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Hi Peter

Off the Record subject to verification of what you are after!

Happy to provide you details by March 24th. I'm assuming you just want a broad overview. You're not expecting the exact line by line numbers as would be lodged formally 30 days after the election.

In regards to my funding I dont have the fine detail, as I tried to stay away from it so as to maintain my integrity.

As it stands at the moment.

- Family fiends Jim & Suzy Kinsell from Surfers Inkspot have donated all my printing (approx value \$14,000) ✓
 - Turner Sands Design have done my artwork and design at no charge, approx value \$3,000 (Joe Sands and I worked together at Sea Fm) ✓
 - I raised approx \$8,500 at my Campaign launch through out-right donations, a raffle and auction (I had a 140 guests turn up on the night) ✓
 - I've received one large donation from a personal friend for \$5,000 (source to be confirmed) ✓
 - Another mate has loaned me the use of a 1989 Tarago ("the Rob-mobile") as a campaign vehicle for 7 weeks (approx value "Rent-a-wreck at \$25/day say \$1225.00) ✓
 - So far Melinda and I have spent approx \$6,000 of our own money and I expect to kick in another \$10,000 to \$15,000 personally depending what else comes in (most of this expense is advertising in the Local Newsletter, GC Sun, Bulletin and radio) ✓
- Total Campaign Value approx \$55,000.00 ✓

Is this the kind of detail and information you want? I can get my Campaign Manager to contact you for a more detailed break-down.

Warmest regards



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Hi Peter

Have called several times this week and you have either been busy or out!!!! Not sure why you haven't received my Email in response to your letter of March 9 regards funding, donations by individuals and companies.

Enjoyed the piece in this mornings Bulletin! A couple of weeks ago you had Peter Keech linked to the group and now it's me! Further to our conversation this morning here is the information previously sent to via Email regards my campaign funding.

My fundraising is being handled by two friends Kevin Nichol (55282000) - Quill Group Business Accountants Seabank Building - Southport. and Simon Mills (55976888) - London Music Group, Ashmore. About twelve months ago I met with Paul Stevens then CEO for some advice on running for council and information about the process. The best advice he gave was get someone else to do your fundraising so you won't be compromised.

Spoke to my team this morning and here's a breakdown of my support so far (approx figures, final figure to be declared 30 days after election).

Cash

- Raised \$8,500 at Campaign Launch, 140 people attended the evening last November - (\$6,000 in donations, the balance via a raffle and auction).
- One-off donation \$5000 friend from at church.
- So far Melinda and I have spent approx \$6,000 of our own money on miscellaneous and distribution costs and expect to outlay another \$10,000 to \$15,000 to cover advertising in the GC Sun, GC Bulletin, Sea Fm, Gold Fm, Hot Tomato and 4CRB.

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In Kind

- Printing donated Jim and Suzy Kinsel Surfers Inkspot. approx so far \$18,000 (Jim and I have been mates for some time, met at a Conrad's Golf Day about 6 years ago).
- Artwork and Design - Turner Sands Southport, approx value \$3,000 (Joe Sands and I worked together at Sea Fm & Gold Fm).
- Loan of 1989 Tarago, Greg Scott, Grand Motors Toyota (approx value at \$25/day \$1225.00).

Kingmakers, Night Club Operators, Pimps, other Candidates – \$0.00/NIL to date, but would welcome any support, my address is in the phone book.

As an aside I congratulate the Bulletin on today's editorial, we do need teamwork in Council, we need the business community to get behind like-minded people with a passion for this city and the courage to get on with making the right decisions! We need greater accountability in every layer of Council. People only respect what you inspect, if elected I intend asking the hard questions!

In regards to my campaign, please find attached a breakdown of my Campaign Budget. I make no apology for committing substantial resources to my election campaign. I've spent almost twenty years in the media and am passionate about the importance of getting one's message across and presenting oneself as professionally as possible.

Please feel free to contact me should you require further clarification on any matters.

Yours sincerely



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