

# What is IBEW PAC?

Every day, elected officials make decisions that affect us — from pensions and health care to collective bargaining, jobs and more. Collective action is the power behind labor unions and IBEW PAC allows members to come together to create a powerful voice in the political process. IBEW PAC relies on contributions from IBEW members and increasing participation is critical to its continuing success. As the central channel for IBEW political contributions, the PAC enables the Government Affairs Department to influence decisions impacting IBEW members and the officials who make them by driving a policy agenda to benefit IBEW priorities. This includes:



**Expanding market share**



**Organizing new members**



**Representing our existing members at all levels of government**

Fundraising is key to political action and the IBEW PAC is one of the top political action committees in the United States. Thanks to our members' voluntary participation, we punch above our weight in raising money for political causes that serve IBEW membership, raising more than \$73 million for worker-friendly incumbents and committees in the 2024 election cycle. Every penny we receive goes straight into our work on behalf of IBEW members.



## THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING IBEW PAC

The IBEW PAC is a separate segregated fund established by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. Contributions to the IBEW PAC are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. IBEW PAC can only accept contributions from IBEW members who are U.S. citizens.

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Political Action Committee



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**GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS**

## IBEW PAC FAQs

Which party does IBEW PAC support?

IBEW PAC is bipartisan and supports labor-friendly candidates from both sides of the political aisle.

To whom does IBEW PAC donate?

IBEW PAC donates to candidates and committees at the local, state, and federal levels.

Who decides which candidate my contribution will support?

Your local union officers decide how contributions to the IBEW PAC from its members should be spent.

How does IBEW PAC get funded?

IBEW PAC is financed through voluntary contributions from hundreds of thousands of IBEW members throughout the United States.

Are my dues used to support political candidates?

No, the IBEW does not use national treasury money to contribute directly to candidates for office.

Why should I support IBEW PAC?

According to the Center for Responsive Politics, a nonpartisan research group, corporations spent \$15.9 billion on political contributions in the 2024 election cycle, nearly 16 times more than labor.

## IBEW PAC Protects



Healthcare



Pensions



Job Safety



Wages



Union  
Membership



The Right  
to Bargain

These are the main priorities of the IBEW PAC. We do not focus on social issues. We focus on some of the things that improve the lives of working-class Americans.

For more information  
<http://www.ibew.org/Political>

## GETTING INVOLVED



Contact your local union to see if they have a political check-off system in place.

Many local unions have a voluntary program where you can sign up to have money deducted from your paycheck on an hourly or weekly basis that is sent to the IBEW PAC.



Talk to your local union leadership about establishing a local union political action committee.

This committee should operate under the direction of the business manager. The local union PAC would educate local union members on political candidates and issues while also making endorsements and contributions.



Donate directly to the IBEW PAC.

Use the QR code below to go to the IBEW PAC Online Contribution Center where you can make a one time contribution or sign up for reoccurring contributions.

