WOODPAC

What is WOODPAC?

AWC WOODPAC is a qualified political action committee registered with the Federal Election Commission. A PAC enables employees or members of groups – such as select personnel of a trade association's member companies, corporations and professional organizations – to pool their political contributions to support a common goal. AWC's WOODPAC advances the goals of the wood products manufacturing industry on Capitol Hill and supports candidates who will assist AWC in achieving its legislative objectives.

What do I need to do?

Federal election law requires your signature on the authorization below before we can explain to you the benefits of contribution to AWC WOODPAC. To eliminate having to fill out an authorization form on an annual basis, you may authorize a solicitation over the next five years by placing your signature above the year(s) you wish to designate your approval.

When will the solicitation take place?

After AWC WOODPAC receives your signed authorization, we will mail a solicitation letter to you, and if you choose, mail a solicitation letter to you and eligible employees that you designate (who must in any event be members of your restricted class, which for corporations includes executive and administrative personnel, stockholders, and family members). A trade association PAC may not solicit a member's restricted class without its prior approval. Corporate contributions are not permitted. Contributions are for political purposes and are not deductible for federal tax purposes.

Yes, I grant AWC WOODPAC prior approval to conduct a solicitation campaign (Please check a box; default is box 2)

1. ☐ **I authorize AWC WOODPAC to solicit me during the year(s) which I approve.** I understand that my company can give only one trade association political action committee prior approval to solicit me or eligible employees of my organization in any calendar year.

2. ☐ **I authorize AWC WOODPAC to conduct a solicitation campaign among me and my company's executive, professional, and administrative personnel during the year(s) which I approve (and any specific employees you may authorize). I understand that my company can only allow one trade association political action committee to solicit me or eligible employees of my organization in any calendar year.** I understand that AWC WOODPAC will work with me and will not contact my employees directly.

Please sign below for each year for which you are giving the AWC WOODPAC prior approval.

Name	2016
Title	2017
Company	2018
Address	2019
City/State/Zip Code	2020

(This form can only be signed by a corporate employee authorized to provide solicitation approval.)

Questions? Please contact Alison Whitten at (202) 463-5174. You may scan this form and email it to Alison at awhitten@awc.org or mail it to AWC at 1101 K Street, N.W, Suite 700, Washington, D.C. 20005.

All contributions to AWC WOODPAC are strictly voluntary. You have the right to refuse to contribute without reprisal. AWC will not favor or disadvantage anyone because of the amount they contribute or because they decide not to contribute.