



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
 Washington, D.C. 20463

1 **MEMORANDUM**

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 3 **TO:** The Commission
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 17 **DATE:** December 6, 2022
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 19 **SUBJECT:** MUR 7429 (Flinn for Congress f/k/a Friends of George Flinn)
 20 Recommendation to Accept Signed Conciliation Agreement
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 23 On May 26, 2022, the Commission found reason to believe that Flinn for Congress,
 24 formerly known as Friends of George Flinn, and its treasurer (the "Committee") violated
 25 52 U.S.C. § 30104(b)(5)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 104.3(b)(4)(i) by failing to properly disclose the
 26 purpose of certain disbursements.¹ The Commission also authorized pre-probable cause to
 27 believe conciliation and approved a conciliation agreement
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33 We recommend that the Commission
 34 accept the negotiated agreement and close the file.

¹ Certification ¶ 2.a (May 27, 2022).

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24 In sum, the negotiated agreement represents an acceptable resolution of the matter. We
25 therefore recommend that the Commission accept the signed conciliation agreement with the
26 Committee. Finally, we recommend that the Commission close the file in this matter.

27 **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

- 28 1. Accept the attached signed conciliation agreement;
- 29 2. Approve the appropriate letter; and
- 30 3. Close the file.

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