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Ashley Amidon is the Vice President of Public Policy for the National Pest Management Association in Fairfax, VA. She heads up the public policy team, handles all federal legislative issues and is the Treasurer of NPMA's Political Action Committee. Her issues portfolio focuses on pesticides, water, endangered species act reform, tax and public health.

Previously, she worked as a lobbyist at the National Stone Sand and Gravel Association, handling environmental issues. Prior to NSSGA she was the lobbyist and PAC administrator for the International Wood Products Association, focusing primarily on environmental and trade issues. She began her career in DC as a political fundraiser and has also worked a series of political campaigns doing GOTV work, fundraising and scheduling.

She holds a B.A. in History and International Affairs from George Mason University in Virginia and an M.A. in International Affairs from University of Hull in the UK. She is a registered and certified lobbyist and a 2018 graduate of IOM.

In her spare time she is very active in her local theatre community, serving on the Board of the Little Theatre of Alexandria as the Governor of Seasonal Planning, overseeing the selection of the 8 show season and all directors. She is the Chair of the under 40 Group at LTA and started and administers an international playwriting competition. She has received local awards for her theatrical costuming and also acts, directs and produces.

A native of Virginia, she lives with Dan, her partner of almost a decade in Alexandria VA.