

DONATE		ß
c \$5.00 ic \$112 \$	;	00
FIRST NAME	LAST NA	ME
ADDRESS	ung ang ain 10 /	
CITY	STATE	<b>ZIP</b> 95131
EMAIL ADDRESS		

Election law requires us to report the name, mailing address, occupation, and name



## DONATE \$5 & STAND WITH ARIZONA

of employer of each individual whose contributions exceed \$200 in an election cycle.

## **EMPLOYER**

## OCCUPATION

## CREDIT CARD NUMBER

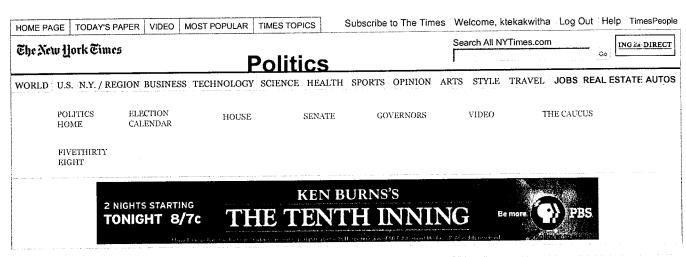
TYPE		MONTH	YEAR	
Visa	-	01 🗸	2012 👻	

Submit Query



Contributions are not deductible as charitable donations for federal income tax purposes. Contributions to RGA will not be used in connection with federal election activity. Contributions from foreign nationals are prohibited. Contributions to RGA may be used in RGA's affiliated state PACs.

Show your support for Governor Brewer by contributing just \$5. Our tax dollars should be spent securing the border, not suing those that try to protect it. Paid for by the Republican Governor's Association



## News Corp. Gives Republicans \$1 Million

By ERIC LICHTBLAU and BRIAN STELTER Published: August 17, 2010

WASHINGTON - With Republicans hoping to recapture a number of statehouses in November, the media conglomerate headed by <u>Rupert Murdoch</u> is inserting itself into the races in bold fashion with a \$1 million donation to the Republican Governors Association.

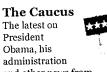


Don Emmert/Agence France-Presse ----Getty Images

Rupert Murdoch

Post a Comment

## Blog



Obama, his administration and other news from Washington and around the nation. Join the discussion. FiveThirtyEight: Nate Silver's Political Calculus

The contribution from Mr. Murdoch's News Corporation, which owns Fox News, The Wall Street Journal, The New York

Post and other news outlets, is one of the biggest ever given by a media organization, campaign finance experts said.

Democrats seized on the donation as evidence of the News Corporation's conservative leanings, with Media Matters for America, a liberal group that has tangled often with the company, calling it "an appendage of the <u>Republican Party</u>."

But News Corporation executives said the political priorities at the Republican Governors Association and its emphasis on low taxes and economic growth dovetailed with the company's own concerns. "News Corp. has always believed in the power of free markets, and organizations like the R.G.A., which have a pro-business agenda, support our priorities at this most critical time for our economy," said Jack Horner, a company

Log in to see what your friends are sharing on

Log In With Facebook

nytimes.com. Privacy Policy | What's This?

### What's Popular Now 🛐



RECOMMEND

TWITTER

E-MAIL

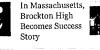
SEND TO

REPRINTS

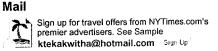
SHARE

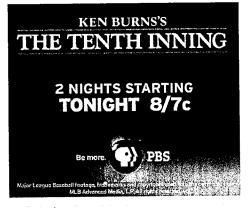
PHONE

PRINT



Great Getaways - Travel Deals by E-





### MOST POPULAR

E-MAILED BLOGGED SEARCHED VIEWED

- 1. 4,100 Students Prove 'Small Is Better' Rule Wrong
- 2. Move Over, Bedbugs: Stink Bugs Have Landed
- Basic Religion Test Stumps Many Americans 3.
- Op-Ed Contributors: Ditch Your Laptop,

More Politics News

spokesman.

Mr. Horner said that the company's corporate side made the donation with no involvement by its news operation and that the gift would not have any impact on newsgathering operations. "There is a strict wall between business and editorial," he added.

Officials at the governors' association did not respond to requests for comment. The contribution, first reported by Bloomberg News, was made in June and is included in the Republican group's most recent second-quarter filings.

Over all, the group received \$19 million in donations during the quarter, far outpacing the Democratic Governors Association in a campaign when 37 governors' seats are up for grabs, according to the <u>Center for Responsive</u> <u>Politics</u>, a private research group.

The News Corporation's contribution was one of three donations of \$1 million or more that the Republican group received in the last quarter, with the Michigan Chamber of Commerce donating \$1.48 million and David Koch, executive vice president of Koch Industries, giving \$1 million.

The biggest donation to the Democratic governors' group was \$500,000 from the <u>American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees</u>.

Democrats now hold 26 governors' seats, but political analysts say that Republicans appear poised to pick up more in November even in states long dominated by Democrats. At stake is not only control of states' executive branches, but also influence over the redrawing of Congressional district lines next year — a once-in-a-decade process.

The News Corporation and its political action committee, News America Holdings, have given donations over the years to both Democratic and Republican candidates and causes, but never in the amount approaching the June donation, records show.

As a "527" political association, the Republican governors' group can raise unlimited amounts of money from corporate donors and individuals, and it was free to do so even before the <u>Supreme Court</u>'s landmark ruling this year in the Citizens United case. That ruling freed corporations to make direct political expenditures to influence campaigns, for instance, through media buys and commercials.

Dave Levinthal, a spokesman for the Center for Responsive Politics, said seven-figure donations from anyone to "527" associations were unusual, but a \$1 million donation from a news organization was particularly rare.

The donation generated significant buzz in Washington on Tuesday. Much of it focused on Fox News, whose stable of highly rated, conservative hosts have Dump Your Boyfriend

- 5. Anger as a Private Company Takes Over Libraries
- 6. Owner of Segway Company Dies in a Segway Accident
- 7. Well: Simplifying the Decision for a Prostate Screening
- 8. Vital Signs: Regimens: Massage Benefits Are More Than Skin Deep
- 9. Paul Krugman: Structure of Excuses
- 10. Water Use in Southwest Heads for a Day of Reckoning

### Go to Complete List »



### Harvey Fierstein's Op-Ed musings ALSO IN VIDEO » On the Street: Views

Figure 8 racing

ADVERTISEMENTS

Find your dream home with The New York Times Real Estate



VIDEO

Follow The New York Times on Twitter

Watch today's top videos

See the news in the making. Watch TimesCast, a daily news video.

## CheNeudorkëines Some Promise You the World. We Deliver. Save 50% on home delivery. Chele new.

Ads by Google

CircuitCity Official Site The Re-Launch Event Starts Now. New Lower Prices & Same Day Shipping! www.CircuitCity.com

http://www.nytimes.com/2010/08/18/us/politics/18donate.html?\_r=4&hp

what's this?

made it the frequent target of liberals, who accuse the network of blurring the line between news and opinion.

In an e-mail to reporters, the <u>Democratic National Committee</u> said the donation showed that Fox News' well-known mantra, "Fair and Balanced," had been "rendered utterly meaningless." Hari Sevugan, a D.N.C. spokesman, added that Fox News' political coverage "should have a disclaimer for what it truly is — partisan propaganda."

While many news organizations reported Tuesday on the \$1 million gift, a late-afternoon search of Fox News' Web site produced no mention of it.

Eric Lichtblau reported from Washington, and Brian Stelter from New York.

A version of this article appeared in print on August 18, 2010, on page A13 of the New York edition.

Get the full newspaper experience, and more, delivered to your Mac or PC. Times Reader 2.0: Try it FREE for 2 full weeks.

E-MAIL PRINT

REPRINTS

OPINION »

Editorial: Googling the Censors New tools from Google make it easier to see which

countries are trying

to restrict access to

information.

what's this?

Ads by Google

### CircuitCity.com

Exclusive Deals on Brand Name Electronics. Same Day Shipping! www.CircuitCity.com

### **Related Searches**

News Corporation	Get E-Mail Alerts
Republican Governors Assn	Get E-Mail Alerts
Murdoch, Rupert	Get E-Mail Alerts
Campaign Finance	Get E-Mail

## INSIDE NYTIMES.COM



Urban Turn for Workers Accustomed to the Forest



Rocker Follows His Work Onto a Broadway Stage



Alerts

BUSINESS »

India's Surveillance Plan Said to Deter Business

### SCIENCE »



The Oldest Trees May Soon Meet Their Match 



Room for Debate: Back to Trickle-Down Economics

.

Home World U.S. N.Y. / Region Business Technology Science Health Sports Opinio Back to Top	n <u>Arts Style Travel Jobs Real Estate Autos</u>
Copyright 2010 The New York Times Company Privacy Terms of Service Search Corrections	RSS First Look Help Contact Us Work for Us



## S27S ORGANIZATIONS Republican Governors Assn: Top Contributors, 2010 Cycle 2010

Rank	Contributor	Total
1	Michigan Chamber of Commerce	\$2,547,500
2	Perry Homes	\$2,500,000
3	Republican National Cmte (Employees)	\$1,530,450
4	Retired	\$1,253,792
5	Koch Industries	\$1,050,450
6	News Corp	\$1,010,450
7	Elliott Management	\$850,000
8	Blue Cross/Blue Shield	\$786,800
9	AT&T Inc	\$530,450
10	GlaxoSmithKline	\$500,000
11	Altria Group	\$495,000
12	Eli Lilly & Co	\$415,000
13	US Chamber of Commerce	\$400,000
14	Berkshire Hathaway	\$381,304
15	Devon Energy	\$350,450
16	Reynolds American	\$325,450
17	Travelers Indemnity	\$325,000
18	Pfizer Inc	\$315,375
19	Novartis AG	\$310,000
20	FirstEnergy Corp	\$300,000

Contributions may come from the organizations themselves or its individual members or employees or owners, and those individuals' immediate families. Organization totals include subsidiaries and affiliates.

This data is based on records released by the Internal Revenue Service on Tuesday, September 07, 2010.

Feel free to distribute or cite this material, but please credit the Center for Responsive Politics. For permission to reprint for commercial uses, such as textbooks, contact the Center.

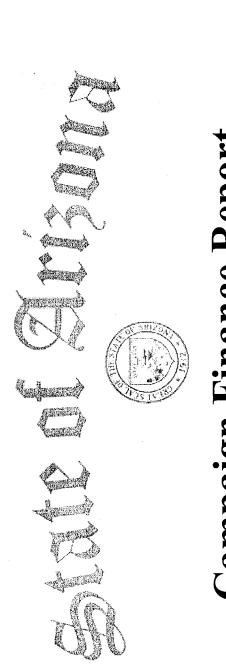
The Center for Responsive Politics

Except for the Revolving Door section, content on this site is licensed under a

Creative Commons Attribution-Noncommercial-Share Alike 3.0 United States License

by OpenSecrets.org. To request permission for commercial use, please contact us.

,



**Campaign Finance Report** 

RGA Arizona 2010 PAC Committee #: 201000467

1747 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Ste 250, Washington, DC 20006 Treasurer: Adams, Michael G. Email: madams@rga.org Phone: (202) 662-4162

# 2010 June 30th Report

Reporting Period: Election Cycle: Date Filed:

**2009-2010** June 30, 2010 January 1, 2010-May 31, 2010

# Summary of Finances

Total Cash Disbursements this Reporting Period: Cash Balance at Beginning of Reporting Period: Total Cash Receipts this Reporting Period: Cash Balance at End of Reporting Period:

\$35,000.00 \$1,165,000.00

\$0.00

\$1,200,000.00

Report ID: 54645

## June 30th Report Covers 01/01/2010 to 05/31/2010 Filed on 06/30/2010

## Summary of Activity

	Schedule		This Period		Total to Date
Income		Cash	Other	Total	
Domonal and Family Contributions	5	\$0.00	÷	\$0.00	\$0.00
reisoniai and ranning contractions	5 5	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
Contributions from Political Committees	ខ	\$1,200,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,200,0	\$1,200,000.00
Business Contributions	04 04	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
Small Contributions	C5	\$0.00			\$0.00
	Ce	\$0.00			\$0.00
	C7	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Local Mode to this Committee	5 -	\$0.00			\$0.00
Citat Ramineto Units Contributed		\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
Utiler Receipts, including interest and Dividences	1	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Cash Surplus from Dravious Committee	ۍ کړ	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
		\$1,200,000.00		\$1,200,000.00	\$1,200,000.00

Evanualitations	Schedule		This Period		Total to Nate
		Cash	Other	Total	1 0141 10 0416
Onorating Evances	L.			\$0.00	\$0.00
Operating Experises	i Ci	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Contributions to Other Committees	E3	\$25,000.00	\$0.00	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
Other Evences	Е4 Н	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Utilet LAperises Transform to Other Committees		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
I ransiels to Other Committees		\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
	۳ ۲	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
	3 <b>5</b>	\$0.00			\$0.00
Ulsposal of Surprus Cash	5	\$35,000.00		\$35,000.00	\$35,000.00
Dill Dovernate for Dravious Exnenditures	5	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Cash Disbursed		\$35,000.00			

## June 30th Report Covers 01/01/2010 to 05/31/2010

## -141 . Ч -C 0 --

Schedule	Schedule C3 - Contributions from political committees	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Name:	Republican Governors Association	02/16/2010	\$1,200,000.00	\$1,200,000.00
Address:	"1747 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW", Suite 250, Washington, DC 20006		MASII	
Total of Contrib	otal of Contributions from Committees		\$1,200,000.00	
Total of Refunds Given	s Given		\$0.00	
Net Total of Co	Net Total of Contributions from Committees		\$1,200,000.00	

## June 30th Report Covers 01/01/2010 to 05/31/2010

## 1111 412 . 1 .4... Ċ ۲ ۲ -. . (

Schedule	Schedule E3 - Contributions to other committees	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Name:	Arizona Republican Party	02/17/2010	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
Address:	3051 N 24th St, Phoenix, AZ 85016		Cash	
Total of Contrib	otal of Contributions to Other Committees		\$25,000.00	
Total of Refunds Received	Is Received		\$0.00	
Net Total of Co	Net Total of Contributions to Other Committees		\$25,000.00	
				-

June 30th Report Covers 01/01/2010 to 05/31/2010

# Schedule E4 - Other exnenses

Schedule	Schedule E4 - Other expenses	Date	Amount	Cycle To Date
Name:	Illuminati Research LLC	03/17/2010	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Address:	3532 S Nelson Way, Unit 207, Lakewood, CO 80235		Cash	
Total of Other Expenses	XDENSES		\$10,000.00	
Total of Refunds	Total of Refunds. Rebates. and Credits Received		\$0.00	
Net Total of Other Expenses	er Expenses		\$10,000.00	

June 30th Report Covers 01/01/2010 to 05/31/2010

•

9

Filed on 06/30/2010

.

·

. .



Suggest to Friends

INVITE ALL YOUR FRIENDS TO JOIN THE FACEBOOK PAGE

All you have to do is this: ▶ 1 Join this page. ▶ 2 Click on "Suggest to Friends" link below my picture.

3 Select all of your friends.

### Information

Country: United States

**Currently Running For** Office:

Governor

State:

Arizona Party:

Republican

**Current Office** Office:

Governor

State: Arizona

Party: Republican

## 324,274 People Like This





Brenda Burnett Griffey

Ray Wendt Marti Christia nsen

## **Governor Jan Brewer**

Wall Info







Search

Governor Jan Brewer Remember November! Arizona is not the or where the SEIU is targeting Republicans. In Wisconsin, SEIU operation admitted coordination with the Wisconsin Democratic gubernatorial ı and detailed a plan to launch fraudulent investigations into Scott Wa cause Wisconsin voters to distrust him. This i...

See More



www.standwithjan.com

Donate

Election law requires us to report the name, mailing address occupation, and name of employer of each individual whose contributions exceed \$200 in an election cycle.

18 hours ago · Share · Flag

3,243 people like this.

View all 333 comments



Governor Jan Brewer Stop by and join the Shame on SEIU Protes continues today from 11am to 1pm & 4pm to 6pm located at SEIU L Headquarters 3707 N. 7th Street, Suite 100, Phoenix, AZ 85014. The Labor Union is promoting and encouraging a boycott of Arizona as a the tough new SB 1070 immigration law. While they are a...

See More



## Obama, Goddard, SEIU: Truth Behind the Arizor www.youtube.com

The SEIU and UFCW actively supported President Oba and have endorsed Terry Goddard for Governor in 201 speech to the SEIU membership as a candidate for Pri Obama revealed the closeness of his relationship adm agenda is my agenda," adding that he consults with S

Yesterday at 9:05am · Share · Flag

2,366 people like this.

View all 416 comments



Governor Jan Brewer I am having a wonderful day today with my we celebrate my birthday! Thank you to all my fans for all the terrific wishes! I absolutely love reading each and every one of them. Sunday at 1:50pm

6,282 people like this.

View all 2,889 comments

Chat (Offline)

http://www.facebook.com/