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STATE BOARD of ELECTIONS

**ADVISORY OPINION REQUEST FORM**
**Va. Code §24.2-948.8**

**Instructions**

This form is to request an advisory opinion on the permissible use of campaign funds. Any person subject to the provisions of Va. Code § 24.2-948.6 may request an advisory opinion on the permissible use of campaign funds. A candidate, or a candidate committee, may request an advisory opinion on a specific transaction or activity from the State Board of Elections. Please complete the sections below to request an advisory opinion. This form may be emailed to CFDA@elections.virginia.gov or mailed to:

Virginia State Board of Elections
1100 Bank St, First Floor
Richmond, Virginia 23219

**Name of Committee** Friends of Natalie Nguyen Woodruff

**Committee Code *(CC-YY-XXXXX)*** CC-26-00015

**Name of Candidate** Natalie Nguyen Woodruff

**Name of Person Requesting Advisory Opinion** Natalie Nguyen Woodruff

**Position in Committees** Candidate

**Please explain the specific transaction or activity as it has occurred or may occur in as much detail as possible in the box below. (Additional pages may be attached.)**

On behalf of myself, candidate for Fairfax County Board of Supervisors in Springfield District, Committee ID #CC-26-00015, I am submitting a request for an advisory opinion under 1VAC20-90-60 and § 24.2-948.6 of the Code of Virginia. I am the candidate's authorized agent, and the principal is Natalie Nguyen Woodruff.

SPECIFIC TRANSACTION
The candidate and her spouse have three young children and host an au pair through a J-1 cultural exchange program. The au pair provides child care in the home and receives a weekly stipend of $280. The committee intends to pay a portion of that weekly stipend, approximately 25% ($50-75] per week, from campaign funds for the duration of the campaign, through November 2, 2027.
Basis for the allocation:
- Campaign activities that require additional care: evening candidate forums, community meetings, canvassing on weekends, fundraisers, meetings with voters; approximately 10 hours per week.
- Additional care hours attributable to the campaign: approximately 10 hours per week, out of a total of 40 hours the au pair works per week, or roughly 25%.
- Availability of other caregivers: Spouse will cover outside of these 10 additional hours