

CANDIDATE'S REPORT

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

1. Qualifying Name and Address of Candidate Thomas W. Odom P.O. Box 544 114 Washington St Grambling, LA 71245		2. Office Sought (Include title of office as well as parish, city, town and/or election district) School Board Lincoln Parish Grambling, LA Ward 2-A		OFFICE USE ONLY 10-9 10/98 10/26 984773	
3. Date of Primary <u>Nov. 3, 1998</u> This report covers from <u>Sept 14, 1998</u> through <u>Oct. 14, 1998</u>		4. Type of Report: <input type="checkbox"/> 180th day prior to primary <input type="checkbox"/> 90th day prior to primary <input type="checkbox"/> 30th day prior to primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10th day prior to primary <input type="checkbox"/> 10th day prior to general <input type="checkbox"/> 40th day after general <input type="checkbox"/> Annual (future election) <input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental (post election) <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment to prior report		5. FINAL REPORT IF: <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn <input type="checkbox"/> Filed after the election AND all loans and debts paid <input type="checkbox"/> Unopposed	
6. Name and Address of Financial Institution (You are required by law to use one or more banks, savings and loan associations, or money market mutual fund as the depository of all campaign funds.) NA		7. Full Name and Address of Treasurer NA		B. FOR PRINCIPAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES ONLY B. Name and address of principal campaign committee X	
8. Name of Person Preparing Report <u>Thomas W. Odom</u> Daytime Telephone <u>(318) 247-6486</u>		9. 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. <u>This 26 day of October 1998</u>		b. Name and address of committee's chairperson X	
Signature of Candidate/Chairperson (To be signed by Chairperson only if report by principal campaign committee) <u>Thomas W. Odom</u>		Daytime Telephone <u>610 247-6486</u>		c. Name and address of all subsidiary committees, if any (Use additional sheets if necessary) X	
Signature of Treasurer <u>NA</u>		Daytime Telephone _____			

SUMMARY PAGE

RECEIPTS	This Period
1. Contributions (Schedule A-1)	None
2. In-kind Contributions (Schedule A-2)	None
3. Campaign paraphernalia sales of \$25 or less	None
4. TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS (Lines 1 + 2 + 3)	None
5. Other Receipts (Schedule A-3)	None
6. Loans Received (Schedule B)	None
7. Loan Repayments Received (Schedule D)	None
8. TOTAL RECEIPTS (Lines 4 + 5 + 6 + 7)	None

DISBURSEMENTS	This Period
9. Expenditures (Schedule E-1)	\$427.50
10. Other Disbursements (Schedule E-2)	NA
11. Loan Repayments Made (Schedule B)	NA
12. Funds Loaned (Schedule D)	NA
13. TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS (Lines 9 + 10 + 11 + 12)	\$427.50

FINANCIAL SUMMARY	Amount
14. 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 election)	None
15. Plus total receipts this period (Line 8 above)	None
16. Less total disbursements this period (Line 13 above)	\$427.50
17. Less in-kind contributions (Line 2 above)	None
18. Funds on hand at close of reporting period	None

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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.)	None
20. Of funds on hand at close of reporting period (Line 18, above), amount held in investments	None

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.)	\$427.50
22. Contributions received from political committees (From Schedules A-1 and A-2)	None
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.)	None
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.)	None
25. Expenditures from petty cash fund (Must also be reported on Schedule E-1.)	None

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 15, 1988.

SCHEDULE F: ANONYMOUS CONTRIBUTIONS

Anonymous contributions must be transmitted to the State—they cannot be kept or used. On this schedule, state the date and amount of each anonymous contribution received during this reporting period, as well as the date that each contribution was transmitted to the State. Receipts from the sale of campaign paraphernalia (items such as political campaign pins, buttons, hats, T-shirts, bumper stickers, literature, etc.) in transactions of \$25 or less are not considered anonymous contributions.

Anonymous contributions should be mailed by campaign check to the Treasurer of the State of Louisiana, accompanied with an explanation that the check represents an anonymous campaign contribution forwarded pursuant to LSA-R.S. 18:1505.2B.

1. Amount	2. Date Received	3. Date Transmitted to State
<i>All None</i>		

Mail* or hand deliver completed reports to:

**CAMPAIGN FINANCE
8401 UNITED PLAZA BLVD., SUITE 200
BATON ROUGE, LA 70809-7017**

*Mailed reports will be considered to have been filed on the date they are postmarked or received on a return receipt requested form by the United States Post Office.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL: (225) 922-1400

The failure to file campaign finance reports on time subjects candidates and the chairmen and treasurers of their committees to civil penalties.