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**U.S. House of Representatives**  
COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET  
Washington, DC 20515

March 15, 2017

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COMMITTEE  
HOUSE ADMINISTRATION

Honorable Gregg Harper  
Chairman  
Committee on House Administration  
1309 Longworth Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman:

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting our monthly report for February 2017. Including:

- A summary of Committee activities for February;
- A statement of Committee expenses and the Fund Balance Statement;
- A list of Committee employees with gross monthly salaries.

Also, for your information, the Committee had no consultant fees in the month of February.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Diane Black".

Diane Black  
Chairman



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COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET  
Washington, DC 20515

# COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET ACTIVITIES REPORT – February 2017

The Budget Committee conducted general administrative and legislative business as usual during the month of February.

On Thursday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Committee held a hearing on the “The Congressional Budget Office’s Budget and Economic Outlook.”

**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on the Budget**

**Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date**  
**February**

<b>Total Authorization</b>		
114-2		<b>\$5,190,212.00</b>
<b>Less Expenses for:</b>		
January	2016	\$314,028.71
February		\$367,916.43
March		\$381,205.28
April		\$366,986.70
May		\$337,664.00
June		\$339,428.41
July		\$354,170.19
August		\$321,944.74
September		\$373,082.82
October		\$333,818.55
November		\$362,333.06
December		\$354,061.72
January	2017	\$30,909.99
February		\$9,813.23
<b>Total Expenses to Date:</b>		<b>\$4,247,363.83</b>
<b>Unexpended authorization</b>		<b>\$942,848.17</b>

**U.S. House of Representatives  
Committee on the Budget**

**Monthly Statement by Paid Date  
114-2 February**

Description	YTD Including		Cumulative Total
	February	February	
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$0.00	\$21,559.75	\$3,841,034.42
Accrued Leave	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$34,698.06
Bonus	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	\$75,641.00
Other Lump Sum	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,111.11
<b>11-Personnel Compensation subtotal</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$22,559.75</b>	<b>\$3,954,484.59</b>
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$864.28
Witness Travel/Related Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,387.78
<b>21-Travel subtotal</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$2,252.06</b>
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$282.00	\$3,482.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$574.75	\$7,177.00
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$3,095.22	\$37,817.38
Postage/Courier/Box rental	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$22.95
<b>23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$3,951.97</b>	<b>\$48,499.33</b>
Printing & Reproduction	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,178.05
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$83.60
<b>24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$1,261.65</b>
Web Development, Hosting, Email, and Related Services	\$0.00	\$1,985.00	\$18,623.23
<b>25-Other Services subtotal</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$1,985.00</b>	<b>\$18,623.23</b>
Bottled Water	\$0.00	\$396.20	\$4,873.88
Food and Beverage	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$382.88
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$8,702.73	\$8,863.91	\$30,344.26
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,422.23
Computer Software Purchases under \$500	\$553.50	\$553.50	\$1,218.40
Publications/Reference Material	\$557.00	\$2,412.89	\$139,992.40
<b>26-Supplies and Materials subtotal</b>	<b>\$9,813.23</b>	<b>\$12,226.50</b>	<b>\$179,234.05</b>
Office Equipment Purchases less than \$25,000	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$999.00
Computer Software Purchase less than \$10,000	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$360.00
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$41,109.92
Office Equipment Purchases greater than or equal to \$25,000	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$360.00
Computer Hardware Purchase greater than or equal to \$25,000	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$180.00
<b>31-Equipment subtotal</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$43,008.92</b>

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**Total Expenses**

**\$9,813.23**

**\$40,723.22**

**\$4,247,363.83**

**U.S. House of Representatives  
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**Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date  
February**

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**Total Authorization**

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**\$1,000,000.00**

**Less Expenses for:**

January 2017

**\$287,277.84**

February

**\$348,567.65**

**Total Expenses to Date:**

**\$635,845.49**

**Unexpended authorization**

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**\$364,154.51**

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**U.S. House of Representatives  
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**Monthly Statement by Paid Date  
115-1 February**

Description	YTD Including		Cumulative Total
	February	February	
Non-Statutory Compensation	\$327,149.13	\$604,229.06	\$604,229.06
Accrued Leave	\$2,722.22	\$9,361.11	\$9,361.11
<b>11-Personnel Compensation subtotal</b>	<b>\$329,871.35</b>	<b>\$613,590.17</b>	<b>\$613,590.17</b>
Taxi/Parking/Tolls	\$25.58	\$25.58	\$25.58
<b>21-Travel subtotal</b>	<b>\$25.58</b>	<b>\$25.58</b>	<b>\$25.58</b>
DC Telecommunication Equipment (TRANSFER)	\$286.00	\$286.00	\$286.00
DC Telecommunication Service (TRANSFER)	\$574.75	\$574.75	\$574.75
DC Telecommunication Tolls (TRANSFER)	\$3,175.23	\$3,175.23	\$3,175.23
<b>23-Rent, Communications and Utilities subtotal</b>	<b>\$4,035.98</b>	<b>\$4,035.98</b>	<b>\$4,035.98</b>
Printing & Reproduction	\$219.65	\$249.60	\$249.60
Photographic (TRANSFER)	\$96.40	\$96.40	\$96.40
<b>24-Printing and Reproduction subtotal</b>	<b>\$316.05</b>	<b>\$346.00</b>	<b>\$346.00</b>
Web Development, Hosting, Email, and Related Services	\$1,285.00	\$1,285.00	\$1,285.00
<b>25-Other Services subtotal</b>	<b>\$1,285.00</b>	<b>\$1,285.00</b>	<b>\$1,285.00</b>
Bottled Water	\$264.60	\$264.60	\$264.60
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$273.76	\$273.76	\$273.76
Office Supply (TRANSFER)	\$334.57	\$504.48	\$504.48
Publications/Reference Material	\$8,801.60	\$8,801.60	\$8,801.60
<b>26-Supplies and Materials subtotal</b>	<b>\$9,674.53</b>	<b>\$9,844.44</b>	<b>\$9,844.44</b>
Equipment & Software Maintenance	\$3,359.16	\$6,718.32	\$6,718.32
<b>31-Equipment subtotal</b>	<b>\$3,359.16</b>	<b>\$6,718.32</b>	<b>\$6,718.32</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$348,567.65</b>	<b>\$635,845.49</b>	<b>\$635,845.49</b>

<b>Employee and Job Title</b>	<b>Annual Salary</b>	<b>Gross Pay</b>
BALIS, ELLEN DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	153,900.00	12,825.00
BATES, JAMES T SENIOR COUNSEL	170,696.00	14,224.67
KNUDSEN, PATRICK L SENIOR ADVISOR TO THE CHAIRMAN	121,950.00	10,162.50
MAY, RICHARD E STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00
MORTON, ANDREW S DEPUTY STAFF DIRECTOR	172,500.00	14,375.00
RUSSELL, SCOTT RICHARD BUDGET ANALYST	158,650.00	13,220.83
ALLISON, WILLIAM R COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR	88,000.00	7,333.33
ANDERSON, ELISE HARDWICKE COUNSEL	65,000.00	5,416.67
ANTISTA, JONATHAN THOMAS BUDGET ANALYST	95,000.00	2,638.89
APPEL, ERIKA ROSE BUDGET ANALYST	73,000.00	6,083.33
BARKER, NATHAN RUSSELL INTERN	12,000.00	1,000.00
BECK, GARY MICHAEL POLICY ADVISOR	50,000.00	4,166.67
CARR, JULIE J SHARED EMPLOYEE	19,000.00	1,583.33
COGAN, ROBERT POLICY ADVISOR	90,000.00	7,250.00
CUMMINGS, KENNETH POLICY ADVISOR	65,000.00	5,416.67
DAVIS, ERIC EDWARD POLICY ADVISOR	60,000.00	5,000.00
FLANERY, HAYDEN QUINN STAFF ASSISTANT	38,000.00	1,055.56
FLYNN, TIMOTHY ECONOMIST	133,000.00	11,083.33
FRANK, JONATHAN SHARED EMPLOYEE	25,000.00	2,083.33
GARDENHOUR, BENJAMIN P EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	40,000.00	3,333.33
GOFF, EMILY J SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR	77,500.00	6,458.33
GOLDMAN, JONATHAN G SENIOR TAX COUNSEL	129,000.00	10,750.00
GONZALEZ, STEVE LEE POLICY ADVISOR	75,000.00	6,250.00
GUILLEN, JOSE SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR	122,210.00	10,184.17
GWALTNEY, ELLEN HUNT SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR	88,000.00	7,333.33
HAGLUND, JOHN GARY STAFF ASSISTANT	12,000.00	1,000.00
HARRIS, JOCELYN MAHAGONY MINORITY COUNSEL	71,000.00	5,916.67
HARTLINE, CHRISTOPHER JAMES	75,000.00	4,791.67



PRESS SECRETARY		
KAMAL, NAJY K	56,000.00	4,666.67
POLICY ADVISOR/SHARED STAFF		
LAU, SAMUEL	95,000.00	10,027.78
COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR		
MADNI, BRITTANY A	75,000.00	4,375.00
POLICY ADVISOR		
MCDOWELL, SHEILA A	75,500.00	6,291.67
OFFICE MANAGER		
MCKENNA, MAEVE M	65,000.00	5,416.67
DIR OF DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS		
MEREDITH, DIANA	139,950.00	11,662.50
SENIOR BUDGET ANALYST		
OPHASO, FAROUK	133,000.00	11,083.33
BUDGET ANALYST		
OVERBEEK, KIMBERLY	148,200.00	12,350.00
BUDGET REVIEW DIRECTOR		
PALMER, ASHLEY MORGAN	90,000.00	7,500.00
SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR		
PERETZ, MICHAEL CAMERON	12,000.00	1,000.00
INTERN		
POPADIUK, MARY E	80,000.00	6,666.67
SENIOR COUNSEL		
PRINCIPATO, VICTORIA A	6,000.00	700.00
INTERN		
ROMITO, JONATHAN	65,000.00	5,416.67
EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT		
SPEALMAN, JENNAFER H	140,000.00	11,666.67
POLICY DIRECTOR		
STODDARD, ALEXANDER M	62,500.00	5,208.33
CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR		
WASKIEWICZ, STEVE	85,000.00	3,305.56
POLICY ADVISOR		
WATSON, BRAD E	109,000.00	9,083.33
SENIOR POLICY ADVISOR		
YEAKEL, ROBERT JOSEPH	50,000.00	4,166.67
POLICY ADVISOR		
ZEGERS, TED EDWARD	135,000.00	11,250.00
BUDGET ANALYST		