

**2017 Special Campaign Limits for Orange County Municipalities**  
*Amended August 2017 for clarity*

**Carrboro -**

- **\$250** contributor limit - **\*Candidate and immediate family members (spouse, domestic partner, parents, brothers, sisters) are exempt from this \$250 limit.**
- Spend or receive **\$1000** or less - **exempt from filing reports.**
- Over **\$1000**, must file all required reports by state guidelines.

**Chapel Hill -**

- **\$353** contributor limit - **(Candidate and spouse exempt from this limit).**
- Must disclose name and address of anyone giving over **\$36**. Occupation/Employer information not required to be disclosed until contributor has given over **\$50**.
- Not exempt from filing reports unless candidate qualifies at time of filing due to candidate-limited fund raising and spending.

**Hillsborough -**

- Spend or receive **\$1000** or less - **exempt from filing reports.**
- **Over \$1000, must file all required reports by state guidelines.**

**Mebane -**

- **Spend or receive \$1000 or less - exempt from filing reports.**
- Over **\$1000**, must file all required reports by state guidelines.

**Orange County and Chapel Hill/Carrboro City School Boards of Education -**

- **Spend or receive \$1000 or less – exempt from filing reports.**
- Over **\$1000**, must file all required reports by state guidelines.

- Other than exceptions stated above, maximum contribution from individuals or political committees: **\$5200.**
- **\*Only Candidate and/or Candidate's spouse is exempt from this \$5200 limit. GS163-278.13(c).**
- This \$5200 contribution limit holds until December 31, 2018.
- Employer information is needed on every contributor who gives over **\$50.**

**\*\*All Organizational Reports are due within 10 days of filing Notice of Candidacy.**

Filing Fees:

Carrboro Mayor - \$15\Alderman - \$10

Chapel Hill Mayor - \$5\Town Council - \$5

Hillsborough Mayor - \$10\Town Commissioner - \$10

Mebane Town Council - \$6 (Mayor doesn't run in 2017)

Chapel Hill\Carrboro School Board - \$5