

## CHECKOFF AUTHORIZATION CARD

To My Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize and direct you to deduct from my pay as your employee the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ dollars per pay period and to remit that amount to the Amalgamated Transit Union committee on Political Education (ATU-COPE).

This authorization is voluntarily made by me, based on my specific understanding that the signing of this Authorization Card and the making of these voluntary contributions are not conditions of membership in the Union, or of employment by my employer: that I may refuse to contribute without reprisal: and that I may contribute more or less and will not be favored or disadvantaged by the Union for doing so: and that the ATU-COPE is a Political Action Committee (PAC) connected with the Amalgamated Transit Union, which will use my contribution for political purposes, including but not limited to, making contributions to and expenditures for, candidates for federal, state and local offices and addressing federal, state and local political issues. This authorization shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by me in writing.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security No: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized by the Amalgamated Transit Union on behalf of a fund-raising effort for the Amalgamated Transit Union Committee on Political Education (ATU-COPE). Contributions or gifts to Amalgamated Transit Union COPE are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes.