

USE YOUR RIGHTS

HATCH ACT DO'S

Federal Employees May:

- Register and vote as they choose;
- Assist in voter registration drives;
- Express opinions about all candidates and issues, privately and publicly;
- Run for election to a non-partisan office;
- Contribute money to TEPAC or other political organizations or attend a political fund raising function;
- Sign petitions, including nomination petitions;
- Wear political badges, buttons (except in government buildings or while on duty);
- Run for office within party organizations and meetings as an elected representative of a partisan organization;
- Take an active part in political management of campaigns;
- Solicit contributions to TEPAC from another NTEU member provided that the contributor is not a subordinate employee;
- Spouses and other members of an employee's family may engage in all forms of partisan political activities.

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Federal Employees May Not:

- Be candidates for partisan public office;
- Use their official position to influence election results;
- Engage in partisan political activity in government buildings or while on duty;
- Collect, solicit, receive, handle, disburse or account for contributions from the general public;
- Wear a government uniform or government insignia while engaged in political activities.

