

Employee Authorization For Payroll Deduction Of Union Dues And Initiation Fee For CWA

(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Dept.)	(Local No.)	(Social Security Number)
(Work Locality)	(City or Town)	(State)	(Zip Code)	

Beginning in _____, _____, I hereby authorize _____, to deduct from the compensation
 (Month) (Year) (Employer)
 (including disability benefits or vacation payments) due me once an amount equal to the initiation fee certified in writing to the Company by the Secretary-Treasurer of the Communications Workers of America, or his/her duly constituted agent, and each month an amount equal to regular monthly Union dues, certified in writing to the Company by the Secretary-Treasurer of the Communications Workers of America, or his/her duly constituted agent. Each amount so deducted shall be remitted to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Communications Workers of America, or his/her duly constituted agent. If for any reason the Company fails to make a deduction, I authorize the Company to make such deduction in a subsequent payroll period.

This authorization is voluntarily made and is neither conditioned on my present or future membership in the Union, nor is it to be considered as a quid pro quo for membership. This authorization shall continue in effect until canceled by written notice signed by me and individually sent to the Company and to the Union. This cancellation of authorization must be postmarked during the fourteen (14) day period prior to each anniversary date of the current or any subsequent Collective Bargaining Agreement, or during the fourteen (14) day period prior to the termination of the current or any subsequent Collective Bargaining Agreement.

 (Date) (Signature of Employee Authorizing Deduction)

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ SOCIAL SECURITY NO. _____
 (Please Print)
 ADDRESS _____
 (Street) (City and State) (Zip Code)

I hereby request and accept membership in the COMMUNICATIONS WORKERS OF AMERICA and when accepted by the Local, agree to be bound by the Constitution of the Union and Amendments thereto and Rules and Regulations now in effect or subsequently enacted by the Union and/or the Local to which I am assigned.

Date _____	Signature _____
Local _____	Company Name _____
Benefit Date _____	Work Location _____
Voting Section _____	Department _____
Initiation Fee \$ _____	Representative _____
___ Accepted ___ Rejected ___ Registered Voter	Personal Email Address _____

AUTHORIZING SIGNATURE _____

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LOCAL COPY 

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**POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS COMMITTEE
 PAYROLL DEDUCTION CARD**

I hereby authorize my employer to deduct from my wages the sum of \$ _____ each pay period and to remit such amount to the Communications Workers of America Committee on Political Education Political Contributions Committee (CWA-CWA-COPE PCC).

This Authorization is voluntarily made based on my specific understanding that:

- The signing of this authorization card and the making of contributions to CWA-COPE PCC are not conditions of membership in the union nor of employment with the Company and that I may refuse to do so without fear of reprisal.
- I am making a contribution to a joint fund-raising effort sponsored by CWA-COPE PCC and the AFL-CIO Committee on Political Education Political Contributions Committee (AFL-CIO COPE PCC) and that CWA-COPE and AFL-CIO COPE PCC will use my contributions for political purposes, including but not limited to, the making of contributions to or expenditures on behalf of candidates for federal, state and local offices and addressing political issues of public importance.
- Federal law requires us to use our best efforts to collect and report the name, mailing address, occupation and the name of employer of individuals whose contributions exceed \$200 in a calendar year.
- Contributions or gifts to CWA-COPE PCC and AFL-CIO COPE PCC are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes.

Check one: _____ New Enrollment _____ Change of Amount _____ Cancellation

_____ (Employee Signature)	_____ (Date)	_____ (Print Name)
_____ (Mailing Address)	_____ (City)	_____ (State/ZIP)
_____ (Name of Employer)	_____ (Occupation)	_____ (Social Security Number)

LOCAL NUMBER _____

 (Signature of Union Representative Certifying that Employee is Eligible to Participate)

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