

Political Action Committee

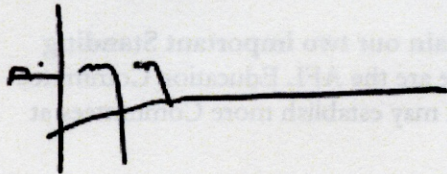
This Committee will work with the officers to support, and in some cases refine, the implementation of the AFL's Political Action Strategy (passed by Convention in 2011 and updated at our Conventions in 2013, 2015, and 2017). The Political Action Strategy lays out, in detail, how affiliate unions will engage in elections (with a focus on provincial elections). This Committee will also work with the officers on campaigns that have already been launched by the AFL, as well as providing strategic advice on emerging issues. The Political Action Committee will also work with the officers on the organization of lobby campaigns. It will also work with the officers on the development of the political action campaign adopted by delegates at the AFL's 2017 convention.

Please consult with you boards, leaders and activists and get us names for the AFL Working Groups and Standing Committees as soon as possible. **We're particular anxious to get moving on the Political Action Committee and Health and Safety/WCB Working Group.** In the interest of having a first meeting in November, ideally we would like names for the committees by the October council meeting (October 18/19). We hoping to have the first meetings of the Working Groups in November/December – but that can only happen if we have names from affiliates like yours!

Thanks for considering these requests. We look forward to an exciting and productive year!

A nomination form is attached for unions to complete for each individual named to sit on an AFL Working Group or Standing Committee. This information will be used to set up the lists for each working group or standing committee.

In solidarity,



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President
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