
STATE OF COLORADO
SECRETARY OF STATE
Administrative Hearing Office
1700 Broadway, Suite 550
Denver, CO 80290

Case number:

2026 AHO 16 CPF
(in re ED No. 2026-05)

IN THE MATTER OF:

ELECTIONS DIVISION of the SECRETARY OF STATE

Complainant

v.

HARRIS FOR DENVER SCHOOL BOARD,

Respondent

SCHEDULING ORDER

1. Complainant filed an Administrative Hearing Officer Complaint June 3, 2026. The Complaint alleges a violation of § 1-45-103.7(1.7)(a), C.R.S. by accepting contributions for a school board candidate committee in excess of what is permitted in that section.

2. The applicable General Procedural Rules for Administrative Hearings are set forth in Rule 3 of the [General Policies and Administration Rules \(GPAR\), 8 Code Colo. Regs. 1505-3](#).¹ Other rules pertinent to Fair Campaign Practices Act, § 1-45-101, et seq., can be found in the [Campaign and Political Finance \(CPF\) Rules, 8 CCR 1505-6](#).²

3. The pleadings, actions and events in this case shall happen on the schedule below. All pleadings shall be served on the hearing officer at

¹ GPAR Rules are found at https://www.coloradosos.gov/pubs/rule_making/CurrentRules/8CCR1505-3General.pdf.

² CPF Rules are found at https://www.coloradosos.gov/pubs/rule_making/CurrentRules/8CCR1505-6CPF.pdf.

administrativehearingofficer@coloradosos.gov and on the other people using the address shown for them in the Certificate of Service below.

Pleading or event	Date of event
Respondents' Answer to the Complaint	Friday, July 3, 2026
Pre-hearing statements due and exhibits filed and exchanged	Monday, July 20, 2026
Exhibits list due	Monday, July 27, 2026
Hearing	Tuesday, August 4, 2026 at 10 AM

4. Motions shall be handled in accordance with Campaign & Political Finance [CPF] Rule 3, [8 Code Colo. Regs. 1505-3](#).

5. **Prehearing Statements** shall comply with CPF Rule 3.11.

6. **Exchange of exhibits.** Exhibits of the parties are to be exchanged on the same date that Prehearing Statements are filed.

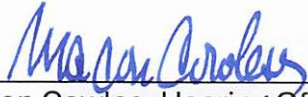
7. **Exhibit format.** Exhibits of the parties are also to be filed on the same date as the Prehearing Statements. Each party shall put its exhibits in a single bookmarked pdf file, with each exhibit labeled (with the Division using numbers and the Respondent using letters) and bookmarked within the pdf file. The exhibit "labels" must contain the exhibit number or letter, the hearing date and the case number.

8. **Trial Efficiencies.** Include in the Prehearing Statements an estimate of time needed for direct examination of each witness in each parties' case in chief, as well as the amount of time required to try the case.

9. The Division shall file a **single exhibit list**, noting stipulations as to admissibility and objections by the parties.

10. **Hearing in this matter**, pursuant to §1-45-111.7(6)(a) and §24-4-105, C.R.S. will be held in the hearing room of the Secretary of State at 1700 Broadway, Suite 550, Denver, Co 80290.

SO ORDERED this 5th day of June 2026.



Macon Cowles, Hearing Officer



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that one true copy of this Scheduling Order was sent via email on June 5, 2026 to the following:

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