

HOSPAC's Designated Contribution Program

Increase the Strength of Your Political Contributions

HOSPAC's Designated Contribution program is designed to intensify your political clout – allowing you to support a specific candidate while also strengthening the collective voice of HOSPAC. Designating a contribution for a specific candidate is easy. To participate, you must be a current member of HOSPAC at the Chairman's Club level or higher. Any contributions above \$500 may be designated for a specific HOSPAC-endorsed candidate at the state level.

HOSPAC produces your designated contribution check and cover letter. A HOSPAC staff member will contact you to review the specifics of your designated contribution before producing the check and the accompanying cover letter. The letter is developed based on your input and approval, and can be signed by both you and the HOSPAC Board chairman. You also can invite other eligible individuals to combine their designated contributions with yours. The cover letter will clearly list each contributor's name, address and employer, and the amount of each contribution. Depending on your preference, some or all of the contributors may sign the letter.

You direct how the designated contribution check is delivered. The check can be sent to you so that you can personally deliver it to the candidate, or it can be delivered directly to the candidate. HOSPAC encourages contributors to personally deliver the check to the candidate, and, if needed, will help arrange this meeting for you.

Join Forces with HOSPAC!

HOSPAC works hand-in-hand with the Texas Hospital Association and its member hospitals to build vital relationships with lawmakers. And, HOSPAC will work hand-in-hand with you to show your support for specific HOSPAC-endorsed candidates. Help HOSPAC open the doors of influence... make your designated contribution today.

Contact **Lisa Kepple at 512/465-1047** or lkepple@tha.org to get started or simply complete and return the form on the back.



YES! I want to participate in HOSPAC's Designated Contribution Program.

First, you must be a Leadership Level member (Chairman's Club, \$500 or higher). Then, any amount above your membership level can be designated. Designated contributions may be made to any HOSPAC-endorsed state candidate. All contributions will count toward your year-end Leadership Level recognition.

Full name: _____
Title: _____
Organization: _____
Phone: _____
E-mail: _____

I AM DESIGNATING:

\$100 \$250 \$500 \$1,000 Other \$ _____

Candidate: _____

For the state public office of: _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

I have enclosed:

\$ _____ My annual Leadership Level contribution, if applicable (*\$500 or more*)

\$ _____ My designated contribution

\$ _____ **TOTAL**

My check is enclosed.

Please charge my credit card for \$ _____

VISA MasterCard American Express

Credit card number: _____ Exp. date: _____

Cardholder name: _____

Billing address: _____

Signature: _____

Once complete, please return this form by mail or fax to:

HOSPAC
P.O. Box 679010, Austin, TX 78767-9010

Secure FAX: 512/692-2825

- Contributions or gifts to political action committees (PACs) are not tax-deductible.
- State and federal law require PACs to report the name, address, occupation and employer of individuals whose contributions exceed \$200 within a calendar year.
- Your decision to participate is voluntary and will not affect any element of your employment.
- To be eligible to participate in HOSPAC Federal and receive AHAPAC benefits, solicitation authorization must be on file with HOSPAC.
- Eligible contributions are directed toward HOSPAC Federal until it reaches its annual goal. Otherwise, contributions are directed toward HOSPAC State, to which everyone may contribute.