

## BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	
	)	MUR 8083
Tom Patti for Congress and Kelly	)	
Lawler in her official capacity as	)	
treasurer; Tom Patti for County	)	
Supervisor 2016 and Kimm Lovelace in	)	
her official capacity as treasurer;	)	
Thomas Patti	)	

AMENDED CERTIFICATION

I, Vicktoria J. Allen, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on August 08, 2023, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in MUR 8083:

1. Find no reason to believe that Thomas Patti; Tom Patti for Congress and Kelly Lawler in her official capacity as treasurer; and Tom Patti for County Supervisor 2016 and Kimm Lovelace in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e)(1) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) by soliciting, receiving, directing, transferring, or spending nonfederal funds in violation of the Act with respect to the digital advertisements discussed in the Complaint.
2. Dismiss, as a matter of prosecutorial discretion, the allegation that Thomas Patti; Tom Patti for Congress and Kelly Lawler in her official capacity as treasurer; and Tom Patti for County Supervisor 2016 and Kimm Lovelace in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e)(1) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) by soliciting, receiving, directing, transferring, or spending nonfederal funds in violation of the Act with respect to advances for printing, travel, website, and campaign event Disc Jockey expenses.
3. Find no reason to believe that Thomas Patti; Tom Patti for Congress and Kelly Lawler in her official capacity as treasurer; and Tom Patti for County Supervisor 2016 and Kimm Lovelace in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e)(1) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d) by soliciting, receiving, directing, transferring, or spending nonfederal funds in violation of the Act with respect to nonfederal

services provided to Tom Patti for County Supervisor by vendors who also provided federal services to Tom Patti for Congress.

4. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated June 28, 2023, subject to the edits described at the table.
5. Approve the appropriate letters.
6. Close the file.

Commissioners Broussard, Cooksey, Dickerson, Lindenbaum, Trainor, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:



August 14, 2023

Date

**Vicktoria J Allen**

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Vicktoria J. Allen  
Deputy Secretary of the Commission