

From: Gara LaMarche¹
Re: Comments on National Security and Human Rights Campaign 2010
Budget
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I think this is a very good memo and the budget in terms of transparency, clarity and sufficiency, seems fine. So I would approve it, and you are welcome to pass that on to the higher-ups who will do the final review. I assume the particular issue that needs to be resolved is the request for another million and a half in 2010. That seems to me entirely justified not only in terms of meeting minimum needs, but because of the unanticipated expenditure of approximately the same amount this year for the JEHT grantees.

If you need anything more from me, let me know.

¹ We asked Gara LaMarche to review and comment on the National Security and Human Rights Campaign budget request because The Atlantic Philanthropies is our key funding partner in the campaign.