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Dear Fair Political Practices Commissioners:

I want to draw your attention to what is happening in Sonoma County with two individuals from Vallejo who appear to be using Form 700 filings to harass local elected officials and local government employees.

This article, <https://www.pressdemocrat.com/article/news/county-secures-restraining-order-on-behalf-of-gore/>, in the June 9, 2022 Santa Rosa Press Democrat indicates this behavior. It reports on how and why a Sonoma County Supervisor obtained a restraining order against a man named Shelby Pryor. It also describes behaviors of a woman identified as Mr. Pryor's finance, Adina Flores, who had filed FPPC complaints regarding the supervisor's wife, which were deemed to be without merit. Statements made in court also said how other local elected officials, such as school board and city council members, had felt threatened by Mr. Pryor.

While I don't know how many, I am aware that Ms. Flores has been making numerous FPPC Form 700 complaints of which have questionable merit, including against me. I don't know if there's anything the FPPC can do about what appears to be potential abuse of the system, but I wanted to inform you about the situation.

Thank you,

Gina Cuclis, President

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