

2018 Contribution and Expenditure Limits City Candidate Committees

The amounts in the far right column apply to City elections in which the primary election fundraising window opens after **March 1, 2018**. They do not apply to LAUSD elections.

| | 2017 Adjustment | 2018 CPI Adjustment |
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| Mayor | | |
| Per-person Contribution Limit | \$1,400 | \$1,500 |
| Per-person Cash Contribution Limit | \$30 | \$30 |
| Aggregate Limit on Anonymous Contributions | \$200 | \$200 |
| Aggregate Limit on Non-individual Contributions | \$1,311,400 | \$1,358,700 |
| Limit on Matching Funds Candidate's Use of Personal Funds | \$134,500 | \$139,400 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (Primary) | \$3,023,000 | \$3,132,000 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (General) | \$2,417,000 | \$2,504,000 |
| Independent Spending Per Race That Lifts Expenditure Ceiling | \$334,000 | \$346,000 |
| City Attorney | | |
| Per-person Contribution Limit | \$1,400 | \$1,500 |
| Per-person Cash Contribution Limit | \$30 | \$30 |
| Aggregate Limit on Anonymous Contributions | \$200 | \$200 |
| Aggregate Limit on Non-individual Contributions | \$582,800 | \$603,800 |
| Limit on Matching Funds Candidate's Use of Personal Funds | \$134,500 | \$139,400 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (Primary) | \$1,360,000 | \$1,409,000 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (General) | \$1,058,000 | \$1,096,000 |
| Independent Spending Per Race That Lifts Expenditure Ceiling | \$167,000 | \$174,000 |
| Controller | | |
| Per-person Contribution Limit | \$1,400 | \$1,500 |
| Per-person Cash Contribution Limit | \$30 | \$30 |
| Aggregate Limit on Anonymous Contributions | \$200 | \$200 |
| Aggregate Limit on Non-individual Contributions | \$582,800 | \$603,800 |
| Limit on Matching Funds Candidate's Use of Personal Funds | \$134,500 | \$139,400 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (Primary) | \$1,209,000 | \$1,253,000 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (General) | \$908,000 | \$940,000 |
| Independent Spending Per Race That Lifts Expenditure Ceiling | \$167,000 | \$174,000 |
| City Council | | |
| Per-person Contribution Limit | \$800 | \$800 |
| Per-person Cash Contribution Limit | \$30 | \$30 |
| Aggregate Limit on Anonymous Contributions | \$200 | \$200 |
| Aggregate Limit on Non-individual Contributions | \$218,600 | \$226,500 |
| Limit on Matching Funds Candidate's Use of Personal Funds | \$33,600 | \$34,800 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (Primary) | \$519,000 | \$537,000 |
| Expenditure Ceiling for Matching Funds Candidate (General) | \$432,000 | \$448,000 |
| Independent Spending Per Race That Lifts Expenditure Ceiling | \$83,000 | \$86,000 |

The Ethics Commission was created by Los Angeles voters in 1990 to impartially administer and enforce the City's governmental ethics, campaign financing, and lobbying laws.