



STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION
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September 3, 2024

Mark Hinkle
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No Action Closure Letter Re: FPPC No. 2022-00702; Silicon Valley Taxpayers Association

Dear Mark Hinkle:

The Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act (the "Act").¹ This letter is in response to a sworn complaint that alleged you and Silicon Valley Taxpayers Association failed to include proper disclosures on advertisements delivered on or about August 27, 2022. After conducting our investigation and review of the case, the Enforcement Division was unable to confirm who was responsible for the advertisements, thus there is insufficient evidence to prove a violation of the Act for these advertisements. Therefore, we are closing this matter without further action.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me at 916-327-6358 or arose@fppc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Alex J Rose

Alex J. Rose,
Senior Commission Counsel
Enforcement Division

¹ The Political Reform Act is contained in Government Code §§ 81000 through 91014, and all statutory references are to this code. The regulations of the Fair Political Practice Commission are contained in §§ 181104 through 18998 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, and all regulatory references are to this source.