

# Why Should I give to RPAC?



*RPAC was created in 1969 to financially support lawmakers for their willingness to listen to our member issues and concerns and for their support of legislation protecting private property rights. RPAC enhances the ability of our members to secure a 'seat at the table' and its purpose is to promote or defend issues that affect our livelihood.*

## **How does it contribute to my bottom line?**

- An RPAC contribution is an investment in your business future – some even refer to it as “business insurance,” since it protects your right to do business.
- RPAC supports and defends the right to own, use & transfer real property.

## **RPAC supports “The REALTOR® Party”**

- RPAC contributions to candidates are made on a NON-Partisan basis
- RPAC supports candidates who support the positions of our industry
- RPAC is an investment in future direction of this country
- RPAC contributions reward access & responsiveness
- RPAC has an outstanding election track record

## **Seventy percent of your contribution stays right here in Massachusetts** to support legislators and candidates who:

- oppose transfer taxes
- support Smart Growth
- defend our members' right to earn a commission
- support a uniform Title V code
- and more (see pages two and three)

## **RPAC supports federal lawmakers and candidates** who:

- can be counted on to support homeownership programs
- are working with the REALTOR organization to pass legislation that would enable trade associations like ours to provide health insurance to their members
- are willing to stand up to the large, federally chartered banks who propose engaging in real estate brokerage, contrary to federal law and the will of Congress
- support our members' right to make a living and understand our members' difficulties in assisting consumers achieve the American Dream of homeownership