

CANDIDATE'S REPORT

(to be filed by a candidate or his principal campaign committee)

1. Qualifying Name and Address of Candidate

Jim D. Tuten
2203 Royal Oaks Drive
Ruston, LA 71270

2. Office Bought (include title of office as well as parish, city, town and/or election district)

Board of Aldermen
(City Council)
Ward 3, Ruston

OFFICE USE ONLY

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ELECTION DIVISION
LA. STATE CANVASSING BOARD

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3. Date of Primary October 3, 1998

This report covers from April 17, 98 thru August 24, 98

4. Type of Report

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 180th day prior to primary | <input type="checkbox"/> 40th day after general |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 90th day prior to primary | <input type="checkbox"/> Annual (future election) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30th day prior to primary | <input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental (past election) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 10th day prior to primary | <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment to prior report |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 10th day prior to general | |

5. FINAL REPORT #:

- Withdrawn Filed after the election AND all loans and debts paid
 Unopposed

6. Name and Address of Financial Institution (You are required by law to use one or more banks or savings and loan associations as the depository of all campaign funds.)

Community Trust Bank
P.O. Box 100
Choudrant, LA

7. Full Name and Address of Treasurer

8. FOR PRINCIPAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES ONLY

a. Name and address of principal campaign committee

9. Name of Person Preparing Report

Daytime Telephone (318) 255-5691

b. Name and address of committee's chairperson

10. 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 the Louisiana Campaign Finance Disclosure Act has been deliberately omitted.

This 28 day of August, 1998

c. Name and address of all subsidiary committees, if any (use additional sheets if necessary)


Signature of Candidate/Chairperson
(To be signed by Chairperson only if report by principal campaign committee)

318-255-5700
Daytime Telephone

Signature of Treasurer

Daytime Telephone

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Type or print legibly in black ink.
2. The date of the primary must be included in Item 3 on the cover sheet. If the election date is not yet known, include the anticipated year of the election.
3. Schedules that do not apply should be omitted. If additional space is necessary, make copies of the needed schedules and insert at the appropriate place.
4. All transactions must be reported, regardless of amount. Exception: In-kind transactions valued at \$25 or less are not required to be reported. However, successive transactions must be added together to determine whether \$25 has been exceeded.
5. A campaign bank account must be maintained. All contributions must be deposited in the campaign account. All expenditures must be made by check drawn on the campaign account. The check must be made payable to a specific person and indicate the object or services for which it was drawn. Exception: A petty cash fund may be maintained and used for expenditures of \$100 or less that are not for personal services.
6. Cash contributions in excess of \$100 from one source during a calendar year are prohibited. A cash contributor must be given a receipt containing his name, address, social security number and signature, and the date and exact amount of the contribution. The campaign must keep a copy of the receipt.
7. A record must be kept for every transaction, including the sale of tickets to fundraising events. The sale of a ticket to a fundraising event is reported as any other contribution. Exception: In the case of a single transaction involving the sale of campaign paraphernalia for \$25 or less, no record need be kept except the total amount received and deposited and the fact that such amount was received from such sale. The total amount is reported on Line 3 of the Summary Page.
8. The following contribution limits apply: \$5,000 major office candidates, \$2,500 district office candidates, and \$1,000 any other office candidates. You may not accept more than your contribution limit from one source per election. You may not accept contributions from persons substantially interested in the gaming industry. The primary and general are considered two separate elections. When calculating whether the limits have been reached, outstanding loans, endorsements or guarantees on loans, and contributions must be added together. The limits do not apply to the candidate's use of his own funds or to contributions made by recognized political parties or their committees. The limits do apply to contributions made by family members and legal entities owned by the candidate or his family members. The limits may be doubled when the contributor is a political committee with over 250 members who contributed at least \$50 to the committee during the preceding calendar year. The committee must have certified that it meets this membership requirement on its annual Statement of Organization. The amounts received from all political committees combined may not exceed the following limits: \$50,000 major office candidates, \$35,000 district office candidates, and \$10,000 any other office candidates. These aggregate limits apply to both the primary and general elections combined.
9. The term "this election" as used through this form refers to the period from the date of first becoming a candidate (the day the first contribution was accepted, the first expenditure made, or the date of qualification to run for office, whichever came first) through the closing date of the current report.
10. Separate reporting forms are to be used for "Special Reports" and "Election Day Expenditures."
11. A candidate may report through a principal campaign committee. The use of a committee is strictly optional. If a committee is used the candidate must file a "Designation of Principal Campaign Committee." The committee must file a Statement of Organization in January of each year it will have over \$500 in financial activity. A \$100 filing fee must be submitted annually with each Statement of Organization.
12. Contributions or loans in the name of another are prohibited. If funds are made available to a candidate's campaign by a person who was loaned those funds by a third party, the name of the third party must also be disclosed.
13. Expenditures made by a public relations firm, an advertising agency or agent for the campaign must be reported to the campaign; the ultimate recipients of any such expenditures are required to be reported on Schedule E-1 of this report.
14. Expenditures, including any reimbursement of costs, to persons to transport voters to the polls are prohibited. Exception: payments to transport voters are allowed if made to a bona fide bus, taxi, or transportation service duly licensed or permitted by a governmental entity.

SUMMARY PAGE

RECEIPTS	This Period
1. Contributions (Schedule A-1)	\$3,700.00
2. In-kind Contributions (Schedule A-2)	
3. Campaign paraphernalia sales of \$25 or less	
4. TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS (Lines 1 + 2 + 3)	3,700.00
5. Other Receipts (Schedule A-3)	
6. Loans Received (Schedule B)	
7. Loan Repayments Received (Schedule D)	
8. TOTAL RECEIPTS (Lines 4 + 5 + 6 + 7)	3,700.00

DISBURSEMENTS	This Period
9. Expenditures (Schedule E-1)	1,221.79
10. Other Disbursements (Schedule E-2)	
11. Loan Repayments Made (Schedule B)	
12. Funds Loaned (Schedule D)	
13. TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS (Lines 9 + 10 + 11 + 12)	1,221.79

FINANCIAL SUMMARY	Amount
14. Funds on hand at beginning of reporting period <small>(Must equal funds on hand at close from last report or -0- if first report for this election)</small>	-0-
15. Plus total receipts this period <small>(Line 8 above)</small>	+ 3,700.00
16. Less total disbursements this period <small>(Line 13 above)</small>	- 1,221.79
17. Less in-kind contributions <small>(Line 2 above)</small>	-
18. Funds on hand at close of reporting period	2,478.21

SUMMARY PAGE (continued)

INVESTMENTS	Amount
19. Of funds on hand at beginning of reporting period (Line 14, above), amount held in investments (i.e., savings accounts, CD's, money market funds, stocks, bonds, etc.)	
20. Of funds on hand at close of reporting period (Line 18, above), amount held in investments	

SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS	This Period
21. Candidate's personal funds (Use of personal funds as either a contribution or loan to the campaign should be reported on Schedules A-1 or B)	\$100.00
22. Contributions received from political committees (From Schedules A-1 and A-2)	
23. 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)	
24. 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)	
25. Expenditures from petty cash fund (Must also be reported on Schedule E-1)	

NOTICE

The personal use of campaign funds is prohibited.* The use of campaign funds must be related to a political campaign or the holding of a public office or party position. However, campaign funds may be used to reimburse a candidate for expenses related to his campaign or office, to pay taxes on the interest earned on campaign funds or to replace articles lost, stolen, or damaged in connection with a campaign.

Excess campaign funds may be returned to contributors on a pro rata basis, given as a charitable contribution as provided in 26 USC 170(c), given to a charitable organization as defined in 26 USC 501(c)(3), expended in support of or opposition to a proposition, political party, or candidacy of any person, or maintained in a segregated fund for use in future political campaigns or activity related to preparing for future candidacy to elective office.

*The prohibition on the personal use of campaign funds does not apply to campaign funds received prior to July 16, 1988.

SCHEDULE A-1: CONTRIBUTIONS (other than In-Kind Contributions)

The following information must be provided for all contributors to your campaign during this reporting period, except for in-kind contributions. Information on in-kind contributions is reported on SCHEDULE A-2: IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS. In Column 1, check if the contributor is a political committee or a party committee. Any personal funds a candidate contributes to his campaign must be reported on this schedule. Personal funds a candidate loans to his campaign should be reported on Schedule B. For anonymous contributions, see Schedule F. Totals and subtotals at bottom of 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 Contributor	2. Contributions this Reporting Period		3. Total this Election
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)	
Lincoln Builder's, Inc. 1910 Farmerville Highway Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	4/29/98	\$500.00	500.00
Wayne Parker 1009 Hunt Ln Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	5/15/98	100.00	100.00
Bill Hogan 2039 Farmerville Highway Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	7/24/98	250.00	250.00
India Carroll 1004 Pennington Ln Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	7/30/98	250.00	250.00
Kathie Cordaro 602 Tarreyton Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	8/9/98	250.00	250.00
Dianne McNabb 1501 Mesa Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	8/10/98	200.00	200.00
Chris Allen, Jr. 1908 Knowles Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	8/17/98	50.00	50.00
4. SUBTOTAL (this page)		1,600.00	N/A
5. TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)			N/A
6. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEES:			
SUBTOTAL (this page) <u>None</u>		TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule) <u>None</u>	

SCHEDULE A-1: CONTRIBUTIONS (continued)

1. Name and Address of Contributor	2. Contributions this Reporting Period		3. Total this Election
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)	
James E. Davison 428 Forest Cr Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	8/20/98	\$500.00	\$500.00
Dianne Davison 428 Forest Cr Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	8/20/98	500.00	500.00
Joe Tuten 2612 Foxxwood Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	8/9/98	500.00	500.00
Mildred Tuten 2612 Foxxwood Ruston, LA 71270 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	8/9/98	500.00	500.00
Candidates own funds POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____	4/17/98	100.00	100.00
 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____			
 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____			
 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ PARTY COMMITTEE? _____			
4. SUBTOTAL (this page)		\$2,100.00	N/A
5. TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)		\$3,700.00	N/A
6. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEES:			
SUBTOTAL (this page) <u>None</u>		TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule) <u>None</u>	

SCHEDULE E-1: EXPENDITURES

Use this schedule to report information on all campaign expenditures for this reporting period. An "expenditure" is any payment made for the purpose of supporting your election to public office and includes monies spent for the campaign's general operating expenses. Any payments made that are not "expenditures" should be reported on SCHEDULE E-2: OTHER DISBURSEMENTS. Totals and subtotals at bottom of 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. Expenditures this Reporting Period		
	a. Date(s)	b. Purpose(s)	c. Amount(s)
Kirste Screen Printing 401 Walnut Monroe, LA	7/28/98	Yard Signs	200.00
	8/11/98	Yard Signs	200.00
U.S. Postmaster Ruston, LA	8/17/98	Postage 1st Class	640.00
Community Trust Bank P.O. Box 100 Choudrant, LA	5/1/98	Printed Checks	31.79
Clerk of Court Lincoln Parish	8/22/98	Filing Fees	150.00
3. SUBTOTAL (optional - this page)			1,221.79
4. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule)			1,221.79

