

# Conduit Registration Statement

## State of Wisconsin

### GAB-9

NOTICE: Any change of information on this registration statement must be filed within 10 days.

Is this an amendment?       Yes       No

## Conduit Information

Name of Conduit Fund and Acronym (if any)			
Name of Sponsoring Organization			
Address	City	State	Zip
Name of Administrator (Campaign finance correspondence is mailed to this address.)		Daytime Phone	
Address (if different from above)	City	State	Zip
Administrator's E-mail Address			

## Depository Information

Name of Financial Institution	Account Number
Address (Number and Street)	City, State, and Zip Code

## Certification

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify the information in this statement is true, correct, and complete.  
(Print full name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Administrator)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

The information on this form is required by s.11.05, Stats. Failure to provide the information may subject you to the penalties of ss.11.60, 11.61, 11.66, Stats.

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# Information for Conduits

## Registration Requirements

A conduit is required to register (Form GAB-9) with the appropriate filing officer, as defined in s.11.02, Stats., no later than the date of the initial transfer of a contribution to a candidate, personal campaign committee, legislative campaign committee, or political party committee.

The conduit shall provide on the registration form:

- the name of the conduit fund and, if the conduit uses an acronym, the acronym.
- the name and address of the sponsoring organization, if any. Sponsoring organizations must be separately registered with the appropriate filing officer. Sponsoring organizations may pay solicitation and administrative expenses (including filing fees) for the conduit.
- the name, address and e-mail address of the administrator of the conduit fund.
- the name and address of the financial institution where the conduit account is maintained and the depository account number.

**Campaign finance correspondence is e-mailed and mailed to the administrator at the addresses provided.**

## Reporting Requirements

1. Conduits are required to file campaign finance reports at times specified in s.11.20, Stats. The Board has determined that these reports shall consist of a summary report (Form GAB-10) listing the date, amount, name and address of each recipient of all contributions transferred in the report period, and one copy of the transmittal letter required by s.11.06 (11)(a), Stats.
2. Each transmittal letter shall contain:
  - a. A statement identifying the transferor as a conduit.
  - b. Name and address of the candidate, personal campaign committee, political party committee, or legislative campaign committee to which the contribution(s) are transferred and date of transfer.
  - c. Name and complete address of each individual contributor, and total amount of each contribution transferred regardless of the amount.
  - d. Individual contributor's occupation and the name and complete address of the principal place of employment, if any, for any individual contribution which exceeds \$100 cumulatively in the calendar year.
  - e. **The total individual contributions reported must equal the total transfer.**
3. A conduit must file a *Pre-Primary* or *Pre-Election Report* only when a contribution is transferred to a candidate who is in the election during that report period.
4. A conduit **must file** a *Special Report of Late Contribution for Conduits (GAB-4)* if it transfers \$500 or more to a candidate during the 15-day period prior to the Primary or Election, either in one transaction or cumulatively over the 15-day period.
5. If no contributions are transferred in a continuing report period (January 1-June 30, July 1-December 31), the conduit may file the *Postcard Report Form (GAB-10a)* indicating no contributions during the report period.
6. The conduit administrator signs all reports to certify that the information is true and complete.