





## ***Can an employee designate less than \$52 online?***

The state regulation is that a contribution must be a minimum of \$52 to be designated. If this requirement is not met for each specified charity, the contribution will be considered undesignated. This state code is printed on the pledge card as well as the home page of the online platform. The online platform cannot automatically “screen” for this requirement, so it is *possible* for an employee to submit a designated pledge less than \$52, just as they can on a hard pledge card. As the coordinator, all you can do is educate and remind your employees of this regulation.

## ***Is there a maximum number of charities that can be designated online?***

Assuming each designation meets the regulation of at least \$52, there is no maximum number of charities that the online platform will accept. If an employee is filling out a hard pledge card and wishes to designate to more than the allotted 4 organizations, they may attach a supplemental sheet to the pledge form.

## ***Where can employees find their employee ID number, if they do not know it?***

For those employees under Centralized Payroll, you can access it on your pay stub via the My NJ Portal: <http://www.nj.gov>

For those departments with independent Payrolls, employees should check with the ECC Coordinator.

## ***Can an employee make more than one pledge online?***

Yes. You can make as many pledges as you would like during the campaign enrollment period, and our pledge site [www.charities.org/NJECC](http://www.charities.org/NJECC) makes it easy to pledge support to multiple charities all at once. You may also modify an existing pledge any time during the campaign enrollment period by logging into the pledge site, clicking “Make your pledge,” and selecting the “Modify a gift from this campaign” option. That option will allow you to edit your pledge amount or designated charity. By choosing to modify a gift, you will open your existing pledge for edit. You will need to complete all steps of the pledge process to return the gift to a completed status; otherwise, the gift will not be processed.

## ***What happens to my contribution if I don't designate a specific charity?***

The NJECC's rules specify that all undesignated gifts be proportionately distributed to those charities receiving designations. For example, if Charity A receives 5% of designated pledges, then Charity A will also receive 5% of undesignated pledges.

## ***What is the duration of my payroll deduction and when does it begin?***

Deductions begin with the first pay period in January 2023 and continue through December 2023. For the business units on the NJ State Centralized Payroll, deductions will begin with the third pay period in January 2023 and continue through December 2023.

## ***How are charities approved for the NJECC Brochure?***

Charities listed in the NJECC Brochure must apply for admission annually and meet the campaign's eligibility criteria governed by the NJ State Statute/Regulations.

Questions? Contact your Coordinator or  
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