



Dear SVVAR Member:

If we don't protect our business, WHO WILL? Together we are better.

RAPAC stands for the REALTORS® of Arizona Political Action Committee. It is managed through the Arizona Association of REALTORS®.

Political Action Committees are generally based on one special issue or party interest. RAPAC is not. It is a bipartisan organization that exists to protect and promote REALTOR® interests and real estate industry-related issues across our State. In fact, RAPAC works for you on a number of issues **including water rights, private property rights, signage, HOA legislation and ADRE requirements**, to name just a few.

Each legislative session 1100 to 1400 legislative bills are introduced, hundreds of which involve real estate concerns. Your RAPAC investment gives us a voice at the Capitol that allows us to provide *advice, information and actions in response to proposed policies that can hurt or help our industry as well as our ability to do business.*

At a minimum, 15% of all proposed legislation introduced at the Capitol each year impacts REALTORS® - that amounts to several hundred bills each year! Most of which would increase REALTOR® liability and decrease REALTOR® profits as well as infringe on private property rights. I don't have time to be at the Capitol or in touch with my elected officials on a daily basis, so I count on RAPAC.

Due to our relationships with our elected officials, we had been fighting the implementation of professional services taxes for many years. Through the efforts of the Arizona REALTORS®, we recently changed the Arizona Constitution to prohibit any new professional services taxes. What that means to you – **we prevented future taxes that would increase the costs of the home buying process, not to mention childcare, healthcare, car repairs, and other vital services we all use.**

Supporting RAPAC is a way to ensure that your right to do business is protected. I personally, like to look at it this way: I get to vote twice – once with RAPAC on behalf of my industry and the second with my heart at the polls!

May we count on you to support RAPAC in 2019? As an incentive, each REALTOR® who invests **\$35 will be entered into a drawing for a \$200 Visa gift card.** You may increase that RAPAC investment for additional gift card prizes based on the amount invested:

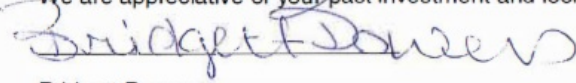
Invest \$100 and get an entry to win a \$400 Visa gift card

Invest \$500 and get an entry to win a \$900 Visa gift card

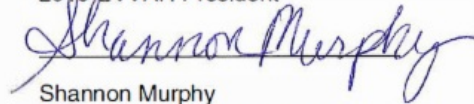
Invest \$1,000 and get an entry to win a \$2,000 Visa gift card **(Installment Plan available)**

Deadline is **January 15, 2019.**

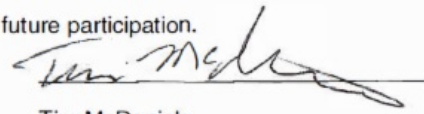
We are appreciative of your past investment and look forward to your future participation.




Bridgett Bowers
2019 SVVAR President



Shannon Murphy
2019 RAPAC Affiliate Co-Chair



Tim McDaniel
2019 NAR REALTOR® Party Liaison



Gary Lund
2019 RAPAC REALTOR® Co-Chair

5 GREAT REASONS TO INVEST IN RAPAC

INVEST \$35 or MORE IN RAPAC BY TUESDAY, JANUARY 15, 2019 AND BE ENTERED TO WIN A FABULOUS PRIZE!!!



Invest at least \$35 in RAPAC and get entered into one of our fabulous drawings!

Make your \$35 RAPAC Fair Share Investment, along with your 2019 Dues, and you will be entered to win a

\$200 VISA Gift Card!

BIGGER PRIZES.....

The MORE You Invest,
The BIGGER
THE PRIZE!*



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***EACH MEMBER IS ALLOWED TO BE ENTERED INTO ONLY ONE DRAWING.**

DRAWINGS WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2019 AND WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED.

If you've already made a RAPAC investment with your dues but would like to invest more, to be put into one of the bigger prize drawings, [click here](#).

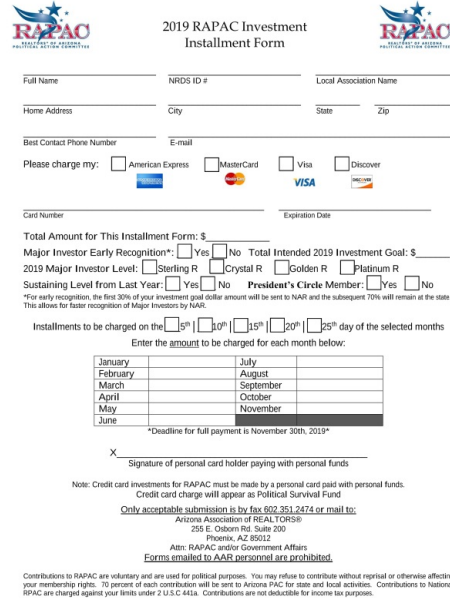
THE EASIEST WAY TO INVEST...

Want to know the easiest way to invest in RAPAC?

AAR offers a way for you to become a Major Investor for 2019 by investing \$84 a month for 12 months. If you do so you will be entered in the \$2000 VISA card drawing. Here's how:

You must fill out the 2019 RAPAC Investment Installment Form ([CLICK HERE FOR THE FORM](#)) and fax or mail to AAR by Tuesday, January 15, 2019 .

(IMPORTANT: Entering \$84 when paying your 2019 dues does not qualify.)



2019 RAPAC Investment Installment Form

Full Name _____ NRGS ID # _____ Local Association Name _____

Home Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Best Contact Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

Please charge my: American Express MasterCard Visa Discover

Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Total Amount for This Installment Form: \$ _____

Major Investor Early Recognition*: Yes No Total Intended 2019 Investment Goal: \$ _____

2019 Major Investor Level: Sterling R Crystal R Golden R Platinum R

Sustaining Level from Last Year: Yes No President's Circle Member: Yes No

*For early recognition, the first 20% of your investment goal dollar amount will be sent to NAR and the subsequent 70% will remain at the state. This allows for faster recognition of Major Investors by AAR.

Installments to be charged on the 5th 10th 15th 20th 25th day of the selected months

Enter the amount to be charged for each month below:

January	July
February	August
March	September
April	October
May	November
June	

Deadline for full payment is November 30th, 2019

X _____
Signature of personal card holder paying with personal funds

Note: Credit card investments for RAPAC must be made by a personal card paid with personal funds. Credit card charge will appear as Political Survival Fund

Only acceptable submission is by fax (602-351-2474) or mail to:
Arizona Association of REALTORS®
255 E. Osborn Rd., Suite 200
Phoenix, AZ 85012
Attn: RAPAC and/or Government Affairs
Forms emailed to AAR personnel are prohibited.

Contributions to RAPAC are voluntary and are used for political purposes. You may refuse to contribute without reprisal or otherwise affecting your membership rights. 70 percent of each contribution will be sent to Arizona PAC for state and local activities. Contributions to National RPAC are charged against your limits under 2 U.S.C 441a. Contributions are not deductible for income tax purposes.

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