

CITY OF TUCSON 2011 PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTIONS CAMPAIGN FINANCE ADMINISTRATION

INFORMATION UPDATE 2011-10

TO: Candidates, Political Parties and Political Committees

FROM: Roger W. Randolph, City Clerk/Campaign Finance Administrator

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From time to time, this office distributes information regarding campaign finance and other election related issues that may be of interest to you. We encourage you to contact the City Clerk's Office with any questions you have regarding these issues.

REQUESTING PUBLIC MATCHING FUNDS

Dates for candidates to keep in mind:

- <u>November 14</u>: Public Matching Funds requests may include contributions received through November 14.
- November 18: The last day candidates may request public matching funds.
- <u>November 18</u>: Post-election campaign finance reports for candidates who signed campaign contracts are due.

Reminder: public matching funds may not be used to fund election night and postelection parties. See Campaign Finance Rules and Regulations Sec. 7.14 for further information.

7.14 A candidate who signs a campaign contract may use neither contributions nor public matching funds for indirect campaign purposes such as, but not limited to, providing a candidate's personal support, or for donation to another's campaign. NOTE: post-election parties are not direct campaign expenses and cannot be funded with public matching funds.

It is the determination of the Campaign finance Administrator that this section applies to election night parties.

Should you have any questions regarding the information contained in this update, please contact me or Suzanne Mesich, Assistant City Clerk, at 791-4213 or E-mail cityclerk@tucsonaz.gov.