



Campaign Finance Disclosure Report

County, city and school candidates and ballot question committees, contact the office where you filed your nominating petition or ballot question petition to see what is required to be filed in that jurisdiction.

The Secretary of State's office is ministerial in filing and is not responsible for accuracy. It is the **Committee's responsibility** to provide accurate information.

WHO FILES this form with the Secretary of State's Office:

Committee Types

- Statewide Political Action Committees • Statewide Political Parties • Statewide Ballot Question Committees
- Statewide Candidate Committees • Legislative Candidate Committees • County and Auxiliary Political Parties

Political Committee Information

If you are a Candidate, list name as it appears on your nominating petition and what office you are seeking.

Candidate Name: _____

Full Name of Committee: New Approach South Dakota-Medical Cannabis

Office Sought: N/A

Type of Committee: Statewide Ballot Question Committee

Mailing Address: 241 N 7th Street, Emery, SD 57332

Committee Telephone Number: _____

Committee Email Address (if applicable): compassionate605@yahoo.com

Treasurer Name: Melissa Mentele

Treasurer Mailing Address (PO Box or Street): 241 N 7th Street Emery, SD 57332

Treasurer Telephone Number: (605) 299-6982 Treasurer Email Address: compassionate605@yahoo.com

If you are a **Ballot Question Committee**, indicate which measure the committee was involved with during the reporting period and whether the measure was supported or opposed.

Ballot Measure Number (if has been assigned): Not Yet Assigned Supporting? Opposing?

Type of Campaign Statement (you must select one):

Pre-Primary Pre-General Year-End Termination of Committee

You may also select one of the reports below in combination with a report above:

Amendment (for most recent report filed) Termination of Committee

No person may execute this report knowing it is false in any material respect. Any violation may be subject to a civil and/or criminal penalty. Any person who, with intent to defraud, falsely makes, completes, or alters a written instrument of any kind, or passes any forged instrument of any kind is guilty of forgery. Forgery is a Class 5 felony ([SDCL 22-39-36](#)). I also understand that failure to timely file any statement, amendment, or correction required subjects the Treasurer, who is responsible for filings under [SDCL 12-27](#), to a civil penalty of \$200.00 (county political parties and auxiliary organizations, \$50.00) for each violation ([SDCL 12-27-29.1](#)). Additional penalties not to exceed \$250 could be assessed [SDCL 12-27-29.4](#). I also understand that failure to timely file reports or pay penalties could result in the candidate not being certified for office ([SDCL 12-27-29.3](#)).

Date: Jan 26 2018 12:08PM document submitted electronically by Melissa Mentele
Signature of Treasurer

INCOME

Direct Contributions from Individuals

This section reports all contributions from individuals, including family members. If a family member contribution is over the limit for an individual (there are no limits on family member contributions), please make sure to designate next to the Contributor name that they are a family member. (SDCL 12-27-7 & 12-27-8)

Unitemized Direct Contributions from Individuals

This is the sum of all contributions of \$100.00 or less from individuals. (SDCL 12-27-24 (11))

Amount

TOTAL of all Unitemized Direct Contributions from Individuals: \$ 4,775.00

Itemized Direct Contributions from Individuals

Enter all itemized contributions of more than \$100.00 in the aggregate from each individual below (SDCL 12-27-24 (12)).

Example: Joe gave \$50.00 in a previous reporting period and gave \$100.00 in this reporting period so his contributions are now required to be itemized since his total amount contributed in the calendar year is more than \$100.00. His calendar year aggregate amount is now \$150.00. For this example \$100.00 would be disclosed.

Contributor Name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box, City, State, Zip Code)	City, State, Zip Code	Amount
Mark Mickelson	101 N Main Ave Ste 321	Sioux Falls, SD 57104	\$2,000.00
Tony Reider	601 W Broad Ave	Flandreau, SD 57028	\$500.00
Ronald Brandiet	1409 S Coates Rd	Sioux Falls, SD 57105	\$460.00
Melissa Mentele	241 N 7th Street	Emery , SD 57332	\$4,000.00
Jennifer Balzer-Klemp	30572 444 Ave	Mission Hill, SD 57046	\$100.00
Tom Wullstein	116 E Holly Blvd	Brandon, SD 57005	\$1,500.00
Wyatt & Sarah Brown	101 N Main Ave Ste: 321	Sioux Falls, SD 57104	\$145.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct Contributions from Individuals:			\$8,705.00

LOANS MADE TO THIS COMMITTEE (SDCL 12-27-24 (18))

Loan Contributor Name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box, City, State, Zip Code)	Amount
		\$0.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct Contributions from Individuals:		\$0.00

Direct Contributions from Entities

ALL political committees may receive direct contributions from entities (SDCL 12-27-7, 8, 9, 10, and 18) An entity is defined as any organized or unorganized association, business corporation, limited liability company, nonprofit corporation, limited liability partnership, limited liability limited partnership, limited partnership, partnership, cooperative, trust except for a trust account representing or containing only a contributor's personal funds, business trust, association, club, labor union, or collective bargaining organization; any local, state or national organization to which a labor organization pays membership or per capita fees, based upon its affiliation and membership; any trade or professional association that receives its funds from membership dues or service fees, whether organized inside or outside the state; any other entity of any kind, except a natural person that is, has been, or could be recognized by law; or any group of persons acting in concert that is not defined as a political committee in this chapter except, an entity is not a candidate, a public office holder, or a political committee.

*If you are a **ballot question committee**, which received a contribution from an entity, you must include with this report the **Ballot Question Contribution Statement** you received from the entity.

Entity name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box)	City, State and Zip Code	Amount
			\$0.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct Contributions from Entities:			\$0.00

Direct Contributions from Political Parties

A political party is defined by [SDCL 12-27-1 \(19\)](#). All contributions from Political Parties must be entered as a separate item, listing the required information below.

Political Party name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box)	City, State and Zip Code	Amount
			\$0.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct Contributions from Political Parties			\$0.00

Direct Contributions from In-State Political Action Committees

A political action committee (PAC) is defined by [SDCL 12-27-1 \(17\)](#). All contributions from In-State Political Action Committees must be entered as a separate item listing the required information below.

In-State PAC name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box)	City, State and Zip Code	Amount
			\$0.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct Contributions from In-State Political Action Committees:			\$0.00

Direct Contributions from Out-of-State or Federal Political Action Committees

All contributions must be itemized separately and include the PAC name and mailing address and also the name and website address of the filing office where the PAC regularly files their campaign finance report(s).

Examples: *Filing Office Name* = Federal Election Commission (FEC) and *Filing Website Address* = FEC.gov

Out-of-State or Federal PAC Name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box, City, State, Zip Code)	Filing Office Name	Filing Website Address	Amount
				\$0.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct contributions from Out-of-State or Federal Political Action Committees:				\$0.00

Direct Contributions from Ballot Question Committees

A ballot question committee is defined by [\(SDCL 12-27-1 \(2\)\)](#). All contributions from Ballot Question Committees must be entered as a separate item listing the required information below.

Ballot Question Committee Name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box)	City, State, Zip	Amount
Tuition4TechStudents	101 N main avenue, Suite 321	Sioux Falls, SD 57104	\$580.00
Protect Our Ballot SD	101 N. Main Avenue, Suite 321	Sioux Falls, SD 57104	\$1,208.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct Contributions from Ballot Question Committees:			\$1,788.00

Direct Contributions from Candidate Committees

A candidate committee is defined by [SDCL 12-27-1 \(3\)](#). All contributions from Candidate Committees must be entered as a separate item listing the required information below.

Candidate Committee name	Mailing Address (Street or PO Box)	City, State and Zip Code	Amount
			\$0.00
TOTAL of all Itemized Direct Contributions from Candidate Committees:			\$0.00

Other Income

This section reports all income received from any refunds, rebates, interest earned, sale of property, or other income which is not a direct contribution, during this reporting period. [SDCL 12-27-24 \(16\)](#).

Source of Income	Description	Amount
Donation Jar	Event Donation Jar	\$8,957.89
TOTAL of all Other Income:		\$8,957.89

Donated Goods or Services

A donated good or service is defined as a good or service provided at no charge or for less than its fair market value. The term does not include the value of services provided by a person as a volunteer for or on behalf of any candidate or political committee, including the free or discounted use of the volunteer's residence or office. [\(SDCL 12-27-1 \(12\)\)](#)

Name and Mailing Address (Street or PO Box, City, State, Zip Code)	Description	Amount
Young & Richards, 222 S Phillips Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Silent Auction Item	\$200.00
Bechtold Jewlery, 325 S Phillips Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Silent Auction Item	\$1,000.00
Childs Play Toys, 233 S Phillips Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Silent Auction Item	\$25.00
UnGlued, 218 S Phillips Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Silent Auction Item	\$50.00
Pepper Entertainment, Shriver Square, Sioux Falls, SD 57106	Silent Auction Item	\$40.00
Cheese World, 2210 W 69th St, Sioux Falls, SD 57108	Silent Auction Item	\$40.00
Libbie Seabourne, 3724 Kimberly Oaks Dr, Holiday , FL 34691	Silent Auction Items	\$70.00
Co-Op Natural Foods, 410 W 18th St, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Farm to Table Dinner Food	\$150.00
Kellie Bingen, 7th Street, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Silent Auction Item	\$75.00
Amber Jacobsen, 1818 E 3rd #308, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Silent Auction Items	\$145.00
Ronald Brandiet, 1409 S Coates Road, Sioux Falls, SD 57105	Silent Auction Items, Office Supplies, Office equipment,	\$3,800.00
Ned Horsted, 27058 Southeastern Ave., Sioux Falls, SD 57108	Farm to Table Facility Donation	\$2,500.00
Reina Parker , 5037 E 54th Street #5, Sioux Falls, SD 57103	Notary Services	\$1,800.00
Reina Parker, 5037 E 54th Street #5, Sioux Falls, SD 57103	Administrative Services 800 hours	\$14,400.00
Libbie Seabourne, 3724 Kimberly Oaks Dr, Holiday, FL 34691	Notary Services	\$1,800.00
Libbie Seabourne, 3724 Kimberly Oaks Dr, Holiday, FL 34691	Administrative Services 800 Hours	\$14,400.00
Angie Albonico, PO Box 4324, Spearfish, SD 57883	Notary Services	\$1,800.00
Rebekah Pett, PO Box 252, McIntosh, SD 57641	Administrative Services 800 hours	\$14,400.00
Bounce Around Inflatables, 46930 Cody Trail, Tea, SD 57064	Bounce House	\$150.00
Coco-Cola Bottling Company, 2301 S Minnesota Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57105	Soda & Water	\$360.00
Center for Equality, 910 N Main Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Tents, canopies, 4th of July Parade Supplies	\$2,900.00
Eugene Marken , 43444 264th St, Bridgewater, SD 57319	Float Trailer for 4th of July Parade	\$200.00
Carter Weiland, 402 N Main Ave , Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Farm to Table Dinner-Place settings, Chargers, Flatware & Water glasses	\$540.00
TOTAL of all Donated Goods or Services		\$60,845.00

Establishing and Administering Committee/Solicitation Costs

List a description and estimated value of funds or donations by an entity to its own political committee for establishing and administering the political committee and for any solicitation costs of the political committee. [SDCL 12-27-24 \(17\)](#)

Entity Name	Categorical Description	Amount
		\$0.00

EXPENDITURES

This section reports expenses that the committee has incurred. Categories have been provided for reporting common expenses. All other expenses should be listed.

OPERATIONAL EXPENDITURES (SDCL 12-27-24 (20))

Miscellaneous Expense Category is Prohibited

Categorical Description	Description	Amount
Do not list Independent Communication Expenditures here.		
Printing	Petitions, Handouts, Shirts, Business Cards	\$5,987.00
Postage		\$380.00
Rent		\$1,800.00
Office Supplies		\$745.00
Event Expenses	Booth Spaces & Event Fees	\$8,728.00
Travel		\$1,800.00
Event Expenses	Farm to Table Dinner	\$835.00
Event Expenses	Tabletop Supplies & Candy	\$1,323.00
Event Expenses	Marty Party Shirt Giveaway	\$60.00
Office Supplies	Vote Builder Access	\$900.00
Advertising		\$1,476.00
TOTAL of all Operational Expenditures:		\$24,034.00

Contributions Made to Candidates and/or Committees

This section reports all contributions that this committee has made to another candidate and/or committee.

Name of Candidate or Committee	Amount
	\$0.00
TOTAL of all Contributions to Other Candidates and/or Committees:	
	\$0.00

Independent Communication Expenditures

Lists the **NAME** of the candidate, public office holder, or ballot question related to the independent communication expenditure, the **AMOUNT SPENT** on each independent communication and a **DESCRIPTION** of the independent communication expenditure. ([SDCL 12-27-24 \(21\)](#))

[SDCL 12-27-1 \(11\)](#) is the definition of Independent Communication Expenditure: *an expenditure, including the payment of money or exchange of other valuable consideration or promise, made by a person, entity, or political committee for a communication concerning a candidate or a ballot question **which is not** made to, controlled by, coordinated with, requested by, or made upon consultation with that candidate, political committee or agent of a candidate or political committee.*

Name Candidate, Public Office Holder or Ballot Question Committee	Description of Communication	Amount
		\$0.00
TOTAL of all Expenditures for Communications:		\$0.00

Donated Goods or Services to Candidates or Committees

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Name and Mailing Address (Street or PO Box, City, State, Zip Code)	Description	Amount
		\$0.00
TOTAL amount of Donated Goods or Services to Candidates or Committees:		\$0.00

SUMMARY OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURES

Beginning Balance \$0.00

The beginning balance is \$0.00 for new committees. For existing committees, this beginning balance is the ending balance from the last report filed.

	INCOME	EXPENSES
INCOME TOTALS		
Unitemized Contributions	\$4,775.00	
Itemized Contributions	\$8,705.00	
Loans Made to this Committee	\$0.00	
Contributions from Entities	\$0.00	
Contributions from Political Parties	\$0.00	
Contributions from In-State Political Action Committees	\$0.00	
Contributions from Ballot Question Committees	\$1,788.00	
Contributions from Out-of-State or Federal Political Action Committees	\$0.00	
Contributions from Candidate Committees	\$0.00	
Other Income	\$8,957.89	
TOTAL of Income	\$24,225.89	
EXPENSE TOTALS		
Operational Expenditures		\$24,034.00
Contributions to Candidates and/or Committees		\$0.00
Independent Communication Expenditures		\$0.00
TOTAL of Expenses		\$24,034.00
<i>The ending balance cannot be negative</i>		
ENDING BALANCE		\$191.89
<i>If this is a Termination Report, the ending balance must be zero and there cannot be any outstanding debts, obligations or loans.</i>		

Below is the total of non-cash transactions conducted during the reporting period. These amounts **do not** calculate into the **ENDING BALANCE** above.

Donated Good or Services Received		\$60,845.00
Donated Goods or Services to Candidates and Committees		\$0.00

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