



MEMORANDUM

TO: Anne Morgan, City Attorney  
Peter Einhorn, Ethics Commission  
Cathy Morgan  
Don Zimmerman

FROM: Jannette Goodall, City Clerk *JG*

DATE: August 31, 2016

SUBJECT: Sworn Complaint

The attached sworn complaint was received on August 30, 2016 in the Office of the City Clerk. It was filed by Cathy Morgan against Don Zimmerman.

Per City Code, Chapter 2-7-41(D), this letter serves as the Office of the City Clerk's acknowledgement that the complaint was received and as notice to all those named above, as required in the code.

Attachment

AUSTIN CITY CLERK  
RECEIVED

**ETHICS REVIEW COMMISSION**  
**CHAPTER 2-7 CITY CODE**  
**COMPLAINT**

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NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING COMPLAINT: Cathy Morgan  
MAILING ADDRESS: 12302 Saber Trail, Austin, TX 78750  
PHONE NUMBER: 512-335-7613  
EMAIL ADDRESS: [REDACTED]

PLEASE FILE A SEPARATE COMPLAINT FORM FOR EACH PERSON  
COMPLAINED AGAINST.

NAME OF PERSON COMPLAINED AGAINST: Don Zimmerman  
CITY OFFICE, DEPARTMENT, COMMISSION: City Council Member  
MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1088, Austin, TX 78767  
PHONE NUMBER [IF KNOWN]: [REDACTED]  
EMAIL ADDRESS [IF KNOWN]:

The Ethics Review Commission has jurisdiction to hear complaints alleging violation(s) of  
the following provisions:

- City Code, Chapter 2-1, Section 2-1-24 (City Boards, Conflict of Interest and Recusal)
- City Code, Chapter 2-2 (Campaign Finance)
- City Code, Chapter 2-7 (Ethics and Financial Disclosure), except for Article 6 (Anti-lobbying and Procurement)
- City Code, Chapter 4-8 (Regulation of Lobbyists)
- City Charter, Article III, Section 8 (Limits on Campaign Contributions and Expenditures)

PLEASE LIST EACH ALLEGED VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE CITY CODE AND  
CHARTER PROVISIONS SEPARATELY ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

I.

SECTION OF CHARTER OR ORDINANCE VIOLATED: 2-2-14 (B)

DATE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION: August, 2016

ACTIONS ALLEGED TO BE A VIOLATION: campaign flyer

The required disclaimer on the flyer/pamphlet  
is modified to read: "This campaign has not  
agreed to comply with the contribution and  
expenditure limits of the Austin so-called "Fair"  
Campaign Chapter."  
(The words were underlined by me. Cathy Morgan)

WITNESSES OR EVIDENCE THAT WOULD BE PRESENTED: \_\_\_\_\_

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II.

SECTION OF CHARTER OR ORDINANCE VIOLATED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION: \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION: \_\_\_\_\_

ACTIONS ALLEGED TO BE A VIOLATION:

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DATE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION: \_\_\_\_\_

ACTIONS ALLEGED TO BE A VIOLATION:

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USING THE SAME FORMAT]

ALL THE STATEMENTS AND INFORMATION IN THIS COMPLAINT ARE TRUE  
AND FACTUAL TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

DATE: August 30, 2016

Catherine E. Morgan  
COMPLAINANT'S SIGNATURE

Cathy Morgan  
PRINT NAME

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TRAVIS

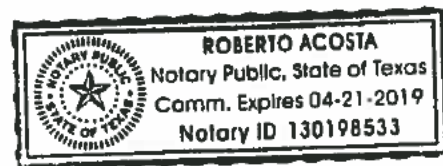
This instrument was acknowledged, sworn to and subscribed before me by

CATHERINE E. MORGAN

On the 30TH day of AUGUST, 2016, to certify which  
witness my hand and official seal.

Roberto Acosta  
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

ROBERTO ACOSTA  
Typed or Printed Name of Notary



THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK.



# Re-Elect DON ZIMMERMAN

*"Taxpayer Friendly"*

for **Austin City Council District 6**

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- Led transportation Bond demand for \$30M in District 6 vehicle congestion relief
- Opened and staffed local Council District constituent service office — a FIRST in Austin's history
- Led constituent's defeat of an Austin forced annexation — a FIRST in Austin's history
- Led Austin voter's defeat of unaffordable Travis County downtown courthouse
- Started serious investigation of Austin Energy's biomass (wood burning) boondoggle

## GOALS:

- Replace incumbent City Manager with customer service business executive
- Aggressively pursue congestion relief with Travis/Wilco and TxDOT!
- Privatize Trash and Recycling to spend less and get more!
- Replace Austin Energy with lower cost Consumer-focused Electricity Choice!



Encouraging young Boy Scouts in District 6

Supporting District 6 local neighborhoods—Avery Ranch Festival of Colors



Speaking at American Legion of Texas Boys State



Appointing diverse, highly qualified people like Arif Panju, Historical Landmark Commission.



Celebrating family life: 7th wedding anniversary with wife Jenny & son William Chase Zimmerman

**Compassion for taxpayers, *not* bureaucrats and corporations**  
**Re-elect Don Zimmerman to Austin City Council District 6**

Go online or call today! [www.DonZimmerman.org](http://www.DonZimmerman.org), 512-655-2929

Political Ad Paid for by Austinites-for-Zimmerman, Tim Kelly, Treasurer. This campaign has not agreed to comply with the contribution and expenditure limits of the Austin so-called "Fair" Campaign Chapter



Re-Elect Don Zimmerman, Austin Council District 6

Election: Tuesday, November 8th, 2016

Early Voting: Oct. 24th – Nov. 4th, 2016

Campaign office: 10401 Anderson Mill Rd, #116  
(512) 655-2929

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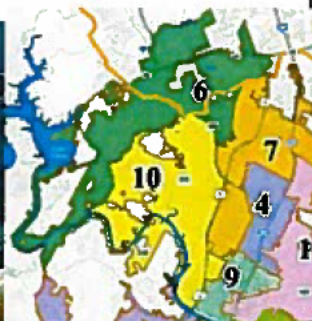
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***Many 2014 Council Candidates Promised to  
open Local District Offices...***



***... Council Member Don Zimmerman is the  
only one who did, in early 2015***