Fair Political Practices Commission Local Candidates and Officeholders (Including Superior Court Judges) and Committees Primarily Formed to Support/Oppose Local Candidates or Measures Not Being Voted on in 2013

Deadline	Period	Form	Notes
Jan 31, 2013 Semi-Annual	thru – 12/31/12	<u>460</u>	 All committees must file this report by mail or personal delivery.
Jul 31, 2013 Semi-Annual	1/1/13 – 6/30/13	<u>460</u> <u>470</u>	 All committees must file this report by mail or personal delivery. Candidates/Officeholders: See Form 470 note below.
Jan 31, 2014 Semi-Annual	7/1/13 – 12/31/13	<u>460</u>	 All committees must file this report by mail or personal delivery.

- Period Covered: The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.
- Officeholders whose salaries are less than \$200/month and judges: These officials do not have to file the semi-annual statements if no contributions were received or expenditures made during the period.
- Form 470: Candidates/officeholders who do not have a committee and do not raise/spend \$1,000 in 2013 may file an annual Form 470 on or before July 31, 2013. No additional filings required in 2013.
- Local Elections: If making payments in connection with another election, check the appropriate filing schedule and ordinance, if any.
- Public Documents: All forms are public documents and subject to late penalties. Campaign manuals and instructional materials available at <u>www.fppc.ca.gov</u>, click on the <u>Campaign</u> link.
- Effective January 1, 2013, the following legislation takes effect. Check the FPPC website for updates:
 - Local agencies may require electronic filings. (AB 2452)
 - All committees required to file Form 410 must pay a \$50 annual fee to the Secretary of State to fund improvements in the electronic filing system.
 (SB 1001)
- If a committee is making independent expenditures/contributions in connection with another election, refer to that election filing schedule. In 2013, new reporting rules are in effect.

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Additional Reports

A candidate or ballot measure committee that makes political payments in connection with other elections may be required to file additional reports:

- 460 Ballot Measure Quarterly Report: Prior to the semi-annual period in which the measure(s) supported or opposed is being voted upon, primarily formed ballot measure committees must file quarterly campaign statements in addition to semi-annual statements. Following the election, quarterly statements may also be required.
- 465 Supplemental Independent Expenditure Report: Committees that make independent expenditures of \$1,000 or more to another candidate or measure file this report. Candidates see prohibition on previous page.
- 496 Independent Expenditure Report: File if an independent expenditure of \$1,000 or more is made in connection with a candidate or measure being voted on in another city, county or state election in 2013.
- <u>497</u> **Contribution Report:** File if a contribution of \$1,000 or more is made in connection with a candidate or measure being voted on in **another** city, county or special state election, or **made to a political party committee** 90 days before a special state election in 2013.
- Forms 496 and 497 are due within 24 hours and are required 90 days prior to an election.