**Campaign Budget**

The election office does not help, suggest, or recommend any information with campaign budgets.

Candidates must file campaign finance reports in a timely manner. These reports will tell the voting public every penny that was given to the candidate and where the candidate spent the funds.

Candidates must get the name and address of**each** contributor no matter the amount and for all donors who gave a contribution over $100.00, you must list occupation.

We can suggest that you go to our website and choose the

option: [**Candidates & Finances - Elections 2009 - Current**](https://www.keyselections.org/Candidate-Info/Candidates-Finances-Elections-2009-Current)

Click on a candidate and by choosing the print option under a report’s totals, you will be able to view from whom the candidate received funds and how the funds were spent.

**Things to think about:**

Qualifying Fee

Petition verification & for city candidates 1% Election Assessment Fee

Signs: yard and car, how many and what size will you need Monroe County is 130 miles long

Mailings – printing and postage

If you choose the cost to mail to the Vote by Mail voters. (mail pieces and postage)

T-Shirts

Meet and Greet gatherings

Name tags

Business Cards

Lapel Pins

Gas getting to candidate functions

Meals on the road