

## Focusing Your Political Resources

## Wisconsin Industry for the Protection of the Environment (WIPOE)

### ▶ Your WIPOE Contribution

- ◆ Wisconsin Industry for the Protection of the Environment (WIPOE) is a political conduit fund for the Wisconsin Onsite Wastewater Recycling Association. Participation is voluntary, but WOWRA members are invited to donate to this political campaign fund. A conduit fund is organized to disperse individual financial contributions on behalf of its members to political candidates who are helpful to our industry.
- ◆ Each WIPOE contribution you make is deposited into your personal WIPOE account, and in some cases combined with campaign contributions made by other WOWRA members to give to candidates.

### ▶ Targeting Your Resources

- ◆ WOWRA reviews all legislative initiatives affecting your right and ability to conduct your business in Wisconsin. WOWRA and the WIPOE are not aligned with any political party. We support those political candidates who are helpful to our industry.
- ◆ After making a donation to WIPOE, we will call you at some time asking that we use the money in your personal account to lend financial support to a specific candidate. You personally authorize every withdrawal before a donation is made to a political candidate or caucus in your name.

### ▶ Questions & Answers

- ◆ Why should I contribute to WIPOE? **A:** Laws that negatively affect the onsite industry can be made at any time. To protect your future, we need legislators in office who support our industry.
- ◆ Why should my contributions go through WIPOE? Why not give directly to the candidate? **A:** It is more effective to give through WIPOE. Through WIPOE, the onsite industry receives credit for the contribution as well as the individual. A contribution through WIPOE identifies both you and WOWRA to candidates.
- ◆ Can I make a personal or business contribution? **A:** WIPOE can only accept and disperse personal contributions, i.e. personal checks—not corporate checks.

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Please make checks payable to WIPOE and mail them to the above address.

**Remember, personal checks only!**

Wisconsin Industry for the Protection of the Environment / Pledge Form

YOUR NAME \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY NAME \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRIBUTION AMOUNT \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Personal Checks Only!)