

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

Empower PAC, Inc.
P.O. Box 51186
Lafayette, LA 70505-1186

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2. Date of Primary October 22, 2011

This report covers from July 23, 2011 through Sept 22, 2011

3. Type of Report:

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

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

e. Name	b. Position	c. Address
Robert Guidry	Chairperson	804 E. St. Mary Blvd., Lafayette, LA 70503
Jan Swift	Treasurer	930 Coolidge, Lafayette, LA 70503

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
Joel Robideaux 102 Woodruff Avenue, Suite 9, Lafayette LA 70503	State Representative	Independent	Support
Albert Guillory 633 East Landry Street, Opelousas, LA 70570	State Senator	Democrat	Support

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

7. a. Name of Person Preparing Report Cydra Wingerter

b. Daytime Telephone 337-408-3652

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 23 day of September, 2011

Signature of Committee/Chairperson

337-233-2705

Daytime Telephone

Signature of Committee Treasurer, if any

337-204-9890

Daytime Telephone

SUMMARY PAGE

RECEIPTS	This Period
1. Contributions Received (Schedule A-1)	\$2,700
2. In-kind Contributions Received (Schedule A-2)	\$0
3. Campaign paraphernalia sales of \$25 or less	\$0
4. TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS (Lines 1 + 2 + 3)	\$2,700
5. Other Receipts (Schedule A-3)	\$1.99
6. Loans Received (Schedule B)	\$0
7. Loan Repayments Received (Schedule D)	\$0
8. TOTAL RECEIPTS (Lines 4 + 5 + 6 + 7)	\$2,701.99

DISBURSEMENTS	This Period
9. General Expenditures (Schedule E-1)	\$4,613.43
10. In-Kind Expenditures (Schedule E-2)	\$0
11. Contributions made to Candidates (Schedule E-3)	\$750
12. TOTAL EXPENDITURES (Lines 9 + 10 + 11)	\$5,363.43
13. Other Disbursements (Schedule E-4)	\$0
14. Loan Repayments Made (Schedule B)	\$0
15. Funds Loaned (Schedule D)	\$0
16. TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS (Lines 12 + 13 + 14 + 15)	\$5,363.43

FINANCIAL SUMMARY	Amount
17. 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 committee)</small>	\$11,127.83
18. <i>Plus</i> total receipts this period (less in-kind contributions received) <small>(Line 8 above minus line 2 above)</small>	\$2,701.99
19. <i>Less</i> total disbursements this period (less in-kind expenditures) <small>(Line 16 above minus line 10 above)</small>	\$5,363.43
20. Funds on hand at close of reporting period	\$8,466.39

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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
22. Of funds on hand at close of reporting period (Line 20, above), amount held in investments	\$0

SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS	This Period
23. Contributions received from political committees (From Schedules A-1 and A-2)	\$0
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
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
26. Expenditures from petty cash fund (Must also be reported on Schedule E-1)	\$0

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 candidate 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-1: CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED (other than In-Kind Contributions)

The following information must be provided for all contributions received by the committee during this reporting period, except for in-kind contributions, whether received from a political committee or some other person or entity. Contributions made by the committee are reported on SCHEDULE E-3: CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO CANDIDATES. Information on in-kind contributions is reported on SCHEDULE A-2: IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS. In Column 1, check "yes" if the contributor is a political committee and "no" if not. For anonymous contributions, see SCHEDULE F. 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 Contributor	2. Contributions this Reporting Period		3. Total this Year
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)	
Atmos Energy 1818 Eraste Landry Rd Lafayette, LA 70506 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$250	\$250
Jones Walker 201 St. Charles Ave. New Orleans, La 701710 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$1,000	\$1,000
Manuel Builders, LLC 2800 W. Pinhook Rd., Ste 8 Lafayette, LA 70508 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$250	\$250
Oilfield CNC Machining, LLC 217 Exploration Rd Broussard, LA 70518-7014 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$50	\$50
Architects Southwest Steven Oubre 534 Jefferson Lafayette, LA 70502 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$250	\$350
Ace Plumbing Bryan Tabor P.O. Box 23 Carenco, LA 70520 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$50	\$50
Marah Counseling & Coaching Guy Zachry 350 Cypress Cove Youngsville, LA 70592 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? _____ YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/24/2011	\$50	\$50
4. SUBTOTAL (this page)		\$1,900	N/A
5. TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)			N/A
6. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEES ONLY:			
SUBTOTAL (this page) <u> \$0 </u>		TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule) _____	

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1. Name and Address of Contributor	2. Contributions this Reporting Period		3. Total this Year
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)	
Rob Guidry 105 Young Oaks Drive Lafayette, LA 70507 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/1/2011	\$100	\$100
Reggie Dupré 201 Energy Pkwy. Suite 500 Lafayette, LA 70508 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$250	\$250
Charles Landry 6555 United Plaza Blvd. Suite 500 Baton Rouge, LA 70809 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/15/2011	\$250	\$250
Andy Begnaud PO Box 62949 Lafayette, LA 70596 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	8/23/2011	\$100	\$100
Joseph Zanco 119 Hamlet Lane Lafayette, LA 70508 POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	9/8/2011	\$100	\$100
POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
4. SUBTOTAL (this page)		\$800	N/A
5. TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)		\$2,700	N/A
6. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEES ONLY:			
SUBTOTAL (this page) \$0		TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule) \$0	

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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
Business First Bank 900 E St Mary Blvd, Ste 100 Lafayette, LA 70503	Interest earned on Checking Account	7/31/2011	\$1.04
Business First Bank 900 E St Mary Blvd, Ste 100 Lafayette, LA 70503	Interest earned on Checking Account	8/31/2011	\$.95
4. Total OTHER RECEIPTS during this reporting period			\$1.99

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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		c. Amount(s)
	a. Date(s)	b. Purpose(s)	
Burland & Associates 742 North 5th Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802 Candidate Beneficiaries:	8/12/2011	Consulting Fee	\$2,625
Briggs Capital Strategies, LLC 9050 Eastlake Dr. Baton Rouge, LA 70810 Candidate Beneficiaries:	8/12/2011	Contract Lobbyist	\$1,875
Post Master 459 HRYMANN BLVD Lafayette, LA 70503 Candidate Beneficiaries:	7/25/2011	Certified Mail fee	\$6.43
Greater Lafayette Chamber of Commerce 804 E. St. Mary Blvd. Lafayette, LA 70503 Candidate Beneficiaries:	8/12/2011	annual administrative fee	\$100
Greater Lafayette Chamber of Commerce 804 E. St. Mary Blvd. Lafayette, LA 70503 Candidate Beneficiaries:	9/8/2011	reimbursement of annual filing fee expense	\$7
Candidate Beneficiaries:			
Candidate Beneficiaries:			
3. SUBTOTAL (optional)			
4. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule)			\$4,613.43

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SCHEDULE E-3: CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO CANDIDATES

The following information must be provided for direct contributions made to candidates or their campaign committees, during this reporting period, except for in-kind expenditures. All candidates listed on this schedule should also be listed on the Cover Page in Item 5. Report all in-kind expenditures, including those made to candidates, on SCHEDULE E-2: IN-KIND EXPENDITURES. 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 Candidate	2. Contributions Made this Reporting Period	
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)
Senator Elbert L. Gullory 633 East Landry Street Opelousas, LA 70570	9/13/2011	\$500
Representative Joel Robideaux 106 Treehaven Boulevard Lafayette, LA 70506	9/8/2011	\$250
3. SUBTOTAL (optional)		
4. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule)		\$750

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