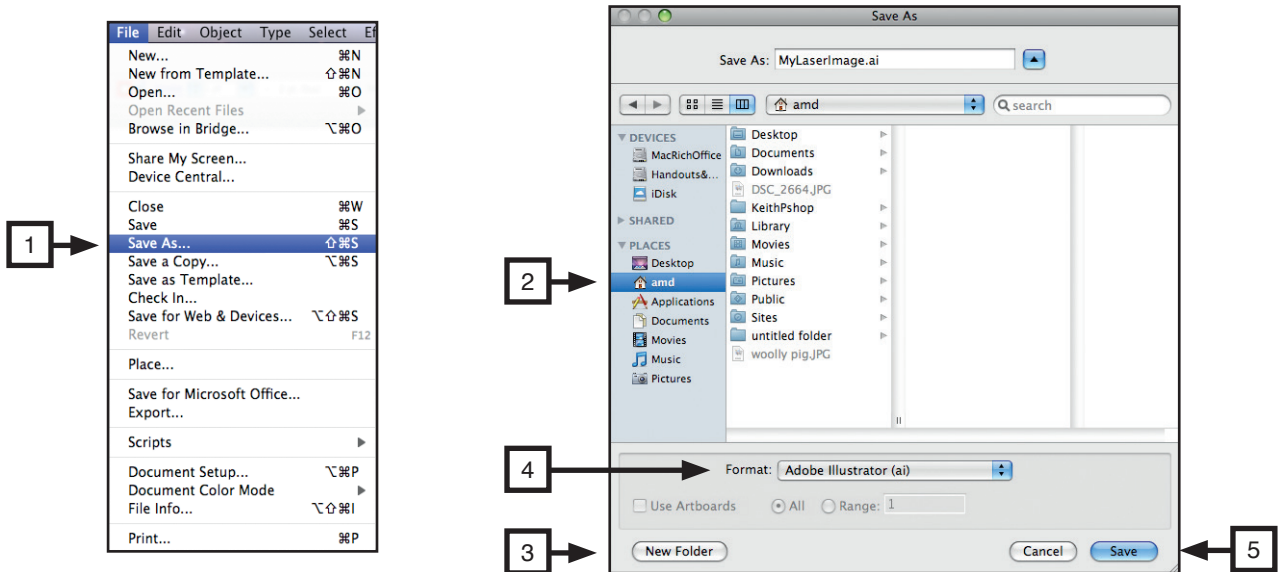
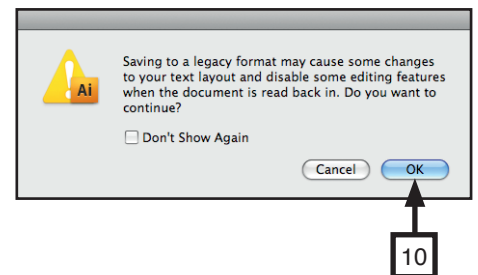
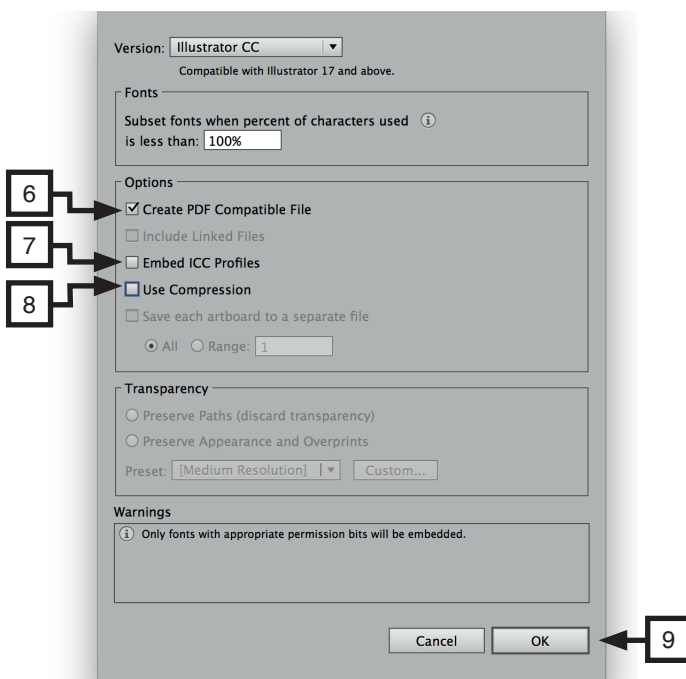


This handout is a quick step by step guide to saving your Illustrator file so that it is compatible with the Ethos lasercutting software.

1. File > Save As...
2. Navigate either to the AMD folder on the mac or to your external hard drive.
It is not recommended that you save directly to a flash memory stick. It is better to save the file to the AMD folder and then drag a copy onto your memory stick.
3. Choose the folder you wish to save your file into or make a New Folder
4. Set Format: Adobe Illustrator (ai)
5. Click Save



6. Make sure **Create PDF Compatible File** is ticked
7. Untick **Embed ICC Profiles**
8. Untick **Use Compression**
9. Click OK
10. Click OK



Your file is now ready for Lasercutting.