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Mr. Jordan,

This letter is in response to MUR 6512 that was filed with the Federal Election Commission. In this matter, upon our further examination, we admit to the mistake being alleged. The Lapeer County Democratic Party has had a change in leadership and the present leadership was unaware of the allegation until the Federal Election Commission brought it to our attention. It was not our intention nor purpose to circumvent any Federal or State election campaign financing laws, and are deeply sorry that this has occurred.

We are determined to never let this happen again. To that regard we are taking the following actions to ensure it doesn't.

1. We will make it mandatory for the Party Chair and Treasurer to attend appropriate workshops on campaign finance reporting and laws.
2. We will make sure that when there is a change in leadership that the new leaders will be informed and updated on campaign finance rules and regulations.
3. To appoint an independent individual to oversee the Party's campaign fund to ensure that State and Federal laws are being followed.
4. To implement any and all actions and/or suggestions from the Federal Election Commission.

We await your determination in this matter.

Sincerely,



Gary Medland

Lapeer County Democratic Party Chair

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