

SCRIPT for PAT Reps doing a PAC-ASK

PAT-PAC is PAT's political action committee (PAC). We use money that is voluntarily contributed to elect pro-public education school boards, state representatives and senators, and governors.

Political decisions affect our classrooms, jobs, students, and families. Our union is facing unprecedented attacks and our profession and funding are under constant threat; we can't afford to sit on the sidelines. The one of the most powerful tools our association has to protect public schools is PAT-PAC.

We are going into a huge election year. We need elected leaders who strongly support public education. PAT PAC conducts local endorsement interviews with candidates for state legislature, local government, and school board, and helps elect candidates who support schools, workers, and our students.

Signing up has never been so easy, [here is the link to sign up](#).

In order to elect more of the leaders we need, we must strengthen our PAC through voluntary contributions of our members.

This contribution qualifies for Oregon Political Tax Credit. As little as \$5 a month makes a huge difference, and you can get it back (up to \$50 a year per individual, or \$100 when filing jointly) when you do your taxes!

Please sign up today!