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FEC ISSUES REPORT ON MAJOR POLITICAL PARTY FINANCES 1989-90 18-MONTH SPENDING EXCEEDS \$182 MILLION

WASHINGTON -- The two major political parties have spent over \$182 million thus far during the 1989-90 election cycle, specifically targeting \$5.1 million to candidates' campaigns.

In an 18-month statistical summary report issued today, the Federal Election Commission provided information for the federally registered committees of the Republican and Democratic parties at both the national and state levels.

The report shows that the Republican Party still maintains a comfortable lead of more than 3-1 over the Democratic Party for overall fundraising and total spending. This is down from a better than 4-1 lead at the end of the first quarter of this year. Nonetheless, in direct support of federal candidates (i.e. contributions and spending on behalf of special election nominees or candidates already chosen for this November's races), the Democrats continue to maintain parity, trailing their Republican counterparts by only \$500,000.

From January 1, 1989, through June 30, 1990, Republican Party committees raised \$152.8 million and spent \$138 million, contributing \$1.7 million to federal candidates and spending \$1.1 million on their behalf. The committees had almost \$24 million cash-on-hand as they entered the last half of the election year, and \$2.6 million in debts. During the same time period, Democratic committees raised and spent a little more than \$44 million, contributing just over \$1 million to candidates and spending \$1.3 million on their behalf. The Democrats entered the last half of the year with a cash balance of \$6.6 million and \$3.2 in debts.

During the second quarter of 1990, the three national-level Republican committees raised and spent \$20 million, of which \$1,040,432 was contributed to or spent on behalf of federal candidates. The three national-level Democratic committees raised \$5.3 million and spent almost \$6 million, including \$923,444 contributed to or spent on behalf of federal candidates.

In addition to direct contributions and "coordinated expenditures", political parties are involved in other activities which support their candidates. For example, political party committees may participate in joint fundraising efforts with candidates, providing financial benefit to both the party and the campaigns. Five such committees currently exist with regard to 1989 or 1990 elections, the largest being the Republican Senatorial Inner Circle 1990, which raises money on behalf of the National Republican Senatorial Committee and 52 Republican Senatorial candidates. Attached to this release is a list of each of the joint fundraising committees and their participants, as well as the distribution of proceeds reported thus far for each joint fundraising venture.

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Activity of Party Committees Through June of Election Year

	1989-90	1987-88	1985-86	1983-84	1981-82	1979-80
RNC						
Receipts	\$50,693,978	\$61,586,071	\$64,164,712	\$75,232,100	\$65,759,810	\$47,833,132
Individuals	\$46,535,643	\$58,817,191	\$60,978,241	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$457,006	\$498,190	\$267,741	\$471,862	\$315,502	\$290,305
Disbursements	\$48,351,940	\$51,250,134	\$55,819,076	\$64,436,824	\$58,877,265	\$33,887,705
Cash-on-Hand	\$4,670,112	\$11,576,782	\$10,012,354	\$11,104,057	\$7,968,914	\$6,829,044
Debts By	\$0	\$0	\$0	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$105,169	\$47,460	\$110,808	\$232,730	\$565,084	\$186,973
Coord. Expend.	\$14,321	\$0	\$0	\$5,774	\$80,495	\$88,975
NRSC						
Receipts	\$52,090,984	\$42,307,749	\$65,811,366	\$60,084,572	\$34,797,578	\$11,182,448
Individuals	\$48,046,081	\$38,317,180	\$59,121,725	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$1,198,679	\$412,463	\$226,417	\$249,118	\$432,618	\$163,475
Disbursements	\$42,647,821	\$35,061,066	\$51,531,143	\$51,272,959	\$28,561,042	\$8,112,399
Cash-on-Hand	\$12,174,944	\$7,432,019	\$13,842,368	\$10,374,886	\$6,379,040	\$3,375,760
Debts By	\$188,265	\$483,679	\$388,701	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$614,804	\$442,530	\$525,787	\$504,023	\$339,937	\$128,000
Coord. Expend.	\$559,642	\$194,236	\$1,650,928	\$925,357	\$490,920	\$105,188
NRCC						
Receipts	\$23,328,692	\$21,324,766	\$28,292,589	\$41,964,626	\$45,690,592	\$22,331,105
Individuals	\$20,458,585	\$19,068,716	\$25,133,799	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$897,185	\$536,002	\$234,858	\$208,805	\$129,257	\$107,051
Disbursements	\$22,231,090	\$18,151,106	\$26,079,728	\$32,329,398	\$32,757,942	\$20,867,778
Cash-on-Hand	\$2,287,162	\$3,449,274	\$3,972,234	\$14,969,954	\$16,966,705	\$2,350,526
Debts By	\$1,241,417	\$121,889	\$1,016,912	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$440,495	\$549,060	\$793,937	\$1,304,379	\$1,603,988	\$957,509
Coord. Expend.	\$483,220	\$207,430	\$62,441	\$140,134	\$177,165	\$68,853
STATE/LOCAL						
Receipts	\$26,659,350	\$31,413,638	\$31,457,708	\$23,892,958	\$14,402,336	\$17,028,296
Individuals	\$25,010,650	\$25,919,707	\$25,661,895	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$372,379	\$861,963	\$785,962	\$785,117	\$133,857	\$44,151
Disbursements	\$24,757,885	\$27,459,148	\$28,763,705	\$20,643,696	\$13,044,369	\$15,409,437
Cash-on-Hand	\$4,786,608	\$5,370,731	\$4,555,268	\$3,956,014	\$2,407,030	\$1,967,267
Debts By	\$1,161,624	\$1,884,703	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$543,565	\$185,623	\$268,593	\$139,339	\$172,134	\$209,685
Coord. Expend.	\$81,137	\$13,875	\$33,024	\$2,919	\$83,750	\$25,854
REPUBLICANS						
Receipts	\$152,773,004	\$156,632,224	\$189,726,375	\$201,174,256	\$160,650,316	\$98,374,981
Individuals	\$140,050,959	\$140,122,794	\$170,895,660	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$2,925,249	\$2,308,618	\$1,514,978	\$1,714,902	\$1,011,234	\$604,982
Disbursements	\$137,988,736	\$131,921,454	\$162,193,652	\$168,682,877	\$133,240,618	\$78,277,319
Cash-on-Hand	\$23,918,826	\$27,828,806	\$32,382,224	\$40,404,911	\$33,721,689	\$14,522,597
Debts By	\$2,591,306	\$2,490,271	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$1,704,033	\$1,224,673	\$1,699,125	\$2,180,471	\$2,681,143	\$1,482,167
Coord. Expend.	\$1,138,320	\$415,541	\$1,746,393	\$1,074,184	\$832,330	\$288,870

Note that Coordinated Expenditures are only made in General or Special Elections

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Activity of Party Committees Through June of the Election Year

	1989-90	1987-88	1985-86	1983-84	1981-82	1979-80
DNC Services						
Receipts	\$10,226,931	\$16,850,874	\$12,483,814	\$29,765,113	\$10,890,453	\$6,011,699
Individuals	\$7,590,174	\$12,635,658	\$9,655,269	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$1,127,469	\$1,587,880	\$555,860	\$1,015,967	\$772,698	\$597,948
Disbursements	\$13,162,093	\$15,087,533	\$12,678,425	\$29,561,741	\$10,568,616	\$5,591,675
Cash-on-Hand	\$2,479,497	\$1,919,012	\$97,923	\$476,396	\$782,259	\$525,461
Debts By	\$107,547	\$1,765,705	\$2,262,283	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$42,500	\$28,998	\$20,500	\$14,000	\$17,500	\$9,500
Coord. Expend.	\$116,929	\$0	\$343,348	\$9,480	\$106,735	\$95,394
DSCC						
Receipts	\$12,803,183	\$11,424,410	\$7,563,934	\$5,498,475	\$2,149,199	\$841,342
Individuals	\$8,592,009	\$7,804,549	\$5,028,281	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$3,262,687	\$1,930,146	\$1,044,100	\$1,188,451	\$111,950	\$78,150
Disbursements	\$10,364,615	\$8,147,239	\$5,963,800	\$3,671,675	\$2,196,284	\$511,928
Cash-on-Hand	\$2,525,276	\$3,356,083	\$1,814,379	\$1,850,655	\$43,570	\$369,292
Debts By	\$571,447	\$650,477	\$362,643	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$409,770	\$400,749	\$382,596	\$329,050	\$445,000	\$166,000
Coord. Expend.	\$667,530	\$879,689	\$194,000	\$407,318	\$105,434	\$0
DCCC						
Receipts	\$6,771,393	\$9,451,989	\$8,742,135	\$7,441,121	\$4,001,307	\$1,245,171
Individuals	\$2,849,821	\$4,742,366	\$5,934,272	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$3,178,959	\$2,205,597	\$914,160	\$1,165,405	\$534,747	\$73,100
Disbursements	\$6,680,120	\$8,904,710	\$8,791,834	\$6,616,716	\$4,058,653	\$942,914
Cash-on-Hand	\$137,953	\$606,134	\$248,852	\$939,370	\$13,867	\$333,971
Debts By	\$1,207,379	\$1,494,449	\$481,537	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$241,467	\$307,334	\$361,858	\$298,999	\$226,900	\$34,403
Coord. Expend.	\$385,351	\$333,036	\$93,262	\$444	\$56,577	\$4,500
STATE/LOCAL						
Receipts	\$14,238,572	\$12,644,848	\$8,611,404	\$10,977,483	\$3,541,224	\$5,838,483
Individuals	\$10,969,736	\$7,748,302	\$5,228,009	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$1,073,711	\$2,038,584	\$630,284	\$255,034	\$179,052	\$58,090
Disbursements	\$14,054,926	\$11,703,983	\$8,107,834	\$10,585,327	\$5,610,849	\$5,370,139
Cash-on-Hand	\$1,487,896	\$1,465,757	\$1,321,260	\$2,164,257	\$833,823	\$623,420
Debts By	\$1,353,596	\$275,115	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$323,230	\$151,651	\$106,090	\$101,203	\$42,952	\$93,401
Coord. Expend.	\$114,367	\$189,248	\$130,353	\$76,155	\$158,158	\$63,885
DEMOCRATS						
Receipts	\$44,040,079	\$50,372,121	\$37,401,287	\$53,682,192	\$20,582,183	\$13,936,695
Individuals	\$30,001,740	\$32,930,875	\$25,845,831	n/a	n/a	n/a
Non-Party	\$8,642,826	\$7,762,207	\$3,144,404	\$3,624,857	\$1,598,447	\$807,288
Disbursements	\$44,261,754	\$43,843,465	\$35,541,893	\$50,435,459	\$22,434,402	\$12,416,656
Cash-on-Hand	\$6,630,622	\$7,346,986	\$3,482,414	\$5,430,678	\$1,673,519	\$1,852,144
Debts By	\$3,239,969	\$4,185,746	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Contributions	\$1,016,967	\$888,732	\$871,044	\$743,252	\$732,352	\$303,304
Coord. Expend.	\$1,284,177	\$1,401,973	\$760,963	\$493,397	\$426,904	\$163,779

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JOINT FUNDRAISING COMMITTEES FOR POLITICAL PARTIES AND CANDIDATES

<u>COMMITTEE NAME</u>	<u>PARTICIPANTS</u>	<u>DISTRIBUTION OF PROCEEDS</u>
MARTIN VICTORY '90:		
	ILLINOIS STATE REPUBLICAN PARTY	\$ 28,850
	LYNN MARTIN (R-IL) - SENATE	\$ 14,900
NATIONAL REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S SENATORIAL FUND:		
	NATIONAL REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CMTE	\$ 0
	JANE BRADY (R-DE) - SENATE	\$ 0
	NANCY KASSEBAUM (R-KS) - SENATE	\$ 0
	LYNN MARTIN (R-IL) - SENATE	\$ 0
	PAT SAIKI (R-HI) - SENATE	\$ 0
	CLAUDINE SCHNEIDER (R-RI) - SENATE	\$ 0
	CHRISTINE WHITMAN (R-NJ) - SENATE	\$ 0
VICTORY 89 FEDERAL COMMITTEE:		
	FLORIDA DEMOCRATIC PARTY	\$ 3,000
	GERALD RICHMAN (D-FL/18) - HOUSE	\$ 13,360
VICTORY 90:		
	WASHINGTON STATE REPUBLICAN PARTY	\$ 0
	JOHN MILLER (R-WA/01) - HOUSE	\$ 0

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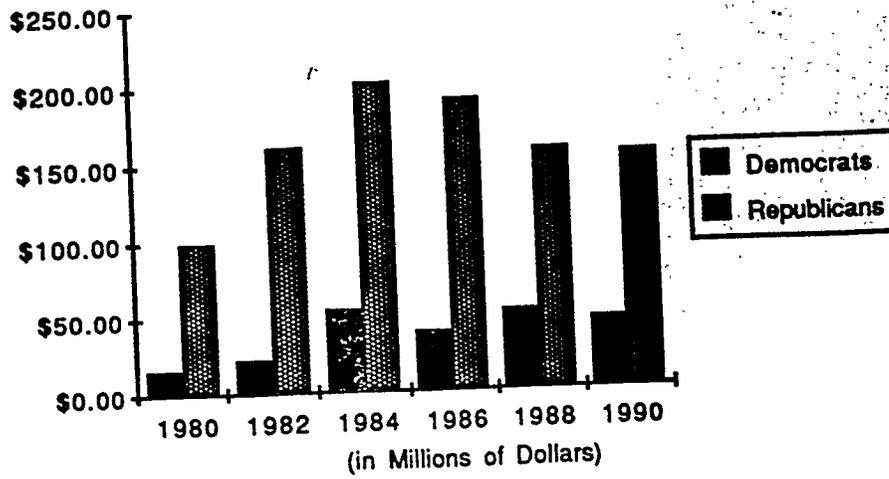
Republican Senatorial Inner Circle 1990
Distribution of Proceeds of Joint Fundraising

1990 Candidates	Candidate	Amount	Not running in 1990	Candidate	Amount
	Ben Bagert - LA Chl	\$43,500		Kit Bond - MO Inc	\$7,200
	Hank Brown - CO Open	\$43,500		Conrad Burns - MT Inc	\$7,200
	Bill Cabaniss - AL Chl	\$43,500		John Chafee - RI Inc	\$7,200
	Dan Coats - IN Inc	\$43,500		Al D'Amato - NY Inc	\$7,200
	Larry Craig - ID Open	\$43,500		David Durenberger - MN Inc	\$7,200
	Hal Daub - NE Chl	\$43,500		Jake Garn - UT Inc	\$7,200
	Jesse Helms - NC Inc	\$43,500		Slade Gorton - WA Inc	\$7,200
	Lynn Martin - IL Chl	\$43,500		John Heinz - PA Inc	\$7,200
	Mitch McConnell - KY - Inc	\$43,500		Jim Jeffords - VT Inc	\$7,200
	Larry Pressler - SD Inc	\$43,500		Robert Kasten - WI Inc	\$7,200
	Claudine Schneider - RI Chl	\$43,500		Trent Lott - MS Inc	\$7,200
	Tom Tauke - IA Chl	\$43,500		Richard Lugar - IN Inc	\$7,200
	Rudy Boschwitz - MN Inc	\$34,800		Connie Mack - FL Inc	\$7,200
	Thad Cochran - MS Inc	\$34,800		John McCain - AZ Inc	\$7,200
	William Cohen - ME Inc	\$34,800		Frank Murkowski - AK Inc	\$7,200
	Pete Domenici - NM Inc	\$34,800		Don Nickles - OK Inc	\$7,200
	Phil Gramm - TX Inc	\$34,800		Robert Packwood - OR Inc	\$7,200
	Mark Hatfield - OR Inc	\$34,800		Arlen Specter - PA Inc	\$7,200
	Alan Simpson - WY Inc	\$34,800		Steve Symms - ID Inc	\$7,200
	Ted Stevens - AK Inc	\$34,800		Malcolm Wallop - WY Inc	\$7,200
	Strom Thurmond - SC Inc	\$34,800			
	John Warner - VA Inc	\$34,800			
	Alan Kolstad - MT Chl	\$43,500		Nat Rep Senatorial Cmte	\$12,000

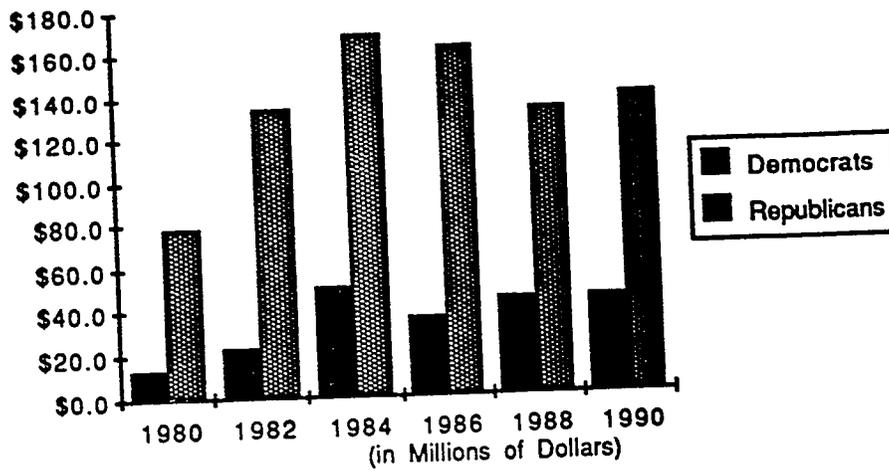
Total Distributed \$1,069,500

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Receipts of Party Committees Through June 30 of the Election Year



Disbursements of Party Committees Through June 30 of the Election Year



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