



MEMORANDUM

Date: August 4, 2026

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To: The Honorable Mayor and Council Members

From: Marisa Stoller, City Clerk

Subject: Preliminary Expenditure Limits – Public Matching Funds

Pursuant to the provisions of the Tucson Charter Chapter XVI, Subchapter B, pertaining to Campaign Finance Administration expenditure limitations, the **preliminary expenditure limits** for candidates who sign campaign contracts are listed below. These amounts are based upon the Consumer Price Index and the number of registered voters (339,048) residing in the City as of June 30, 2026. The final expenditure limits which will be available mid-July 2027 may increase or decrease depending upon the voter registration in the City as of June 30, 2027.

PRELIMINARY EXPENDITURE LIMITS — 2027	MAYOR	COUNCIL MEMBER
Preliminary expenditure amount per voter	\$1.1769	\$0.5885
Maximum amount a candidate may spend through the end of the campaign period	\$399,025.59	\$199,529.74
Maximum amount a candidate may spend through the day of the Primary Election	\$299,269.19	\$149,647.30
Maximum amount a candidate may receive in public matching funds	\$199,512.79	\$99,764.87
Maximum amount of public funds that may be released prior to calculation of final expenditure limits	\$149,634.59	\$74,823.65
Maximum amount a candidate may contribute to their own campaign	\$11,970.76	\$5,985.89

Respectfully,

Marisa Stoller
City Clerk/Campaign
Finance Administrator

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cc: City Manager
City Attorney
Political Parties