

Fair Campaign Practices Commission

AGENDA FOR FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES COMMISSION

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Civic Center
2180 Milvia St.
Cypress Room (1st Floor)

Special Meeting
February 6, 2020
7:00 p.m.

Secretary: Samuel Harvey, Deputy City Attorney

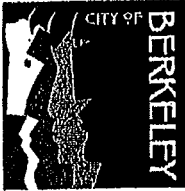
The Commission may act on any item on this agenda

1. Call to Order 7:00 p.m.
2. Roll Call.
3. Public Comment. *Comments on subjects not on the agenda that are within the Commission's purview are heard at the beginning of meeting. Speakers may comment on agenda items when the Commission hears those items.*
4. Public Campaign Financing Program certification application for Alexander Sharenko; discussion and possible action.
5. Adjournment.

Communications

None

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City Clerk Department

DATE: February 6, 2020
TO: FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES COMMISSION
FROM: Mark Numainville, City Clerk
SUBJECT: Certification of Public Financing Program Participant

Pursuant to the Fair Elections Act of 2016, the Fair Campaign Practices Commission is required to certify candidates as participants in the City's public financing program. As of January 31, 2020 the following request has been received and is recommended for approval by staff as noted:

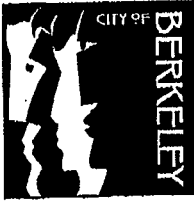
Application for Participation/Qualifying Request for Funds; Matching Request for Funds	
Submitted By:	Alex Sharenko
Qualified Contributions:	\$2,500
Eligible Matching Funds:	\$15,000
Recommendation:	Certify candidate to participate in the program. Approve 6:1 matching public funds in an amount not to exceed \$15,000.

Basic glossary of terms:

Application for Participation	Required form for participating candidates that certifies they will follow the regulations and requirements of the program.
Qualifying Request	In order to qualify to receive public matching funds, a candidate must collect at least 30 contributions (from 30 unique contributors) of at least \$10 totaling \$500.
Matching Request	Campaign committees participating in the Public Financing Program submit a Matching Request with all required documentation in order to receive Public Matching Funds.
Qualified Contribution	A contribution that is eligible for the 6-to-1 match from the Fair Elections Fund. A Qualified Contribution is a contribution of \$50 or less from a natural person resident of Berkeley.

Attachments

1. Alex Sharenko: Application, Qualifying and Matching Request



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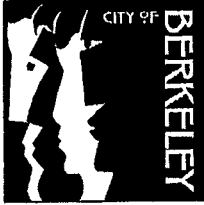
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FAIR ELECTIONS ACT FORM

**APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION
IN PUBLIC FINANCING PROGRAM**

(Berkeley Municipal Code Chapter 2.12 – Election Reform Act)

OFFICE SOUGHT		
OFFICE City Council	COUNCIL DISTRICT (IF APPLICABLE) 2	
ELECTION CYCLE 11/03/2020		
CANDIDATE INFORMATION		
LAST Sharenko	FIRST Alexander	M.I.
COMMITTEE INFORMATION		
NAME OF CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE Alex Sharenko for Council 2020		FPPC I.D. No. 1422286
CANDIDATE CERTIFICATION		
<p>Under penalty of perjury, I hereby certify:</p> <p>I have complied with the restrictions of Berkeley Municipal Code Chapter 2.12 (Election Reform Act) during the election cycle to date; and</p> <p>My campaign committee has filed all campaign finance reports required by law during the election cycle to date and that they are complete and accurate; and</p> <p>I will comply with the requirements of Chapter 2.12 during the remainder of the election cycle and, specifically, if certified as an eligible participating candidate, will comply with the requirements applicable to participating candidates.</p>		
Alexander Sharenko CANDIDATE SIGNATURE		01/13/2020 DATE SIGNED



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**FAIR ELECTIONS ACT FORM
INITIAL QUALIFYING DECLARATION FOR PUBLIC FUNDS
BY CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR OR CITY COUNCIL**

OFFICE SOUGHT			
OFFICE City Council		COUNCIL DISTRICT (IF APPLICABLE) District 2	
ELECTION CYCLE 11/03/2020			
COMMITTEE INFORMATION			
NAME OF CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE Alex Sharenko for Council 2020		FPPC I.D. No. 1422286	
STREET ADDRESS		APARTMENT/SUITE/FLOOR	
CITY Berkeley	STATE CA	ZIP CODE 94710	
TELEPHONE (404) 312-4481	EMAIL ADDRESS alexD2berkeley@gmail.com		
CANDIDATE DECLARATION			
I hereby declare that the following information is true and correct:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All information on the attached Qualified Contribution Receipts is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. • I understand that the Commission shall verify that the qualified contributions meet all of the requirements and restrictions prior to the disbursement of funds. • I understand that if I submit any contributions that are not from the person(s) identified on the receipt I shall be liable to pay the Fair Elections Fund the entire amount in addition to any penalties. • All Qualified Contributions, of any dollar amount, eligible for matching Fair Elections funds must be publically disclosed with the contributor information required under Sections 2.12.280 and 2.12.283. • I understand that all campaign filings must be current in order for a disbursement of Fair Election funds to be released. 			
Alexander Sharenko CANDIDATE SIGNATURE		01/22/2020 DATE SIGNED	

INITIAL QUALIFYING REQUEST FOR FAIR ELECTIONS FUNDS PAYMENT

In order to participate in the Public Financing Program, a candidate must collect at least 30 Qualified Contributions from at least 30 unique contributors of at least \$10.00 and no more than \$50.00 each, for a total dollar amount of at least \$540.00.

All approved Qualified Contributions are matched at a 6:1 ratio. For all public matching funds requests, a candidate must submit the following documentation:

- Qualified Contributions List (below).
- Receipt for Qualified Contribution for Fair Elections Funds.
- Evidence of each contribution received, such as electronic copies of contributor checks, credit card authorizations, or online payment receipts.
- Electronic copies of itemized deposit slips.
- Complete contributor information (full name, address, occupation, and employer) as required by BERA and the Political Reform Act.

Last Name	First Name	Address	Zip Code, City	Occupation	Employer	Payment Method	Date Received	Date Deposited	Deposit Batch #	Amount of Contribution
1. Kordich	Catherine		94702 Berkeley	Teacher/Counselor	The College Preparatory School	Check	01/02/2020	01/04/2020	4	50.00
2. Smith	Douglas		94702 Berkeley	retired	N/A	Check	01/02/2020	01/04/2020	4	50.00
3. Aurilio	Sabina		94709 Berkeley	Educational Therapist	Head-Royce School	Check	01/01/2020	01/04/2020	4	50.00
4. O'Shaughnessy	Kathryn		94702 Berkeley	Author	self, Berkeley	Check	12/23/2019	01/04/2020	4	50.00
5. Denny-Brown	Chris		94702 Berkeley	Solar Project Manager	Neatgrid, Inc.	Check	12/23/2019	01/04/2020	4	50.00
6. Everett	Erica		94710 Berkeley	Administrator	Mason Investigative Group	Check	12/06/2019	01/04/2020	4	50.00
7. Donaldson	Steven		94706 Berkeley	Marketing and Branding Consultant	Radiant Brands	Check	12/06/2019	01/04/2020	4	50.00
8. Mason	Eric		94710 Berkeley	Investigator	Mason Investigative Group	Check	12/02/2019	01/04/2020	4	50.00
9. McDunn	Dan		94708 Berkeley	General Contractor	McDunn Construction	Check	12/01/2019	01/04/2020	4	50.00
10. Davis	Danette		94710 Berkeley	Orientation and Mobility Specialist	Lighthouse for the Blind	Check	11/30/2019	01/04/2020	4	50.00
11. LaMond	Stephen		94710 Berkeley	Vice President, Business Development	Hannal Ventures	Check	11/26/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
12. Walker	Robert		94710 Berkeley	retired architect	n/a	Check	11/24/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
13. Marzer	Wilhelmina		94703 Berkeley	Executive Director	MSCI	Check	11/23/2019	01/27/2020	3	50.00
14. Heine	Christopher		94703 Berkeley	Therapist	Alameda Family Services	Check	11/23/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
15. Douglas	Jefferson		94710 Berkeley	scientist	Bayer Healthcare	Check	11/22/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
Subtotals										750.00

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16. Bretin	Julie		94710 Berkeley	Buyer	Sears	Check	11/22/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
17. Cohen	Michael		94705 Berkeley	Innovation Ecosystem Developer	UC Berkeley	Check	11/20/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
18. Thagard	Elizabeth		94704 Berkeley	Teacher	Willow Garden Preschool and Urban Farm	Check	11/20/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
19. Buswell-Charko	Joshua		94702 Berkeley	Campaign Director	California Solar and Storage Association	Check	11/14/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
20. Hacker	Danielle		94710 Berkeley	self-employed	Danielle Rose Art, Berkeley, CA	Check	11/14/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
21. Teitelbaum	Jacob		94710 Berkeley	Designer	Wells Fargo	Check	11/14/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
22. Schirner	Kyle		94708 Berkeley	Attorney	Schirner Law Firm, PC	Check	11/13/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
23. Murphy	Stephen		94709 Berkeley	Attorney	Alameda County	Check	11/12/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
24. Barker	Carla-Jean		94710 Berkeley	Coach and Insurance Broker	CJB Insurance Services, Inc.	Check	11/10/2019	11/27/2019	3	50.00
25. Vincent	Laurin		94702 Berkeley	Project Manager	Genetech	Check	11/10/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
26. Vincent	Jeff		94702 Berkeley	Researcher	UC Berkeley	Check	11/10/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
27. Sanderson	Debra		94705 Berkeley	retired	N/A	Check	11/10/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
28. Trachtenberg	David		94705 Berkeley	Architect	Trachtenberg Architects	Check	11/09/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
29. Trachtenberg	Elizabeth		94705 Berkeley	scientist	retired	Check	11/09/2019	01/15/2020	2	50.00
30. Crandall	Kathleen		94705 Berkeley	Realtor	Better Home and Gardens	Check	11/09/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
31. Gerhardtstein	Benjamin		94702 Berkeley	Public Health Specialist	Center for Disease Control and Prevention	Check	11/09/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
32. Lomax	Geoffrey		94709 Berkeley	Research Administrator	State of California	Check	11/09/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
33. Furrow	Matthew		94708 Berkeley	Lecturer	UC Berkeley	Check	11/09/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
34. Furrow	Margaret		94708 Berkeley	Designer	VSCO	Check	11/09/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
35. Bellomo	Ana		94707 Berkeley	Real Estate Agent	District Homes	Check	11/07/2019	11/15/2019	2	50.00
36. Kowal	Deborah		94710 Berkeley	retired	N/A	Check	11/05/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
Subtotals										1,050.00

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37. Lee-Egan	Christopher		94702 Berkeley	Software Engineer	Google	Check	11/03/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
38. Lee-Egan	Elizabeth		94702 Berkeley	Graphic Designer	The Sierra Club	Check	11/03/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
39. Berg	Ivor		94710 Berkeley	Editor	UCSF	Check	11/03/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
40. Watson	Elizabeth		94708 Berkeley	Realtor	Abio Properties	Check	11/03/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
41. Blair-Johns	Nigel		94708 Berkeley	Manager	Micro Focus LLC	Check	11/03/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
42. Kromer	John		94710 Berkeley	Engineer	SKKEE	Check	11/03/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
43. Gould	Harvey		94708 Berkeley	retired	N/A	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
44. Guide	Michele		94710 Berkeley	engineer/scientist	polySpectra	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
45. Gould	Ben		94704 Berkeley	Sustainability Analyst	City and County of San Francisco	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
46. Levy	Lynette		94708 Berkeley	retired	N/A	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
47. Talbot	Andrew		94710 Berkeley	Software Engineering Manager	Elation Health	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
48. Erbe	Jacqueline		94710 Berkeley	Project Manager	Workshop1	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
49. Andrew	Todd		94707 Berkeley	Realtor	Red Oak Realty	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
50. Falck	Timothy		94702 Berkeley	Product Specialist	Thomson Reuters	Check	11/02/2019	11/07/2019	1	50.00
Subtotals										700.00
Grand Totals										2,500.00