**106.141 Disposition of surplus funds by candidates.**—

(2) Any candidate required to dispose of funds pursuant to this section may, before such disposition, be reimbursed by the campaign, in full or in part, for any reported contributions by the candidate to the campaign.

[1](http://www.leg.state.fl.us/Statutes/index.cfm?App_mode=Display_Statute&Search_String=&URL=0100-0199/0106/Sections/0106.141.html#1)(4)(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), any candidate required to dispose of funds pursuant to this section shall, at the option of the candidate, dispose of such funds by any of the following means, or any combination thereof:

1. Return pro rata to each contributor the funds that have not been spent or obligated.

2. Donate the funds that have not been spent or obligated to a charitable organization or organizations that meet the qualifications of s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, except that the candidate may not be employed by the charitable organization to which he or she donates the funds.

3. Give not more than $25,000 of the funds that have not been spent or obligated to the affiliated party committee or political party of which such candidate is a member.

4. Give the funds that have not been spent or obligated:

a. To the state, to be deposited in either the [2](http://www.leg.state.fl.us/Statutes/index.cfm?App_mode=Display_Statute&Search_String=&URL=0100-0199/0106/Sections/0106.141.html#2)Election Campaign Financing Trust Fund or the General Revenue Fund, as designated by the candidate; or

b. To a political subdivision, to be deposited in the general fund thereof.

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Content of Report:

The termination report must include:

1. The name and address of each person or unit of government to whom any of the funds were distributed and the amounts thereof;
2. The name and address of each person to whom an expenditure was made together with the amount and purpose; and
3. The amount of such funds transferred to an office account together with the name and address of the bank in which the office account is located.
4. The amount of such funds retained in a campaign account pursuant to Section 106.141(6) Florida Statutes, together with the name and address of the bank in which the retained funds are located. If a refund check is received after all surplus funds have been disposed of, the check may be endorsed by the candidate and the refund disposed of pursuant to Section 106.141, Florida Statutes. An amended termination report must be filed with the filing officer. All reports must be signed by the candidate and the campaign treasurer and certified as true and correct. (Section 106.141(8), Fla. Stat.)