Resource Hub



Stay in the know with policy & funding trackers.

Curated set of resources designed to help nonprofits track key policy developments and funding opportunities. These tools offer timely updates, grant alerts, and legislative insights tailored to the nonprofit sector, empowering organizations to respond strategically.

- 1. <u>National Council of Nonprofits:</u> Trackers, policy analysis and tools related to Executive Orders impacting the nonprofit sector.
- 2. Independent Sector: Tracking the policy landscape for the charitable sector.
- 3. <u>The Impact Project:</u> The Impact Map: Policy, Funding, and Workforce Changes and Their Local Impacts.

Strategic Support, Tools & Insights

No cost and fee based consulting services across a range of topics in nonprofit administration.

- <u>PennPac:</u> Penn grads offer pro-bono consulting services to nonprofits to address strategic challenges; structured for specific, discrete projects.
- 2. <u>Taproot Foundation</u>: By matching organizations with talented volunteers, Taproot provides inclusive access to resources in HR, marketing, tech, and more.
- 3. <u>Catchafire:</u> Courses to help your organization navigate uncertainty, build resilience, and prepare for whatever comes next. Contact <u>Nida Ghani</u> for a free membership.
- **4.** <u>Spitfire Strategies:</u> Tools, guides and fee based consulting and training services to support social impact organizations in advancing their communications strategy.
- Center for Social Sector Leadership Berkeley Haas: Several partnership opportunities
 offered to nonprofits to leverage the skills of MBA students for short and long-term
 projects.
- **6.** <u>Bridgespan Group:</u> A leading social impact advisor to nonprofits/NGOs, philanthropists, and investors, offer services for strategy, growth and scaling, and fundraising.

Legal Resources

Information, resources and direct nonprofit legal services.

 LEAD for Racial Justice Program: Legal Education, Advocacy and Defense (LEAD) for Racial Justice's pro bono legal assistance form for nonprofits engaging in race conscious programming and grantmaking.

- 2. <u>Lawyers for Good Government:</u> The Fund Protection Clinic offers legal help to organizations facing threats to federal funding from executive actions, administrative delays, termination notices, investigations, or compliance issues.
- 3. <u>Public Rights Project:</u> The 2025 Civil Rights Hub provides direct legal support and technical assistance to local governments. Its mission is to empower government officials in the promotion and protection of civil rights.

Financial Resources

Tools, resources, and guides geared to nonprofit finance and fiscal management.

- Nonprofit Financial Commons: A peer community where nonprofits of all sizes and types can find and share information and tools to help them act strategically on their own financial models.
- 2. <u>Nonprofit Finance Fund:</u> A curated hub of tools, templates, and financial guidance to help nonprofit leaders build resilience and plan confidently through economic and political uncertainty.

Fundraising Resources

Training opportunities and practical resources to support fund development.

- 1. <u>UC Berkeley Extension:</u> Learn the basics of fundraising. Scholarships available.
- 2. <u>Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP)</u>: Online tools and fee based fundraising training and assistance.
- 3. <u>GrantWatch:</u> Subscription based grant funding directory for individuals, nonprofits and businesses.
- **4.** <u>Guidestar:</u> Organizations that complete the Seal of Transparency information receive a free license to the Foundation Directory, a resource for institutional prospect research.

Nonprofit Security & Resilience Resources

This collection of resources is designed to help nonprofits strengthen their safety and security practices, both online and in community. From digital security tools to crisis preparedness guides, these materials offer practical strategies to protect your staff, data, and communities you serve.

- Vision Change Win: Free virtual rapid response support to social justice, organizations, and leaders dealing with urgent community safety incidents.
- 2. <u>National Council of Nonprofits:</u> Cybersecurity for Nonprofits. Learn how to protect the future of your nonprofit's data.
- **3.** <u>Democracy Protection Network:</u> Cybersecurity, legal compliance, physical security, and crisis communications for civil society.



4. <u>GCA Cybersecurity Toolkit:</u> Tools and resources for mission-based organizations to improve cyber defenses.

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