

# CANDIDATE'S REPORT

(to be filed by a candidate or his principal campaign committee)

## 1. Qualifying Name and Address of Candidate

JOHN BEL EDWARDS  
298 East Oak Street  
Amite, LA 70422

## 2. Office Sought (Include title of office as well as parish, city, town and/or election district.)

Representative  
Tangipahoa/Amite  
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## OFFICE USE ONLY

Report Number: 30487

Date Filed: 2/15/2012

### Report Includes Schedules:

Schedule A-1  
Schedule A-2  
Schedule E-1

## 3. Date of Election

This report covers from 10/31/2011 through 12/31/2011

## 4. Type of Report:

180th day prior to primary       40th day after general  
 90th day prior to primary       Annual (future election)  
 30th day prior to primary       Supplemental (past election)  
 10th day prior to primary  
 10th day prior to general       Amendment to prior

## 5. FINAL REPORT if:

Withdrawn       Filed after the election AND all loans and debts paid  
 Unopposed

6. Name and Address of Financial Institution  
(You are required by law to use one or more banks, savings and loan associations, or money market mutual fund as the depository of all campaign funds.)

## 7. Full Name and Address of Treasurer

## 9. Name of Person Preparing Report

Daytime Telephone

10. WE HEREBY CERTIFY that the information contained in this report and the attached schedules is true and correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief, and that no expenditures have been made nor contributions received that have not been reported herein, and that no information required to be reported by the Louisiana Campaign Finance Disclosure Act has been deliberately omitted.

This 15th day of February, 2012.

John Bel Edwards

Signature of Candidate/Chairperson  
(To be signed by Chairperson *only* if report by principal campaign committee)

985-748-2245

Daytime Telephone

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Signature of Treasurer

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Daytime Telephone

8. FOR PRINCIPAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES ONLY  
a. Name and address of principal campaign committee, committee's chairperson, and subsidiary committees, if any (use additional sheets if necessary).

## SUMMARY PAGE

RECEIPTS	This Period
1. Contributions (Schedule A-1)	\$ 9,500.00
2. In-kind Contributions (Schedule A-2)	\$ 250.00
3. Campaign paraphernalia sales of \$25 or less	\$ 0.00
4. <b>TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS</b> (Lines 1 + 2 +33)	\$ 9,750.00
5. Other Receipts (Schedule A-3)	\$ 0.00
6. Loans Received (Schedule B)	\$ 0.00
7. Loan Repayments Received (Schedule D)	\$ 0.00
8. <b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b> (Lines 4 + 5 + 6 + 7)	\$ 9,750.00

DISBURSEMENTS	This Period
9. Expenditures (Schedule E-1)	\$ 16,675.00
10. Other Disbursements (Schedule E-2)	\$ 0.00
11. Loan Repayments Made (Schedule B)	\$ 0.00
12. Funds Loaned (Schedule D)	\$ 0.00
13. <b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b> (Lines 9 + 10 + 11 + 12)	\$ 16,675.00

FINANCIAL SUMMARY	Amount
14. Funds on hand at beginning of reporting period <small>(Must equal funds on hand at close from last report or -0- if first report for this election)</small>	\$ 18,163.61
15. <i>Plus</i> total receipts this period <small>(Line 8 above)</small>	\$ 9,750.00
16. <i>Less</i> total disbursements this period <small>(Line 13 above)</small>	\$ 16,675.00
17. <i>Less</i> in-kind contributions <small>(Line 2 above)</small>	\$ 250.00
18. Funds on hand at close of reporting period	\$ 10,988.61

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## SUMMARY PAGE (continued)

INVESTMENTS	Amount
19. Of funds on hand at beginning of reporting period (Line 14, above), amount held in investments ( <i>i.e.</i> , savings accounts, CD's, money market funds, etc.)	\$ 0.00
20. Of funds on hand at close of reporting period (Line 18, above), amount held in investments	\$ 0.00

SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS - for the reporting period	Amount
21. Candidate's personal funds (Use of personal funds as either a contribution or loan to the campaign should be reported on Schedules A-1 or B.)	\$ 0.00
22. Contributions received from political committees (From Schedules A-1 and A-2)	\$ 500.00
23. All proceeds from the sale of tickets to fundraising events (Receipts from the sale of tickets are contributions and must also be reported on Schedule A-1.)	\$ 0.00
24. Proceeds from the sale of campaign paraphernalia (Receipts from the sale of campaign paraphernalia are contributions and must also be reported on Schedule A-1 or Line 3, above.)	\$ 0.00
25. Expenditures from petty cash fund (Must also be reported on Schedule E-1.)	\$ 0.00

### NOTICE

The personal use of campaign funds is prohibited.\* The use of campaign funds must be related to a political campaign or the holding of a public office or party position. However, campaign funds may be used to reimburse a candidate for expenses related to his campaign or office, to pay taxes on the interest earned on campaign funds or to replace articles lost, stolen, or damaged in connection with a campaign.

Excess campaign funds may be returned to contributors on a pro rata basis, given as a charitable contribution as provided in 26 USC 170(c), given to a charitable organization as defined in 26 USC 501(c)(3), expended in support of or opposition to a proposition, political party, or candidacy of any person, or maintained in a segregated fund for use in future political campaigns or activity related to preparing for future candidacy to elective office.

\*The prohibition on the personal use of campaign funds does not apply to campaign funds received prior to July 15, 1988.

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## SCHEDULE A-1: CONTRIBUTIONS (Other than In-Kind Contributions)

The following information must be provided for all contributors to your campaign during this reporting period, except for in-kind contributions. Information on in-kind contributions is reported on SCHEDULE A-2: IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS. In Column 1, check if the contributor is a political committee or a party committee. Any personal funds a candidate contributes to his campaign must be reported on this schedule. Personal funds a candidate *loans* to his campaign should be reported on Schedule B. For anonymous contributions, see SCHEDULE F. Totals and subtotals are *optional*. Completion of totals and subtotals may assist in calculating totals that must be reported on the Summary Page.

1. Name and Address of Contributor	2. Contributions this Reporting Period		3. Total this Election
	a. Date(s)	b. Amount(s)	
BARON & BUDD P.C. 3102 Oak Lawn Avenue Suite 1100 Dallas, TX 75219  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	11/08/2011	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
AFSCME 1625 I Street NW Washington, DC 20036  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	11/07/2011	\$500.00	\$500.00
TALBOT CARMOUCHE & MARCELLO 17405 Perkins Road Baton Rouge, LA 70810  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	10/31/2011	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
LOUISIANA REALTORS PAC P O Box 14780 Baton Rouge, LA 70898  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	12/19/2011	\$500.00	\$500.00
DAVID R. HEITMEIER CAMPAIGN FUND II 5820 Norland Avneue New Orleans, LA 70131  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	11/18/2011	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
BEN WAYNE NEVERS SR 724 Avenue F Bogalusa, LA 70427  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	12/10/2011	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
4. SUBTOTAL (this page)		\$9,500.00	N/A
5. TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)		\$ 9,500.00	N/A
6. CONTRIBUTIONS FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEES:			
SUBTOTAL (this page)		\$500.00	TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule) \$ 500.00

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## SCHEDULE A-2: IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS

The following information must be provided for all in-kind contributions to your campaign having a monetary value in excess of \$25. In-kind contributions include the donation of tangible property, the use of tangible property, or the services of employees paid by a person other than the candidate or his business. In Column 1, check if the in-kind contributor is a political committee or a party committee. Any in-kind contributions a candidate makes to his own campaign must be reported here. Totals and subtotals are *optional*. Completion of totals and subtotals may assist in calculating totals that must be reported on the Summary Page.

1. Name and Address of In-Kind Contributor	2. In-Kind Contributions this Reporting Period			3. Total this Election
	a. Description(s)	b. Date(s)	c. Amount(s)	
HDA HARRIS DEVILLE & ASSOCIATES 521 Laurel Street Baton Rouge, LA 70801  POLITICAL COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/> PARTY COMMITTEE? <input type="checkbox"/>	9-28-11 fundraiser/design and distribution of invitations & professional services	11/07/2011	\$250.00	\$250.00
4. SUBTOTAL (this page)			\$250.00	N/A
5. TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule)			\$ 250.00	N/A
6. IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS FROM POLITICAL COMMITTEES				
SUBTOTAL (this page)			<u>\$0.00</u>	TOTAL (complete only on last page of this schedule) <u>\$ 0.00</u>

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## SCHEDULE E-1: EXPENDITURES

Use this schedule to report information on all campaign expenditures for this reporting period. An "expenditure" is any payment made for the purpose of supporting your election to public office and includes monies spent for the campaign's general operating expenses. Any payments made that are not "expenditures" should be reported on SCHEDULE E-2: OTHER DISBURSEMENTS. Totals and subtotals at bottom of page are *optional*. Completion of totals and subtotals may assist in calculating totals that must be reported on the Summary Page.

1. Name and Address of Recipient	2. Expenditures this Reporting Period		
	a. Date(s)	b. Purpose(s)	c. Amount(s)
H D C C 601 Government Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802	11/16/2011	check #1977/Loan to HDCC	\$ 10,000.00
KEN DAWSON CAMPAIGN FUND 7077 Tunica TRC St. Francisville, LA 70775	11/14/2011	check # 1976/ donation to campaign	\$ 500.00
HDCC 701 Government Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802	11/11/2011	check # 1955/donation	\$ 5,000.00
ST. HELENA 4-H FOUNDATION PO Box 1505 Greensburg, LA 70441	11/01/2011	check # 1974	\$ 75.00
ST HELENA CATHOLIC CHURCH 120 South 1st Street Amite, LA 70422	12/19/2011	check #1982/donation/parking lot fund	\$ 200.00
LABOR LEADER P O Box 1527 Baton Rouge, LA 70821	12/01/2011	check # 1978/ad/invoice #11830	\$ 500.00
ADG PS LLC P O Box 1237 Hammond, LA 70404	12/07/2011	check #1980/ad--sponsorship Amite High	\$ 200.00
RED STICK SPORTS 5770 Essen Lane Baton Rouge, LA 70809	12/14/2011	check #1981/donation/basketball tennis shoes	\$ 100.00
3. SUBTOTAL (optional)			\$16,575.00
4. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule)			

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1. Name and Address of Recipient	2. Expenditures this Reporting Period		
	a. Date(s)	b. Purpose(s)	c. Amount(s)
FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH Hwy 40 West Independence, LA 70443	12/06/2011	check # 1979/donation/Christmas Food Baskets	\$ 100.00
3. SUBTOTAL (optional)			\$100.00
4. TOTAL (optional - complete only on last page of this schedule)			\$ 16,675.00

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