



Form CPF M 101 BQ: STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION
BALLOT QUESTION COMMITTEE
MUNICIPAL FORM

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts

Office of Campaign and Political Finance

File with: City or Town Clerk
or Election Commission

Please print or type all information, except signatures

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 55, of the organization of a ballot question committee as follows:

1. Name:
(See note 1)

Committee Against Tax on Tax

2. Mailing Address:

272 Western Ave., Sherborn, MA 01770

3. Purpose/ Specific issues
and interests (See note 2)

To educate the voters on why the CPA Tax
is bad for them and why they should vote no.

4. Topic of question:

CPA Surtax

Question 6

Question number, if applicable

5. Committee is formed to (check one): support _____ / oppose ☒ the question.

6. Officers:

Name

Residential Address

City/State/ZIP

Tel. No.

Chairman: Douglas A. Kingsley, 138 Farm Road, Sherborn, MA 01770 508-651-0116

Treasurer: Robert P. Johnson, 272 Western Ave., Sherborn, MA 01770 508-653-0560

Other Officer:

~~138 Farm Rd.~~

Attach additional page, if necessary, with other officers and finance committee, if any.

The chairman and treasurer of a political committee should be aware that provisions of M.G.L. c. 55 specify that each treasurer of a political committee shall keep and preserve detailed accounts, vouchers and receipts for a period of six years from the date of the relevant election. Chapter 55 also specifies that no expenditures shall be made for, or on behalf of, a political committee without the authorization of the chairman or treasurer, or their designated agents; and, that all the funds of a political committee shall be kept separate from any personal funds of any officers, members or associates of such committee.

SIGNED UNDER THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY:

I hereby accept the office of Chairman of the above-named committee:

Chairman's signature

Date

3 October 2024

I hereby accept the office of treasurer of the above-named committee. I understand that I am subject to certain duties and liabilities under M.G.L. c. 55, including the timely filing of campaign finance reports. I am aware that an appointed public employee may not serve as treasurer of a ballot question committee.

Treasurer's signature

Date

Robert P. Johnson

3 October 2024



**Form CPF M22: REPORT OF BALLOT QUESTION EXPENDITURES
BY CORPORATION, ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL
MUNICIPAL FORM**

Commonwealth
of Massachusetts

Office of Campaign and Political Finance

File with: Local Election Official

Filing Date: ☒ 8th day preceding election
☐ 30th day after election
☐ January 20th

Please print or type, except signatures.

1. Name of Corporation/Organization or Individual: Committee Against Tax on Tax
2. Address: 272 Western Ave, Sherborn, MA 01770
3. Reporting Period: October 12, 2024 to October 28, 2024
Month Day Year Month Day Year
4. The expenditures below were made to (check one) support _____ / oppose ☒
question number 6 relating to CPA SurTax,
(if applicable) (Describe question briefly)
submitted to the voters in Sherborn on 5 November 2024
(Name of City/Town) (Election Date)
5. Expenditure(s) (attach additional pages if necessary):

Date Paid	To Whom Paid	Address	Purpose	Amount or Value*
12 Oct 24	Postmaster, Sherborn	31 North Main St. Sherborn, MA 01770	bulk mailing	\$399.84
21 Oct 24	All Star Press	51 Loring Drive Framingham, MA 01702	yard signs	\$130.00
22 Oct 24	All Star Press	51 Loring Drive Framingham, MA 01702	signs Postcards & yard	\$680.00
15, 22 Oct 24	Citizens Bank	ROP 240, PO Box 7000 Providence, RI 02940	Bank Charges	\$45.00
Total expenditures on this report				\$1,254.84
Total expenditures previously reported				_____
Total expenditures to date				\$1,254.84

*In-kind contributions should be included here.

OVER

6. Liabilities and promises to pay:

Date Made or Incurred*	To Whom Due	Address	Purpose	Amount**
15 October	Robert P. Johnson	272 Western Ave, Sherborn, MA 01770	Startup Loan	\$400—
Total liabilities on this report				\$400—
Total liabilities previously reported and currently outstanding				—
Total outstanding liabilities				\$400—

* A promise to pay exists and must be reported if the corporation, organization or individual has (1) made an express or implied promise to give, pay, expend or contribute money or anything of value, or (2) knows or reasonably should know that it will be responsible for paying for a good or service. A liability exists and must be reported if the corporation, organization or individual has received a good or service which has not been paid for even if the corporation, organization or individual has not received a bill or invoice.

** If the amount of the liability has not been determined or is in dispute, the liability should be estimated or reported as “to be determined” or “in dispute.”

I certify that this report is a true statement of the amount or value of every gift, payment, expenditure or contribution or promise to give, pay, expend or contribute in order to influence or affect the vote on the question referenced on the front of this report, together with the date, purpose, and full name and address of the person to whom it was made. I make this report in accordance with the requirements of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 55, Section 22, as amended.

Signed under the penalties of perjury:

Robert P. Johnson Robert P. Johnson 28 Oct 2024
Signature of corporation/organization Treasurer or Individual Print Name Date

M.G.L. Chapter 55, Section 22 states in part:

Any person or the treasurer of a corporation, association, organization or other group of persons, other than a political committee organized under section 5, which has given, paid, expended or contributed, or promised to give, pay, expend or contribute, any money or other thing of value in order to influence or affect the vote on any question submitted to the voters shall file reports setting forth the amount or value of every gift, payment, expenditure or contribution or promise to give, pay, expend or contribute, together with the date, purpose and full name and address of the person to whom it was made.

Any person who makes an expenditure of \$250 or more other than a contribution to a ballot question committee or incurs a liability of \$250 or more to influence or affect the vote on any question submitted to the voters shall file reports setting forth the amount or value of the expenditure or liability, together with the date, purpose and full name of the person to whom the expenditure was made or the liability incurred.

If the question appears on ballots at a city or town election or appears on ballots for use in a city or town at a state election, such report shall be filed with the city or town clerk as follows: (1) the eighth day preceding a preliminary or primary, including a caucus, the eighth day preceding a city or town election and, if a city election, as a final report, the twentieth day of January in the following year, complete as of the thirty-first day of December of the prior year and, if a town election, as a final report, the thirtieth day following such election; (2) the eighth day preceding a special primary, including a caucus, the eighth day preceding a special election and, as a final report, the thirtieth day following a special election; and (3) the twentieth day of January of each year, complete as of the thirty-first day of December of the prior year, until all declared liabilities of such person or corporation, association, organization or other group of persons have been discharged. [Except for the Jan. 20 report, all reports must be complete as of the preceding tenth day.]

Any person or corporation, association, organization or other group of persons, other than a political committee organized under said section 5, violating any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50,000 and any officer, director or agent of any such person or corporation, association, organization or other group of persons violating any provision hereof or authorizing any such violation or any person who violates or in any way knowingly aids or abets the violation of any provision hereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or by imprisonment for not more than one year or by both such fine and imprisonment.



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~~2023~~ ☐ 8th day preceding election
☒ 30th day after election
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1. Name of Corporation/Organization: Committee Against Tax on Tax
2. Address: 272 Western Ave. Sherborn, MA 01770
3. Reporting Period: October 2024 to October 28, 2024
Month Day Year Month Day Year
4. Question No. 6 relating to CPA Surtax
(Describe question briefly)
submitted to the voters on 5 November 2024 in Sherborn
(Election Date) (Name of City/Town)

5. Expenditure(s) (attach additional pages if necessary):

Date Paid	To Whom Paid	Address	Purpose	Amount or Value*
8 Nov 24	Robert P. Johnson	272 Western Ave. Sherborn, MA 01770	Partial Loan Repayment	\$260.16
Total expenditures on this report				\$260.16
Total expenditures previously reported				\$1,254.84
Total expenditures to date				\$1,515.00

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OVER

6. Liabilities and promises to pay:

Date Made or Incurred*	To Whom Due	Address	Purpose	Amount**
Total liabilities on this report				0
Total liabilities previously reported and currently outstanding				0
Total outstanding liabilities***				0

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*** Final report must show zero liabilities.

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Signed under the penalties of perjury:

Robert P. Johnson Robert P. Johnson 9 Nov. 2024
Treasurer Signature Print Name Date

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