



# Oklahoma Ethics Commission

## 2020: Local Political Party Committee Reporting County, Congressional District & Other Non-State Level Political Party Committees

Local party committees are only required to file a Statement of Organization and file reports when the committee makes:

- (1) a contribution of any amount to a state candidate committee;
- (2) an independent expenditure (“IE”); or
- (3) an electioneering communication (“EC”).

An additional report may be required for (2) or (3). See the IE and EC Calendar at the bottom of the page.

**Due Dates:** Look at the “Calendar Quarter” column and select the quarter that includes the date of the expenditure requiring the report. To determine what dates are included on the report, see the information below the calendar.

POLITICAL PARTY COMMITTEE REPORTING CALENDAR		
REPORTS DUE BETWEEN	CALENDAR QUARTERS	TYPE OF REPORT DUE
April 1 – April 30, 2020	January 1 – March 31, 2020	1st Quarter Contributions and Expenditures
July 1 – July 31, 2020	April 1 – June 30, 2020	2nd Quarter Contributions and Expenditures
October 1 – October 31, 2020	July 1 – September 30, 2020	3rd Quarter Contributions and Expenditures
January 1 – January 31, 2021	October 1 – December 31, 2020	4th Quarter Contributions and Expenditures

**1<sup>st</sup> Report of Calendar Year.** The report will cover all committee activity from January 1st through the last day of the calendar quarter.

**2<sup>nd</sup> and Subsequent Reports During a Calendar Year.** The period covered in this report will begin with the day that follows the last date covered by the immediately preceding report (April 1, July 1, or October 1) and will end on the last day of the quarter.

**Example 1:** Committee X makes a contribution to candidate John Doe on May 4, 2020. Committee X has a report due between July 1 and July 31, 2020. The report will cover all contributions and expenditures made from January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020. No further reports are required this calendar year if no other triggering expenses are made.

**Example 2:** Continuing with the example above, Committee X makes an additional contribution to candidate Mary Doe on October 15, 2019. Committee X has a report due between January 1 and January 31, 2020. The period covered in this report will be July 1 - December 31, 2019.

INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES & ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS REPORTS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The extra reports below will be triggered when making Independent Expenditures or Electioneering Communications of \$5,000 or more in the aggregate prior to an election.</li> <li>• Once the \$5,000 threshold is met, all expenditures for IEs or ECs must be reported regardless of amount.</li> </ul>	
PERIOD COVERED / IEs OR ECs MADE BETWEEN:	IE/EC REPORTS DUE BETWEEN
On or Prior to June 15, 2020	June 16, 2020 – June 22, 2020
Between June 16, 2020 – June 30, 2020	Next business day reporting
JUNE 30, 2020 - PRE-PRIMARY ELECTION	
On or Prior to August 10, 2020 and not previously reported	August 11, 2020 – August 17, 2020
Between August 11, 2020 – August 25, 2020	Next business day reporting
AUGUST 25, 2020 - RUNOFF PRIMARY ELECTION	
On or Prior to October 19, 2020 and not previously reported	October 20, 2020 – October 26, 2020
Between October 20, 2020 – November 3, 2020	Next business day reporting
NOVEMBER 3, 2020 - GENERAL ELECTION	