

OPTIONAL LANGUAGE TO  
CAMPAIGN FINANCE ORDINANCE

**AUTHORIZE CIVIL ENFORCEMENT**

**2.1XX. Civil enforcement.**

a. Any person who intentionally or negligently violates any provision of this division shall be liable in a civil action brought by the city attorney. Where no specific civil penalty is provided, a person may be liable for an amount up to two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for each violation. Upon collection, said sum shall be deposited into the general fund of the city.

b. Injunctive relief. The city attorney may bring an action for injunction relief to enjoin violations or to compel compliance with the provision of this division.

c. If two (2) or more persons are responsible for any violation, they shall be jointly and severally liable.

d. In determining the amount of liability under this subsection, the court may take into account any mitigating factors and any aggravating factors.

e. No civil action alleging a violation of this division shall commence more than two (2) years after the date of the election for which the funds at issue were contributed or expended.

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