

Donors Demo

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0.1 Quick Overview

1. Manual Upload vs Linked Donors
2. What the formatter actually does
3. What to look for in a file
4. Common issues and why they probably happen

0.2 Manual Upload vs Linked Donors

- Generally, we want to work with the data baked into ABBA that we know will match
 - So, in most cases, using the Linked Donors portal is the preferred option

Details for Charles Clemons

PII Profile ⓘ

322acbd2694da6863cb6da759dd3a9aa [Update](#) [Remove](#)

Education/Experience Profile ⓘ

526612700 [Remove](#)

▶ Personal Information ⓘ

▶ Address Information ⓘ

▶ Email ⓘ

▶ Phone Number ⓘ

▶ Experiences ⓘ

▶ Education ⓘ

▼ Linked Candidate Donors ⓘ

Existing Linked Candidacies

First Name	Last Name	Source	State	Election Details	Action
chuck	clemons	state	fl	FL State Candidate of Republican Party	

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0.3 Manual Upload

- Manual uploads need to happen for a few reasons
 - Not enough Linked Donors/no data for that state
 - Specific people need to be added
- It used be basically a last resort; now has been required for a lot more projects
 - CVS [Insert state here]
- It's not *the* preferred method because the data quality is horrendous

0.4 Enter the Formatter

- The Donor Cleaner exists for two main reasons
 - Expedite the process (main function)
 - Ensure compatibility (this has been harder...)
- In the past, every change was done manually
 - Renaming and deleting columns
 - Cleaning the actual data
- There were lots of problems with this approach

0.5 What the Tool Actually Does

ben_albritton.txt

Candidate/Committee	Date	Amount	Typ	Contributor Name	Address	City	State	Zip	Occupation	In kind	Desc
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STS)	10/14/2022	1000.00	CHE	1199 SEIU FLORIDA POLITICAL COMMITTEE	2881 CORPORATE WAY	MIRAMAR, FL	33025				POLITICAL COMMITTEE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	06/30/2009	500.00	CHE	3-N GROVES	3204 WHIPPORWILL LN	WAUCHULA, FL	33873				CITRUS
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	08/31/2011	500.00	CHE	4800 N. FEDERAL HIGHWAY INVESTMENT LLC	4800 N FEDERAL HWY STE 1050	BOCA RATON, FL	33431				INVESTMENTS
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STS)	10/25/2017	1000.00	CHE	537 LLC 537 EAST PARK AVE	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32301					RESEARCH COMPANY
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/14/2011	500.00	CHE	537, LLC	537 E PARK AVE	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32301				BUSINESS CONSULTANT
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	06/19/2009	500.00	CHE	ASS GROVE SERVICE	2290 E HELEN CIR	BARTOW, FL	33830				CITRUS
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	01/19/2010	300.00	CHE	A. DUDA & SONS, INC.	1200 DUDA TRL	OVIDO, FL	32765				AGRICULTURE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	09/03/2010	300.00	CHE	A. DUDA & SONS, INC.	1200 DUDA TRL	OVIDO, FL	32765				AGRICULTURE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STS)	07/24/2017	1000.00	CHE	A. DUDA & SONS, INC.	POST OFFICE BOX 620257	OVIDO, FL	32762				AGRICULTURE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	10/24/2016	1000.00	CHE	A. DUDA & SONS, INC.	PO BOX 620257	OVIDO, FL	32762				LAND COMPANY
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	03/02/2015	1000.00	CHE	A. DUDA & SONS, INC.	PO BOX 620257	OVIDO, FL	32762				LAND COMPANY
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	02/20/2014	1000.00	CHE	A. DUDA & SONS, INC.	P.O. BOX 620257	OVIDO, FL	32762				AGRICULTURE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/03/2015	100.00	CHE	ABBERGER III, B.L.	POST OFFICE BOX 1168	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32302				GOVERNMENTAL CONSULTANT
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/14/2011	500.00	CHE	ABBIANNA LLC	537 E PARK AVE	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32301				PROPERTY MANAGEMENT
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STS)	10/25/2017	1000.00	CHE	ABBIANNA, LLC	POST OFFICE BOX 10805	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32302				REAL ESTATE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	06/26/2009	300.00	CHE	ABBITT JAMES	910 THORNBURG RD	BABSON PARK, FL	33827				AGRICULTURE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/16/2011	212.33	INX	ABBITT JIM	5202 SHADOWLAWN AVE	TAMPA, FL	33610				CONVEYOR BELT MFG
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	06/22/2009	500.00	CHE	ABBOTT ROBERT	4060 STATE ROAD 62	BOWLING GREEN, FL	33834				FOOD & BEVERAGE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	10/11/2010	500.00	CHE	ABBOTT LABORATORIES	200 ABBOTT PARK ROAD	NORTH CHICAGO, IL	60064				PHARMACEUTICALS
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/10/2021	1000.00	CHE	ABBOTT LABORATORIES	POST OFFICE BOX 88	ABBOTT PARK, IL	60064				PHARMACEUTICAL
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	11/13/2013	500.00	CHE	ABBOTT LABORATORIES	P. O. BOX 88	ABBOTT PARK, IL	60064				LABORATORY
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	10/25/2017	500.00	CHE	ABBVIE	1 NORTH WAUKEGAN ROAD	NORTH CHICAGO, IL	60064				PHARMACEUTICALS
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/14/2017	1000.00	CHE	ABC FINE WINE AND SPIRITS, INC.	POST OFFICE BOX 593688	ORLANDO, FL	32859				BEVERAGE SALES
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	01/30/2014	500.00	CHE	ABC LIQUORS, INC	P. O. BOX 593688	ORLANDO, FL	32859				DISTRIBUTOR
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	06/12/2018	1000.00	CHE	ABC LIQUORS, INC.	PO BOX 593688	ORLANDO, FL	32859				BEVERAGE SALES
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	07/19/2010	500.00	CHE	ABC MERIT SHOP CCE	2600 CENTENNIAL PL STE 100	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32308				PAC
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	09/15/2022	1000.00	CHE	ABC MERIT SHOP PC	3730 COCONUT CREEK PARKWAY, SUITE 200	COCONUT CREEK, FL	33066				POLITICAL COMMITTEE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	07/25/2022	1000.00	CHE	ABDALA JACINTO	16740 SOUTHWEST 83RD COURT	MIAMI, FL	33157				ADULT DAYCARE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	09/01/2009	250.00	CHE	ABLES CLIFFORD	8329 CREWSVILLE RD	ZOLFO SPRINGS, FL	33890				ATTORNEY
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	08/23/2018	250.00	CHE	ABLES & CRAIG PA	561 S COMMERCE AVE	SEBRING, FL	33870				LAW FIRM
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	05/22/2018	1000.00	CHE	ACCOUNTABILITY IN GOVERNMENT, INC.	115 EAST PARK AVE, SUITE 1	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32301				POLITICAL
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	08/12/2010	500.00	CHE	ACE AMERICAN INSURANCE CO	436 WALNUT ST	PHILADELPHIA, PA	19106				INSURANCE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	01/11/2016	500.00	CHE	ACE AMERICAN INSURANCE CO.	POST OFFICE BOX 1444	RICHMOND, IN	47375				INSURANCE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	09/09/2016	500.00	CHE	ACE AMERICAN INSURANCE CO.	POST OFFICE BOX 1444	RICHMOND, IN	47375				INSURANCE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	10/25/2017	1000.00	CHE	ACE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY	436 WALNUT STREET	PHILADELPHIA, PA	19106				INSURANCE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	06/30/2009	264.45	INX	ACKERLY DON	2850 COUNTY ROAD 664	BOWLING GREEN, FL	33834				AGRICULTURE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/15/2021	1000.00	CHE	ACPAC AUTOMOBILE CLUB POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE	1 AUTO CLUB DRIVE	DEARBORN, MI	48126				
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	10/25/2017	1000.00	CHE	ACTION FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE	316 EAST PARK AVE	TALLAHASSEE, FL	32301				POLITICAL COMMITTEE
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	07/05/2018	50.00	CHE	ADAM'S APPLE, INC.	615 NW MERCANTILE PLACE PORT ST. LUCIE	FL	34966				PEST MANAGEMENT
Albritton, Ben (REP) (STR)	12/07/2009	500.00	CHE	ADAMS MICHAEL	26003 ORANGE AVE	FORT PIERCE, FL	34945				AGRICULTURE

0.6 What the Tool Actually Does

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P
donation_date	donation_amt	full_name	addr1	city	state	zip	full_address	first_name	middle_name	last_name	addr2	phone1	phone2	email1	email2
10/14/22	1000		2881 CORPO MIRAMAR	FL		33025		SEIU							
6/30/09	500		3204 WHIPPI WAUCHULA	FL		33873		GROVES		N					
8/31/11	500		4800 N FEDE BOCA RATON	FL		33431		N							
10/25/17	1000		537 EAST PA TALLHASSE	FL		32301		LLC							
12/14/11	500		537 E PARK / TALLHASSE	FL		32301		LLC							
6/19/09	500		2290 E HELEI BARTOW	FL		33830		GROVE		AS					
1/19/10	300		1200 DUDA / OVIDO	FL		32765		DUDA		A					
9/3/10	300		1200 DUDA / OVIDO	FL		32765		DUDA		A					
7/24/17	1000		POST OFFICE OVIDO	FL		32762		DUDA		A					
10/24/16	1000		PO BOX 620; OVIDO	FL		32762		DUDA		A					
3/2/15	1000		PO BOX 620; OVIDO	FL		32762		DUDA		A					
2/20/14	1000		P.O. BOX 62; OVIDO	FL		32762		DUDA		A					
12/3/15	100		POST OFFICE TALLHASSE	FL		32302		III		ABBERGER					
12/14/11	500		537 E PARK / TALLHASSE	FL		32301		LLC		ABBIANNA					
10/25/17	1000		POST OFFICE TALLHASSE	FL		32302		LLC		ABBIANNA					
6/26/09	300		910 THORNE BABSON PAI	FL		33827		JAMES		ABBITT					
12/16/11	212		5202 SHADO TAMPA	FL		33610		JIM		ABBITT					
6/22/09	500		4060 STATE BOWLING G	FL		33834		ROBERT		ABBOTT					
10/11/10	500		200 ABBOTT NORTH CHIC	IL		60064		LABORATORIES		ABBOTT					
12/10/21	1000		POST OFFICE ABBOTT PAR	IL		60064		LABORATORIES		ABBOTT					
11/13/13	500		P. O. BOX 88 ABBOTT PAR	IL		60064		LABORATORIES		ABBOTT					
10/25/17	500		1 NORTH W/ NORTH CHIC	IL		60064				ABBVIE					
12/14/17	1000		POST OFFICE ORLANDO	FL		32859		FINE		ABC					
1/30/14	500		P. O. BOX 59 ORLANDO	FL		32859		LIQUORS		ABC					
10/12/18	1000		PO BOX 593; ORLANDO	FL		32859		LIQUORS		ABC					
7/19/10	500		2600 CENTE TALLHASSE	FL		32308		MERIT		ABC					
9/15/22	1000		3730 COCON COCONUT CI	FL		33066		MERIT		ABC					
7/25/22	1000		16740 SOUT MIAMI	FL		33157		JACINTO		ABDALA					
9/1/09	250		8329 CREWS ZOLFO SPRIN	FL		33890		CLIFFORD		ABLES					
8/23/18	250		561 S COMM SEBRING	FL		33870				ABLES					
5/22/18	1000		115 EAST PA TALLHASSE	FL		32301		IN		ACCOUNTABILITY					

0.7 What Files Do You Use?

- The tool is programmed for the columns of most state files
 - So long as you have the right state source, it will work
- However, it is not that sophisticated beyond the transformations
 - Doesn't automatically detect some errors
 - Cannot tell if you have the right file for the right person
 - If you have the wrong file, it will just give up

0.8 What Files Do You Use?

- Generally, the file you look for should meet the following criteria:
 - Comes from a government website (usually the SOS office)
 - Each row represents an individual donation
 - The file was generated from a search for **contributions to** or **receipts by**
 - The file has itemized names and addresses (zips!!) for each donation

0.9 Always Check for the Records Processed!

0.10 What's Wrong With This File?

0.11 Common File Issues

- *A file has very few listed contributions to a very popular candidate*
 - Check it's contributions **to** that candidate and not **by** that candidate
- *The formatted file uploaded to ABBA but no records processed*
 - Look at the file to see where data is missing
- *I used a campaign finance site but the tool doesn't like the file*
 - Some states have 2-3 portals with different file schemas, so see if there is another one
 - Panic

▼ Upload Donors ⓘ

Existing Donations Uploads

File Name	File Description	Uploaded By	Total Records	Records Processed
david_borrero.csv		jackson.rudoff@applecart.co	730	695
david_borrero.csv		jackson.rudoff@applecart.co	730	0
david_borrero_formatted.csv		jackson.rudoff@applecart.co	730	713

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P
donation_date	donation_amt	full_name	addr1	city	state	zip	full_address	first_name	middle_name	last_name	addr2	phone1	phone2	email1	email2
5/8/92	500	MANCHIN, JOSEPH III		FAIRMONT	WV	26554									
12/20/99	250	MANCHIN, JOSEPH III		FAIRMONT	WV	26554									
8/10/99	1000	MANCHIN, JOSEPH III		FAIRMONT	WV	26554									
12/31/17	45	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
11/30/17	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
9/30/18	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
10/17/18	15	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
11/26/18	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
10/31/17	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
9/30/17	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
7/31/18	45	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
8/31/18	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 625 LIBERTY		PITTSBURGH	PA	15222									
7/31/19	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
8/31/19	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
9/30/19	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
11/30/19	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
12/31/19	45	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
10/31/19	45	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
9/30/20	45	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
11/23/20	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
7/31/20	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
8/31/20	30	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									
10/31/20	45	MANCHIN, JOSEPH 2200 ENERGI		CANONSBURG	PA	15317									

1 Questions!