

## OKLAHOMA ETHICS COMMISSION

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel., OKLAHOMA ETHICS COMMISSION,	)	
Petitioner,	)	
v.	)	CASE NO. CV-2019-298
LUCAS CRAIG CANNON, Individually And as Candidate and Treasurer, CANNON FOR HOUSE 2018; and CANNON FOR HOUSE 2018,	) ) ) )	In the District Court of Oklahoma County
Respondents.	)	

## SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

The captioned case was filed by the Oklahoma Ethics Commission ("Commission"), against Lucas Craig Cannon and Cannon for House 2018 ("Respondents") on February 8, 2019. NOW, THEREFORE, the Commission and the Respondents agree as follows:

- On May 22, 2018, Lucas Craig Cannon, a candidate for State Representative, District 26, for the 2018 general election, registered with the Commission a candidate committee named "Cannon for House 2018," naming himself as Candidate and Treasurer of the 2018 committee.
- 2. The 2018 committee failed to timely file a 2018 Pre-General Election Report, and on November 08, 2018, the Commission issued a proposed compliance order. The proposed compliance order provided a 30-day period to request a hearing on the proposed compliance order before an administrative law judge, but no hearing was requested.
- A final order was issued by the Commission on December 20, 2018, assessing a \$100 compliance fee for failing to timely file the 2018 Pre-General Election Report.

- 4. The 2018 committee failed to file a 2018 Pre-Runoff Election Report and on August 27, 2018, the Commission issued a proposed compliance order. The proposed compliance order provided a 30-day period to request a hearing on the proposed compliance order before an administrative law judge, but no hearing was requested.
- 5. A final order was issued by the Commission on October 4, 2018, assessing a \$1,000 late fee for failing to file the Pre-Runoff Election Report.
- 6. The Commission agrees to dismiss with prejudice the pending district court action in consideration of Respondent paying to the Commission as follows:
  - a. Respondent will pay \$125 the first day of each month beginning June 1, 2019, with the last monthly payment due on May 1, 2020, which total amount includes the \$1,100 compliance fees and \$400.00 in attorney fees and costs incurred by the Commission.
  - b. If any monthly payment is late, an additional \$30 fee shall be due for each month a payment is late.
  - Respondent will be responsible for all attorney fees and costs incurred by the
    Commission for his breach of this settlement agreement.
- 7. This agreement shall become effective as of the date that all parties have executed this agreement and the Commission has approved this agreement at an official meeting.
- 8. This agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties on the matters raised within, and no other statement, promise, or agreement, either written or oral, made by either party or by agents of either party, that is not contained within this written agreement shall be enforceable.

9. This settlement agreement is limited to the facts of this case. This settlement agreement shall not have binding precedential effect for any other matter currently pending before the Commission or that may come before the Commission at a future date.

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**Executive Director** 

FOR THE RESPONDENTS:

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