from this printed copy:
attach, A, A-1, A-2, A-3, B, C, D, E-1, E-2, E-3, E-4, F

4. All Committee Officers (including Chairperson, Treasurer, if any, and any other committee officers)

a. Name	b. Position	c. Address
EX VP CFO QUINN FANNING	Chairperson	601 Poydras Street Suite 1900 New Orleans, LA 70130
EX VP CIR JOSEPH M BENNETT, MR.	Treasurer	601 Poydras Street Suite 1900 New Orleans, LA 70130

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Additional officers listed on attached sheet

5. Candidates or Propositions the Committee is Supporting or Opposing (use additional sheets if necessary)

a. Name & Address of Candidate/Description of Proposition	b. Office Sought	c. Political Party	d. Support/Oppose

6. Is the Committee supporting the entire ticket of a political party? ____ Yes X No If "yes", which party?

7. a. Name of Person Preparing Report SR EXE SEC CHERYL H PORTER

b. Daytime Telephone 504-566-4554

8. WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the information contained in this report and the attached schedules is true and correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief, and that no expenditures have been made nor contributions received that have not been reported herein, and that no information required to be reported by the Louisiana Campaign Finance Disclosure Act has been deliberately omitted.

This 8th day of October, 2012.

Quinn Fanning
Signature of Committee Chairperson

504-566-4502
Daytime Telephone

Joseph Bennett
Signature of Committee Treasurer, if any

504-566-1010
Daytime Telephone

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SUMMARY PAGE

RECEIPTS	This Period
1. Contributions (Schedule A-1)	$ 455.00
2. In-kind Contributions (Schedule A-2)	$ 0.00
3. Campaign paraphernalia sales of $25 *or less*	$ 0.00
4. **TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS** (Lines 1 + 2 +3)	$ 455.00
5. Other Receipts (Schedule A-3)	$ 0.00
6. Loans Received (Schedule B)	$ 0.00
7. Loan Repayments Received (Schedule D)	$ 0.00
8. **TOTAL RECEIPTS** (Lines 4 + 5 + 6 + 7)	$ 455.00

DISBURSEMENTS	This Period
9. General Expenditures (Schedule E-1)	$ 0.00
10. In-Kind Expenditures (Schedule E-2)	$ 0.00
11. Contributions made to Candidates (Schedule E-3)	$ 0.00
12. **TOTAL EXPENDITURES** (Lines 9 + 10 + 11)	$ 0.00
13. Other Disbursements (Schedule E-4)	$ 0.00
14. Loan Repayments Made (Schedule B)	$ 0.00
15. Funds Loaned (Schedule D)	$ 0.00
16. **TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS** (Lines 12 + 13 + 14 + 15)	$ 0.00

FINANCIAL SUMMARY	Amount
17. Funds on hand at beginning of reporting period (Must equal funds on hand at close from last report or -0- if first report for this committee)	$ 47,079.88
18. *Plus* total receipts this period (*less* in-kind contributions received) (Line 8 above minus line 2 above)	$ 455.00
19. *Less* total disbursements this period (*less* in-kind expenditures) (Line 16 above minus line 10 above)	$ 0.00
20. Funds on hand at close of reporting period	$ 47,534.88

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INVESTMENTS	Amount
21. Of funds on hand at beginning of reporting period (Line 17, above), amount held in investments (*i.e.*, savings accounts, CD's, money market funds, etc.)	$ 0.00
22. Of funds on hand at close of reporting period (Line 20, above), amount held in investments	$ 0.00

SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS	This Period
23. Contributions received from political committees (From Schedules A-1 and A-2)	$ 0.00
24. All proceeds from the sale of tickets to fundraising events (Receipts from the sale of tickets are contributions and must also be reported on Schedule A-1)	$ 0.00
25. Proceeds from the sale of campaign paraphernalia (Receipts from the sale of campaign paraphernalia are contributions and must also be reported on Schedule A-1 or Line 3 above)	$ 0.00
26. Expenditures from petty cash fund (Must also be reported on Schedule E-1)	$ 0.00

NOTICE

A political committee must register in each calendar year in which it will have over $500 of financial activity. The registration is accomplished by filing a Statement of Organization form and paying the $100 filing fee. Statements of Organization are filed annually by January 31. Any committee which realizes that it will have over $500 of financial activity after January 31 must register within ten days of its realization of that fact. However, if this occurs during the ten day period prior to an election the Statement of Organization must be filed within three days.

Political committees must file reports of receipts and disbursements on an annual basis. Annual reports are due by February 15 and should cover the preceding calendar year. Also, committees must file reports of receipts and disbursements on the same schedule as the candidates it supports or opposes. Reports are also due in connection with propositions (ballot issues) the committee supports or opposes. Schedules of reporting and filing dates for all elections are available from the Campaign Finance Office.

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