

Campaign Contribution Limits 2025-2026 Election Cycle

Effective January 1, 2025¹

		Recipient				
		Statewide Candidate ²	Legislative Candidate ³	Local Candidate ⁴	PAC ⁵	Political Party ⁶
Contributor	Individual	\$5,500 ⁷	\$5,500 ⁸	\$6,750 ⁹	Unlimited ¹⁰	Unlimited ¹¹
	Partnership	\$5,500 ¹²	\$5,500 ¹³	\$6,750 ¹⁴	Unlimited ¹⁵	Unlimited ¹⁶
	Candidate Committee	Generally prohibited (except donation of surplus funds) ¹⁷	Generally prohibited (except donation of surplus funds) ¹⁸	Generally prohibited (except donation of surplus funds) ¹⁹	Unlimited ²⁰	Unlimited ²¹
	PAC <i>without</i> Mega PAC status (using non-corporate/ non-union funds) ²²	\$5,500 ²³	\$5,500 ²⁴	\$6,750 ²⁵	Unlimited ²⁶	Unlimited ²⁷
	PAC <i>with</i> Mega PAC status (using non-corporate/ non-union funds) ²⁸	\$11,000 ²⁹	\$11,000 ³⁰	\$13,500 ³¹	Unlimited ³²	Unlimited ³³
	Political Party (using non-corporate/non-union funds) ³⁴	\$80,500 (to a party nominee only) ³⁵	\$8,500 (to a party nominee only) ³⁶	\$10,500 (to a party nominee only) ³⁷	Unlimited ³⁸	Unlimited ³⁹
	Corporation	Prohibited ⁴⁰	Prohibited ⁴¹	Prohibited ⁴²	Unlimited ⁴³	Unlimited ⁴⁴
	Limited Liability Company	Prohibited ⁴⁵	Prohibited ⁴⁶	Prohibited ⁴⁷	Unlimited ⁴⁸	Unlimited ⁴⁹
	Trust, Joint Venture, Cooperative, or Other Unincorporated Organization or Association	Prohibited ⁵⁰	Prohibited ⁵¹	Prohibited ⁵²	Unlimited ⁵³	Unlimited ⁵⁴
	Union	Prohibited ⁵⁵	Prohibited ⁵⁶	Prohibited ⁵⁷	Unlimited ⁵⁸	Unlimited ⁵⁹

1 In January of each odd-numbered year, the Secretary of State is required to increase the contribution limits specified in Title 16, Chapter 6, Article 1.2 by \$100.

A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2).

2 A statewide candidate is a candidate for the office of Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Corporation Commissioner or Mine Inspector. A.R.S. § 16-901(49).

3 A legislative candidate is a candidate for the office of Representative in the State House of Representatives or Senator in the State Senate. A.R.S. § 16-901(36).

4 A local candidate is a candidate for county, city, town, or district office.

5 A “PAC” or “political action committee” is an entity or group that is required to register as a political action committee because it (1) is organized for the primary purpose of influencing the result of an election; and (2) knowingly received contributions or made expenditures (in any combination) of at least \$1,000 in connection with any election during a calendar year. A.R.S. §§ 16-901(41); 16-905(B).

6 A “political party” is an officially recognized political party at the state, legislative district, county, city or town level that has qualified as a political party pursuant to Title 16, Chapter 5. A.R.S. § 16-901(42); *see also* A.R.S. §§ 16-801 to 16-828.

7 A.R.S. § 16-912(A)(3). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2). 8 A.R.S. § 16-912(A)(2). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2). 9 A.R.S. § 16-912(A)(1). Base contribution limits are increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2).

10 A.R.S. § 16-912(B).

11 A.R.S. § 16-912(B).

12 A.R.S. § 16-917(A)(3). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2).

13 A.R.S. § 16-917(A)(2). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2).

14 A.R.S. § 16-917(A)(1). Base contribution limits are increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2).

15 A.R.S. § 16-917(B).

16 A.R.S. § 16-917(B).

17 A.R.S. § 16-913(A); *see also* A.R.S. § 16-933(A)(3).

18 A.R.S. § 16-913(A); *see also* A.R.S. § 16-933(A)(3).

19 A.R.S. § 16-913(A); *see also* A.R.S. § 16-933(A)(3).

20 A.R.S. § 16-913(E).

21 A.R.S. § 16-913(E).

22 A “PAC” or “political action committee” is an entity or group that is required to register as a political action committee because it (1) is organized for the primary purpose of influencing the result of an election; and (2) knowingly received contributions or made expenditures (in any combination) of at least \$1,000 in connection with any election during a calendar year. A.R.S. §§ 16-901(41); 16-905(C). A PAC without “Mega PAC” status is permitted to contribute at the same levels as an individual. A.R.S. § 16-914(A); *see also* A.R.S. §§ 16-901(37) and 16-908 (defining conditions to achieve Mega PAC status).

23 A.R.S. § 16-914(A)(3). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2). 24 A.R.S. § 16-914(A)(2). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2). 25 A.R.S. § 16-914(A)(1). Base contribution limits are increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2).

26 A.R.S. § 16-914(D).

27 A.R.S. § 16-914(D).

28 A “PAC” or “political action committee” is an entity or group that is required to register as a political action committee because it (1) is organized for the primary purpose of influencing the result of an election; and (2) knowingly received contributions or made expenditures (in any combination) of at least \$1,000 in connection with any election during a calendar year. A.R.S. §§ 16-901(41); 16-905(C). A PAC with “Mega PAC” status is permitted to contribute at twice levels as an individual or regular PAC. A.R.S. § 16-914(B). “Mega PAC” status means official recognition that a PAC has received contributions from five hundred or more individuals in amounts of ten dollars or more in the four-year period immediately before application to the Secretary of State. A.R.S. §§ 16-901(37) and 16-908.

29 A.R.S. § 16-914(B).

30 A.R.S. § 16-914(B).

31 A.R.S. § 16-914(B).

32 A.R.S. § 16-914(D).

33 A.R.S. § 16-914(D).

34 A “political party” is an officially recognized political party at the state, legislative district, county, city or town level that has qualified as a political party pursuant to Title 16, Chapter 5. A.R.S. § 16-901(42); *see also* A.R.S. §§ 16-801 to 16-828.

35 A.R.S. § 16-915(A)(3). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2). 36 A.R.S. § 16-915(A)(2). Base contribution limits are reduced by 20% pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-941(B), but increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2). 37 A.R.S. § 16-915(A)(1). Base contribution limits are increased by \$100 pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-931(A)(2).

38 A.R.S. § 16-915(D).

39 A.R.S. § 16-915(D).

40 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

41 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

42 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

43 A.R.S. § 16-916(B).

44 A.R.S. § 16-916(B).

45 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

46 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

47 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

48 A.R.S. § 16-916(B).

49 A.R.S. § 16-916(B).

50 A.R.S. § 16-913(D).

51 A.R.S. § 16-913(D).

52 A.R.S. § 16-913(D).

53 A.R.S. § 16-911(A).

54 A.R.S. § 16-911(A).

55 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

56 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

57 A.R.S. § 16-916(A).

58 A.R.S. § 16-916(B).

59 A.R.S. § 16-916(B).