

AZSFW is offering a special membership opportunity for sportsmen and women. Individual General Membership Fees will be **WAIVED** through December 31, 2009. Membership Benefits: (1)website access; (2)legislative action alerts; (3)Member rate forEvents; (4)AZSFW decal

AZSFW Political Action Committee (PAC) Contribution Drive **FOR EXISTING AND NEW AZSFW MEMBERS**

We are asking EXISTING AND NEW MEMBERS for a voluntary contribution to the AZSFW PAC. Members of AZSFW have the right to refuse to contribute without any reprisal. Your PAC contribution will be used for political purposes to support state or local candidates who are in support of AZSFW issues affecting sportsmen, wildlife and wildlife habitat.

All Pac contributors who make a minimum contribution of \$10 will be eligible to enter a drawing sponsored by AZSFW to win a Remington AR 15 Hunting Rifle and a Remington Sporting 12 Shotgun to be given away in the Fall of 2009. Two tickets will be drawn and the first drawn has the option of a rifle or shotgun.

Why we need a Sportsman's Super PAC!!

- (1) **Only 19 Super PACs exist in Arizona. A Super PAC is generally organized by political power houses like unions and chambers of commerce. Until last year there had never been an Arizona sportsmen's PAC. Now is the time for Arizona's hunters & anglers to secure their rightful place among other political super powers and achieve Super PAC status.**
- (2) **Creation of a "Super PAC " will increase the visibility of Arizona's sportsmen and women and allow them to become more effective by promoting the candidacy of legislators and state wide officials who recognize the role hunting and fishing plays in the management of Arizona's wildlife and who will support and protect our hunting & fishing heritage.**
- (3) **2010 will be a critical election year. Arizona will be electing a Governor. The Governor appoints our Game & Fish Commissioners who have broad discretionary authority over wildlife management and rules affecting your ability to hunt and fish.**
- (4) **Thirteen (13) Representatives and Eleven (11) Senators are termed out and unable to run again and two other have indicated interest in other offices – this is nearly half the Senate. The Senate confirms AZGF Commissioners.**
- (5) **Sportsmen & women have sat on the sideline too long & have allowed others to negatively impact public policy affecting our hunting & fishing heritage. We can no longer let organizations like the Humane Society of the U.S and PETA to continue their assault on our right to hunt and fish. **Unite Today, Join AZSFW and contribute to our PAC.****
- (6) **PAC checks are payable to AZSFW PAC. State statutes allow individuals to contribute as total of \$5,850 in a calendar year to candidates and committees (such as AZSFW PAC) who give to candidates. **To Join by Mail** download the MEMBERSHIP/ PAC Contribution Form and send to AZSFW, P. O. Box 13116, Phoenix, AZ. 85002-3116 or see our option to pay via credit card on the What's Hot Page. **Do Not** make a PAC Contribution unless you are joining as an AZSFW Member. Note: Your PAC Contributions are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. 26 I.R.C. § 6113.**