



# 2010 REALTOR® Action Fund Pledge Form

I \_\_\_\_\_ understand the threats and issues facing organized real estate. In order to help protect and preserve my business, I promise to invest \$ \_\_\_\_\_ into the REALTOR® Action Fund when I receive my Dues Billing Statement.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Association

Political contributions are not tax deductible as charitable contributions for federal and state income tax purposes. This form and the accompanying solicitation are intended only for members of C.A.R. (and executive and administrative employees of C.A.R. or its affiliates). Contributions received from others will be returned to the donors. The REALTOR® Action Fund is a voluntary program and contributions are not limited to the suggested amounts. Contributors will not be favored or disfavored by reason of the amount of their contribution or their decision not to contribute. Failure to contribute will not affect an individual's membership status in the CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® (C.A.R.). Your contribution(s) will be allocated among three of C.A.R.'s political action committees, according to a formula approved by the C.A.R. Board of Directors. These political action committees are: CREPAC (supports candidates for public office at the state and local levels); CREPAC/Federal (supports candidates for the U.S. Senate and House of Representatives); and CREIEC (makes independent expenditures in support of or opposition to candidates at the state and local levels). The allocation formula is subject to change including re-designating a portion to IMPAC. (IMPAC is a separate political action committee which supports local and state ballot measures and other issues that impact real property in California.) Corporate contributions are currently legal and acceptable under California law. Corporate contributions cannot be used in federal elections and will be deposited in CREPAC, and/or CREIEC. Up to the first \$98, corporate contributions are expected to be allocated 80% to CREPAC (40% of which is allocated for local races) and 20% to CREIEC. Any additional amount will be allocated 100% to CREIEC. Up to the first \$98, personal contributions are expected to be allocated 75% to CREPAC (40% of which is allocated for local races) and 25% to CREIEC. Any additional amount will be allocated to CREPAC/Federal (up to the maximum amount allowed). Contributions in excess of the contributions limits will be reallocated to another PAC connected with C.A.R. or refunded to the contributor. Under the Federal Election Campaign Act, an individual may contribute up to \$5,000 in a calendar year to CREPAC/Federal.