



NATIONAL ADVISORY BOARD

Established in January of 2002, the **National Advisory Board (NAB)** is an esteemed group of individuals that represents the highest level of support given to the **Democratic National Committee**, as well as a commitment to the long-term sustainability of the Democratic Party. Members are looked to for inspiration, ideas and outreach in the Democratic community. The National Advisory Board is an intimate group of those who have the ability to contribute not only financial resources, but insight and leadership as well.

The National Advisory Board gathers exclusively on several occasions to be recognized by senior Party leadership and to contribute to shaping policy agendas. In addition, members will be invited to attend virtually all events sponsored by the DNC -- weekend retreats, private dinners and receptions, conferences and policy discussions.

Annual Membership Activities and Requirements

Quarterly Board Meetings

Together with the National Finance Committee, the National Advisory Board meets four times throughout the year in Washington, DC to discuss current issues, policies, and strategies.. They have an opportunity to meet senior members of the Obama Administration and senior members of Congress, and to hear from political analysts and policy experts.

At these quarterly meetings, there will be at least one reception that is devoted exclusively to NAB members only.

Bi-Monthly Conference Calls and Weekly Emails

National Advisory Board members receive an invitation to participate in twice-monthly conference calls and receive weekly updates regarding upcoming events at the DNC.

Reciprocal Membership

National Advisory Board members receive reciprocal memberships and the respective privileges in all of our other donor councils, including the Democratic Business Council, the Gay & Lesbian Leadership Council, and the Women's Leadership Forum.

2009 Annual Membership Requirement

Members of the National Advisory Board commit to contribute **\$30,400**** (the federal maximum) for four consecutive calendar years.

In addition, your contribution will entitle you to attend one fundraising event at the \$30,400 level around the country per year.

Contributions to the Democratic National Committee are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal income tax purposes.

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