



**The Kroger Co.**

**2022 Political Contribution Annual Report**

**Introduction:**

Political giving is one way in which The Kroger Co. engages in the political process.

We are members of various trade associations that provide government relations services in Washington, DC and in the States in which we operate. We regularly educate legislators and regulators about issues that affect our company, industry, associates, and customers. In addition, we inform our management associates of important issues and occasionally encourage them to contact legislators.

On the following pages, you will find a report detailing all of our political giving from the calendar year of 2022. During that period, we gave a total of \$345,166.80 to candidates, political organizations, and issue campaigns.

A breakdown of the information by source of funds, political party, and state follows:

<p><b><u>Total Giving</u></b> \$345,166.80</p>
<p><b><u>Political Giving by Source of Funds</u></b> KroPAC (Federal PAC): 28.2% Corporate: 71.8%</p>
<p><b><u>Political Giving by Party</u></b> Democratic Party: 41.3% Republican Party: 42.4% Independent, Non-Partisan, or No Party: 16.3%</p>
<p><b><u>KroPAC Political Giving by Party</u></b> Democratic Party: 40.5% Republican Party: 59.5%</p>
<p><b><u>Political Giving to State/Local Candidates &amp; Issue Campaigns by State</u></b> Oregon: \$104,750.00 Washington: \$89,850.00 Tennessee: \$20,731.25</p>

### **Trade Associations:**

Kroger also participates in several federal trade associations that help represent our perspectives to legislators and regulators in Washington, D.C. It is important to note that we do not always share the same perspectives on legislation and regulatory matters as do our trade associations. A full description of Kroger's specific lobbying activities is filed quarterly with Congress and is available online.

The list of national trade associations of which Kroger is a member include:

- FMI: The Food Industry Association
- International Dairy Foods Association
- Retail Industry Leaders Association
- National Retail Federation
- American Baker's Association
- U.S. Chamber of Commerce
- National Association of Chain Drug Stores
- American Trucking Associations
- United Fresh Produce Association

The portion of dues paid by Kroger to these organizations allocated to lobbying in 2022 is \$461,633.30

Kroger Government Relations quarterly lobbying reports disclosed a total of \$950,000.00 in lobbying expenses during 2022.

Interested parties can view Kroger disclosures on the Federal Elections Commission <https://www.fec.gov> and the Office of the Clerk's Lobby Disclosure website: <https://lobbyingdisclosure.house.gov/>

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# THE KROGER CO. POLITICAL SPENDING

1/1/2022-12/31/2022

State	Date	Recipient	Party	Office Sought or Description	Amount	Source
AL	3/4/2022	Terri Sewell For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
AR	4/8/2022	Boozman For Arkansas	R	U.S. Senate	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
CA	1/28/2022	Jimmy Panetta For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
CA	5/11/2022	Dr. Raul Ruiz For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
CA	5/27/2022	Barragan For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
CA	6/3/2022	Scott Peters For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
CA	9/5/2022	Citizens For Waters	D	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
CA	9/5/2022	Scott Peters For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
CA	9/22/2022	Jim Costa For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
GA	2/18/2022	Sanford Bishop For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
GA	7/19/2022	Georgia Chamber of Commerce	NP	Legislative Event	\$3,000	South Region-Atlanta
GA	10/7/2022	Committee To Re-Elect Henry Hank Johnson	D	U.S. House	\$1,500.00	KROPAC
GA	12/10/2022	GFIA Legislative Session 2023	NP	Legislative Event	\$52.95	South Region-Atlanta
IA	10/7/2022	Grassley Committee, Inc.	R	U.S. Senate	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
ID	9/6/2022	Brad Little for Governor	R	Governor	\$5,000.00	Western Region
IL	1/21/2022	Rodney For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$3,000.00	KROPAC
IL	9/22/2022	Lahood For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
KS	2/18/2022	Team Marshall	R	U.S. Senate	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
KS	9/5/2022	Kansans For Marshall	R	U.S. Senate	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
KY	3/22/2022	Guthrie For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
MD	1/21/2022	Hoyer For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
MD	9/28/2022	Hoyer For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
MI	3/22/2022	John Moolenaar for Congress	R	U.S. House	\$500.00	KROPAC
MI	7/22/2022	Peter Meijer For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
MO	2/18/2022	Blaine For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
MS	12/16/2022	Mandy For Mississippi	R	N. District Public Service Commissioner	\$1,000.00	KROPAC

NC	3/22/2022	McHenry For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
NC	3/28/2022	Friends To Elect Dr. Greg Murphy To Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
NC	6/27/2022	Alma Adams For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
NM	11/2/2022	Association of Commerce & Industry	NP	Political Action Committee	\$660.00	Western Region
NV	7/14/2022	NBCSL (National Black Caucus of State Legislators)	NP	2022 Annual Legislative Sponsorship	\$20,000.00	Western Region
NY	6/28/2022	Suozzi For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
OH	1/28/2022	DeWine Husted for Ohio	R	Governor	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
OH	2/4/2022	Wenstrup For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
OH	4/8/2022	Friends Of Sherrod Brown	D	U.S. Senate	\$5,000.00	KROPAC
OH	5/11/2022	Chabot For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
OH	9/5/2022	Balderson For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
OH	9/5/2022	Friends Of Dave Joyce	R	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
OH	9/5/2022	Johnson For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
OH	9/5/2022	Latta For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
OH	9/16/2022	DeWine Husted for Ohio	R	Governor	\$5,000.00	KROPAC
OH	9/28/2022	Chabot For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
OH	10/26/2022	Wenstrup For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
OR	1/19/2022	Run Betsy Run	D	Governor	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	3/22/2022	Kurt Schrader For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
OR	3/31/2022	Run Betsy Run	D	Governor	\$10,000.00	Western Region
OR	4/4/2022	Cheri for Oregon	R	Boli Commisioner	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	4/4/2022	Friends of Hai Pham	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	4/4/2022	Friends of Daniel Nguyen	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	4/4/2022	Friends of Lisa Davidson	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	4/4/2022	Friends of Aaron Woods	D	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	4/4/2022	Friends of Mark Meek	D	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	4/4/2022	Committee to Elect Daniel Bonham	D	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	5/9/2022	Ken Helm for House District 34	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	5/9/2022	Friends of Julie Fahey	D	House	\$2,500.00	Western Region

OR	5/9/2022	Friends of Dan Rayfield	D	House	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	5/9/2022	Friends of Vikki	R	House	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	5/9/2022	Tim Knopp for State	R	Senate	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	5/11/2022	Kurt Schrader For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$500.00	KROPAC
OR	5/25/2022	Kate Lieber for State Senate	D	Senate	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	7/18/2022	Cheri for Oregon	R	House	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	7/18/2022	The Senate Democratic Leadership Fund	D	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/18/2022	Future PAC	D	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/18/2022	The Leadership Fund	R	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/18/2022	Evergreen Oregon PAC	R	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/18/2022	Kayse Jama for Oregon	D	Senate	\$250.00	Western Region
OR	7/18/2022	Lynn Findley for State Senate	R	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	7/20/2022	Sara Gelser for State Senate	D	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	7/21/2022	Friends of Rob Wagner	D	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/21/2022	Friends of Janeen Sollman	D	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/21/2022	Friends of Elizabeth Steiner Hayward	D	Senate	\$1,500.00	Western Region
OR	7/21/2022	Friends of James Manning	D	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/21/2022	Friends of Floyd Prozanski	D	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/21/2022	Sparacino for Oregon	R	Senate	\$2,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/21/2022	Friends of Raquel Moore-Green	R	Senate	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	7/22/2022	Friends of Ben Bowman	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	7/22/2022	Friends of Shelly Boshart Davis	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	7/22/2022	Friends of Mark Meek	D	Senate	\$1,500.00	Western Region
OR	7/22/2022	Hayden for Oregon	R	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	7/22/2022	Friends of Suzanne Weber	R	Senate	\$1,500.00	Western Region
OR	7/28/2022	Committee to Elect Daniel Bonham	D	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Dacia for Oregon	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Friends of Julie Fahey	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Friends of Paul Evans	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Friends of Mark Gamba	D	House	\$250.00	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Committee to Elect Charlie Conrad	D	House	\$250.00	Western Region

OR	8/4/2022	Chaichi for Oregon	D	House	\$250	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Committee to Elect Janelle Bynum	D	House	\$1,000	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Maxine for Oregon	D	House	\$500	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Christine Goodwin for Oregon	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Committee to Elect Lucetta Elmer	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Ed Diehl for Oregon	R	House	\$500	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Friends of Vikki	R	House	\$1,000	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Friends of Jami Cate	R	House	\$500	Western Region
OR	8/4/2022	Friends of David Brock Smith	R	House	\$1,000	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Paul Holvey for State Representative	D	House	\$1,000	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Committee to Elect John Lively State Rep	D	House	\$500	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Committee to Elect Pam Marsh	D	House	\$1,000	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Elect Zach Hudson	D	House	\$250	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Jason for Bend	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Friends of Bobby Levy	R	House	\$1,000	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Cyrus for Oregon	R	House	\$500	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Friends of Emily McIntire	R	House	\$250	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Kevin Mannix for State Representative	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Friends of Jeff Helfrich	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	8/5/2022	Committee to Elect Rick Lewis	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Tawna Sanchez for Oregon	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Nathan Sosa for Oregon	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Susan McLain	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Nancy Nathanson	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Travis Nelson	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Khahn Pham	D	House	\$250.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Rob Nosse	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Lisa Reynolds	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Dan Rayfield	D	House	\$1,500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Ricki for Oregon	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Mark Owens for Oregon	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region

OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Lily Morgan	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Werner for Oregon	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Michael Sipe for State Representative	R	House	\$250.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Committee to Re-Elect Greg Smith	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Anna Scharf	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/8/2022	Friends of Virgle Osborne	R	House	\$250.00	Western Region
OR	8/9/2022	Friends of Andrea Valderrama	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/9/2022	Friends of Thuy Tran	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/9/2022	Friends of Boomer Wright	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/9/2022	Friends of Kim Wallan	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
OR	8/9/2022	Stout for State Rep	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/9/2022	Friends of TJ Sullivan	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	8/11/2022	Friends of Hoa	D	House	\$250.00	Western Region
OR	10/26/2022	Committee to Elect Janelle Bynum	D	House	\$2,500.00	Western Region
OR	11/2/2022	Friends of Christine Drazan	R	Governor	\$10,000.00	Western Region
OR	11/2/2022	Committee to Re-Elect Greg Smith	R	House	\$250.00	Western Region
OR	11/2/2022	Friends of Lew Frederick	D	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
OR	11/3/2022	Kurt Schrader For Congress	D	U.S. House	\$5,000.00	KROPAC
OR	12/15/2022	Future PAC	D	Political Action Committee	\$5,000.00	Western Region
PA	4/8/2022	Friends Of Glenn Thompson	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
PA	5/27/2022	Mike Kelly For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,000.00	KROPAC
PA	9/22/2022	Dr John Joyce For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
PA	9/22/2022	Mike Kelly For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
TN	2/13/2022	Public Relations-Lobbying/Consulting	D	Wine in Stores Initiative	\$5,000.00	South Region-Delta
TN	2/15/2022	Public Relations-Lobbying/Consulting	D	Wine in Stores Initiative	\$301.25	South Region-Delta
TN	3/6/2022	Public Relations-Lobbying/Consulting	D	Wine in Stores Initiative	\$5,000.00	South Region-Delta
TN	4/4/2022	Public Relations-Lobbying/Consulting	D	Wine in Stores Initiative	\$5,000.00	South Region-Delta
TN	4/11/2022	Public Relations-Lobbying/Consulting	D	Wine in Stores Initiative	\$430.00	South Region-Delta
TN	5/4/2022	Public Relations-Lobbying/Consulting	D	Wine in Stores Initiative	\$5,000.00	South Region-Delta
TX	9/16/2022	Marc Veasey Congressional Campaign Committee	D	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC



TX	10/26/2022	Lance Gooden For Congress Committee	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
UT	1/31/2022	Utah Food Industry Inc	NP	Political Action Committee	\$3,622.60	Western Region
UT	4/8/2022	Blake Moore For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
WA	2/23/2022	Kevin Barton for Washington County DA	NP	Washington County District Attny	\$1,200.00	Western Region
WA	3/1/2022	Enterprise WA Political Oversight Committee	NP	Political Action Committee	\$7,500.00	Western Region
WA	3/1/2022	Enterprise WA JobsPAC	NP	Political Action Committee	\$10,000.00	Western Region
WA	4/12/2022	Association of Washington Business	NP	Political Action Committee	\$150.00	Western Region
WA	7/1/2022	Shelly for State	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/1/2022	House Democratic Caucus Committee	D	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/1/2022	Washington Senate Democratic Campaign	D	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/1/2022	Senate Republican Campaign Committee	R	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/1/2022	House Republican Organizational Committee	R	Political Action Committee	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/1/2022	Committee to Elect Drew McEwen	R	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Committee to Elect Sharon Wylie	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Friends of Lisa Callan	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Friends of Dave Paul	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	People for Joe Schmick	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Committee to Elect Tom Dent	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Friends of Kelly Chambers	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Committee to Re-Elect Gina	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Jackson Legacy Fund	D	Political Action Committee	\$5,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/7/2022	Enterprise WA JobsPAC	NP	Political Action Committee	\$10,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Friends of Rodger Goodman	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Friends of Monica Stonier	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Friends of Larry Springer	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Friends of April Berg	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Committee to Elect Jake Fey	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Friends of Drew Stokesbary	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Campaign to Elect Paul Harris	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Committee to Elect Mary Dye	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region

WA	7/12/2022	Friends of Andrew Barkis	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Elect Alex Ybarra	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Committee to Elect JT Wilcox	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Marko Liias for Senate	D	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Friends of Karen Keiser	D	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/12/2022	Jeff Holy for Senate	R	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/13/2022	Friends of Marcus Riccelli	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/13/2022	Committee to Elect Matt Boehnke	R	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/13/2022	Leadership Council	R	Political Action Committee	\$5,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/13/2022	Friends of Bill Boyce	R	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/13/2022	Simon for Senate	R	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/13/2022	Nikki Torres For State Senate	R	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Tharinger for State Representative	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Friends of Chris Corry	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Carolyn Eslick Campaign	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Committee to Elect Jaqueline	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Friends of Eric Robertson	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Committee to Elect Patti Case	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Committee to Elect Skyler Rude	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Reagan Fund	R	Political Action Committee	\$5,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/14/2022	Judy Warnick for Senate Campaign	R	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	7/20/2022	Dan Newhouse For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$1,000.00	KROPAC
WA	7/22/2022	Cathy McMorris Rodgers For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
WA	9/28/2022	Cathy McMorris Rodgers For Congress	R	U.S. House	\$2,500.00	KROPAC
WA	10/14/2022	Mike Chapman for State Representative	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/14/2022	Friends of Mari Leavitt	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/14/2022	Hackney for the 11th	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/14/2022	Friends of Dan Bronoske	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/14/2022	Committee to Elect Drew MacEwen	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/14/2022	April for Washington	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/14/2022	Friends of Bill Boyce	R	Senate	\$1,000.00	Western Region

WA	10/17/2022	Friends to Elect Kristine Reeves	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/17/2022	Vote Ramos	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	10/17/2022	Vote Alicia Rule	D	House	\$1,000.00	Western Region
WA	10/17/2022	Elect Jesse Salomon	D	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/17/2022	Simon for Senate	R	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/18/2022	Tharinger for State Representative	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/18/2022	People for Tara Simmons	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/18/2022	Amy Walen for State House	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/18/2022	Committee to Elect Sharon Wylie	D	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/18/2022	Kevin Waters for State House	R	House	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	10/18/2022	Claire for Senate	D	Senate	\$500.00	Western Region
WA	12/5/2022	Public Relations-Lobbying/Consulting	R	Campaign Activity	\$5,000.00	Western Region
WI	9/5/2022	Ron Johnson For Senate, Inc.	R	U.S. Senate	\$1,000.00	KROPAC

