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Opposition of House Bill 2023

I am Mike Kane from Laborers' 1290 in Kansas City Kansas. I am here today to oppose this bill. The process in which we collect the PAC as follows:

- Each employee if they so choose to give to the "PAC" fund does it by volunteering of his or her own choice.
- If the employee signs the form and requests a dedicated amount to be taken out. The deduction is done once a month and submitted to the fund.
- As requests for support are received, the Executive Board would meet and discuss the requests as well as screen some of the candidates. A recommendation is discussed and made and then voted upon by the membership.

This is our way of making sure that we have supported the candidates of our choice. I am not sure if you know we have given to both Democrats and Republicans. Our goal is to support the working class people. We believe this House Bill is in an effort to reduce our voice.

House Commerce & Economic
Development Committee

Date: 1-23-13

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