# 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

The August Group
442 Europe Street
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

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2. Date of Primary _____

This report covers from Oct 1, 2012 through Oct 31, 2012

3. Type of Report:

____ 180th day prior to primary
____ 90th day prior to primary
____ 30th day prior to primary
____ 10th day prior to primary
____ 10th day prior to general
____ 40th day after general
____ Annual
X Monthly
____ Amendment to prior report

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

| a. Name | b. Position | c. Address |
|---|---|---|
| Philip F. Cossich, Jr. | Chairperson | 8397 Highway 23 Ste 100, Belle Chasse, LA 70037-2648 |
| Richard J. Dodson | Treasurer | 112 Founders Dr, Baton Rouge, LA 70810-8944 |

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

Louise Gonsoulin

b. Daytime Telephone 225-242-4827

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 November 2012

Signature of Committee Chairperson

(504) 384-8000
Daytime Telephone

Richard J. Dodson
Signature of Committee Treasurer, if any

225-756-0222
Daytime Telephone

# SUMMARY PAGE

| RECEIPTS | This Period |
|---|---|
| 1. Contributions Received (Schedule A-1) | $0.00 |
| 2. In-kind Contributions Received (Schedule A-2) | $0.00 |
| 3. Campaign paraphernalia sales of $25 *or less* | $0.00 |
| 4. **TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS** (Lines 1 + 2 +3) | $0.00 |
| 5. Other Receipts (Schedule A-3) | $0.15 |
| 6. Loans Received (Schedule B) | $0.00 |
| 7. Loan Repayments Received (Schedule D) | $0.00 |
| 8. **TOTAL RECEIPTS** (Lines 4 + 5 + 6 + 7) | $0.15 |

| DISBURSEMENTS | This Period |
|---|---|
| 9. General Expenditures (Schedule E-1) | $362.61 |
| 10. In-Kind Expenditures (Schedule E-2) | $44.04 |
| 11. Contributions made to Candidates (Schedule E-3) | $0.00 |
| 12. **TOTAL EXPENDITURES** (Lines 9 + 10 + 11) | $406.65 |
| 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) | $406.65 |

| 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) | $1,557.73 |
| 18. *Plus* total receipts this period (*less* in-kind contributions received) (Line 8 above minus line 2 above) | $0.15 |
| 19. *Less* total disbursements this period (*less* in-kind expenditures) (Line 16 above minus line 10 above) | $362.61 |
| 20. Funds on hand at close of reporting period | $1,195.27 |

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# SUMMARY PAGE (continued)

| 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.) | $1,557.73 |
| 22. Of funds on hand at close of reporting period (Line 20, above), amount held in investments | $1,195.27 |

| SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS | This Period |
|---|---|
| 23. Contributions received from political committees (From Schedules A-1 and A-2) | |
| 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) | |
| 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) | |
| 26. Expenditures from petty cash fund (Must also be reported on Schedule E-1) | |

## 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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# SCHEDULE A-3: OTHER RECEIPTS

This schedule is used to report those receipts that are not "contributions"; that is, monies received by the committee that are not paid to it for the purpose of supporting, opposing or otherwise influencing the nomination or election of candidates to public office or supporting or opposing propositions or questions submitted to the voters. Examples include interest or investment income. **Receipts should be reported on this schedule only if they have not been reported elsewhere in this report.** The explanation of the receipt should state the reason the payment was made to the committee.

| 1. Name and Address of Source | 2. Explanation | 3. Date | 4. Amount |
|---|---|---|---|
| Merrill Lynch<br>445 North Blvd., 4th Floor<br>Baton Rouge, LA 70802 | Interest earned | 10/01/2012<br>thru<br>10/31/2012 | 0.15 |
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| 4. Total OTHER RECEIPTS during this reporting period | | | 0.15 |

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## SCHEDULE E-1: GENERAL EXPENDITURES

Use this schedule to report information on most committee expenditures, during this reporting period. If the expenditure directly benefited a particular candidate(s), list the candidate(s)' name under item 1. However, (1) in-kind expenditures, and (2) expenditures to candidates or their committees should be reported on SCHEDULES E-2 and E-3, respectively, and should not be reported on this schedule. An "expenditure" is any payment made for the purpose of supporting or opposing the election of a candidate for public office or supporting or opposing a proposition or question submitted to the voters. Expenditures include monies spent for the committee's general operating expenses. Any payments made that are not "expenditures" should be reported on SCHEDULE E-4: OTHER DISBURSEMENTS. Totals and subtotals at bottom of page are optional but will assist in completing the Summary Page.

| 1. Name and Address of Recipient | 2. Expenditures this Reporting Period a. Date(s) | b. Purpose(s) | c. Amount(s) |
|---|---|---|---|
| THE BUZZ CAFE<br>340 FLORIDA STREET<br>BATON ROUGE, LA 70801<br>Candidate Beneficiaries: Katrina Jackson | 10/19/2012 | Cater fundraiser | $362.61 |
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| 3. SUBTOTAL (optional) | | | |
| a. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule) | | | $362.61 |

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## SCHEDULE E-2: IN-KIND EXPENDITURES

The following information must be provided for all in-kind expenditures made by the committee, during this reporting period. If the expenditure directly benefited a particular candidate(s), list the candidate(s)' name under Item 1. In-kind contributions received by the committee are reported on SCHEDULE A-2: IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED. In Column 1, give the name and address of the recipient of the expenditure, and also give the name or names of all candidates on whose behalf the expenditure was made if it was made on behalf of a candidate or candidates. Totals and subtotals at bottom of the page are *optional*. Completion of totals and subtotals may assist in calculating totals that must be reported on the Summary Page.

| 1. Name and Address of Recipient | 2. In-Kind Expenditures Made this Reporting Period a. Date(s) | b. Purpose(s) | c. Amount(s) |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rep. Katrina R. Jackson<br>1051 Kansas Ln<br>Monroe, LA 71203-6036<br>Candidate Beneficiaries: | 10/1/2012<br>10/3/2012<br>10/16/2012 | Invitations, Envelopes, Labels & Postage for Fundraiser on 10/19/2012 | $44.04 |
| Candidate Beneficiaries: | | | |
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| 3. SUBTOTAL (optional) | | | |
| 4. TOTAL (optional - completed only on last page of this schedule) | | | $44.04 |

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