



JIM JOHNSTON RPAC EXCELLENCE AWARD

1. Since 1969, the REALTORS® Political Action Committee (RPAC) has promoted the election of pro-REALTOR® candidates across the United States. The purpose of RPAC is clear: REALTORS® raise and spend money to elect candidates who understand and support the issues important to their profession and livelihood.
2. The state award is named after Jim Johnston an Idaho REALTOR® and member of the Greater Pocatello Association. Jim has invested over \$100,000 in RPAC. He is a NAR Hall of Fame inductee for RPAC and many regard him as the godfather of RPAC in our state. This seems like a fitting tribute to Jim and the award will recognize his legacy to RPAC.
3. IR will present the award annually during the Spring Board of Directors meeting AND it will be a travelling trophy that will reside with the winning local association throughout the year until the next award ceremony.
4. The award will be given to the REALTOR local association in Idaho whose sacrifice and contributions to RPAC exceeded all others during the previous calendar year. Through their commitment advocacy is leading to sound policies triumphing over politics.
5. The winning association is the one with the most criteria completed among:
 - **Highest % participation in RPAC;**
 - **Highest % contribution per member;**
 - **Highest % of major investors;**
 - **Highest % of President's Circle members;**
 - **Most funds raised from an auction item at the IR annual pledge event during convention.**

The local association with the most criteria accomplished wins. In the event of a tie the tiebreaker will be the highest % of affiliates who invest in the Corporate Ally Program (CAP).