



The mission of the Nonprofit Center of the Berkshires (NPC) is to help nonprofits **connect, learn and grow**. Your membership dues help us provide free and low-cost programs and services to support ALL nonprofits in Berkshire County.

JOIN 200 FELLOW
NONPROFIT MEMBERS
TO STRENGTHEN YOUR
ORGANIZATION

NONPROFIT RESOURCE DIRECTORY

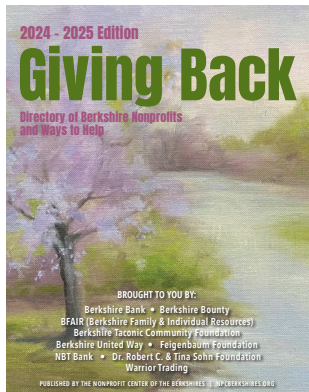
A printed booklet (also available as a downloadable PDF online) with over 600 business resources for nonprofits. Includes fundraising, HR, marketing and strategic planning sections.

GET ON BOARD MATCHING SERVICE

Nonprofits fill out a form describing their needs. Individuals fill out a form describing their skills and availability. Real people make matches, reaching out to both parties to see if they want to connect. All information is confidential. In-person Get on Board events provide a lively way to meet prospective board members.

VIRTUAL ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS

Get **10% discount** on nonprofit virtual administrative assistants through The More than Giving Company.



RECEIVE A DISCOUNT ON A PROFILE IN NPC'S GIVING BACK GUIDE

Every Berkshire nonprofit is listed free in this **annual directory distributed to 15,000 people**.

If you would like to reserve a profile space to increase

awareness of your organization, NPC members pay a discounted rate of \$195 (nonmembers pay \$350).

INSTANT ADVICE AND CONNECTIONS

Have a question? Need a connection or a resource? Let us save you valuable time and energy. Contact us any time. If we don't have the answer, we'll get it for you or connect you to someone who can help, **usually within just a few hours**.

DISCOUNTED GRANTSTATION MEMBERSHIP

GrantStation helps you find new funding opportunities, build strong grant programs, and write powerful proposals. **Search through thousands of grant opportunities in the database, all active and accepting proposals in the coming year.** Take advantage of their educational webinars too! NPC Members pay a discounted price of \$95.



COACHING

Technical assistance is offered by the hour or on a project basis. **Having an experienced advisor with extensive nonprofit background, familiar with local funders, and adept at marketing, management & planning provides real value for the money.** If we don't have the expertise in house, we'll connect you to the right consultant. NPC members pay \$50/hour for assistance. *Note: if your organization is struggling financially, please contact the NPC for pro bono consulting options.*

HELP STARTING YOUR NONPROFIT

Let us help you step-by-step from concept to completion of legal forms. The more you can do before a lawyer is necessary, the less expensive your start-up costs will be. The NPC discounted rate of \$50/hour applies.

JOIN THE LISTSERVE

Join MBM Berkshires, an online discussion group for people interested in all things nonprofit. This moderated email list is open to anyone willing to adhere to the principles of civil discourse. The purpose of MBM Berkshires is to strengthen communication within the nonprofit sector of the Berkshires. It is often used to post job openings, educational opportunities, and event announcements or information of particular interest to nonprofits.

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FISCAL SPONSORSHIP

Using a fiscal sponsorship arrangement offers a way for a cause to attract donors even when it is not yet recognized as tax-exempt under internal revenue code section 501(c)(3). The NPC can serve as your administrative “home” collecting contributions and grants on your behalf for a 7% fee. As part of the agreement, the NPC also offers management coaching. Learn more about fiscal sponsorship from the National Council of Nonprofits. *Note: fiscally sponsored projects must become NPC members.*

KEEP INFORMED

To keep abreast of new programs and products, please **like and follow the Nonprofit Center of the Berkshires** on Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn and sign up for emails.

GRANT APPLICATION AND REPORT REVIEW

We have a team of volunteers willing to review, comment and proofread your grant applications or reports.



Many thanks for all of these links Liana, and thanks too for the conversation yesterday. It was so helpful to speak with someone so steeped in nonprofit work!

— Henry/Executive Director Sand Springs,
Williamstown

CHECK OUT THE RESOURCE SECTION OF THE NPC WEB SITE

You'll find Berkshire County statistics and benchmarks, links to other web sites, informative articles, infographics and more in our resources section. Local surveys provide information you need to make decisions including a Berkshire Salary & Benefits Survey, Board Composition Survey & Pay Equity Report.



This webinar (on AI) was really important and eye-opening for me! So glad I participated in it.

— Susan Moyle Lynch
Ventfort Hall Board Member

WE PROMOTE YOUR ORGANIZATION

All members are listed in the directory on our web site with a link to your site. We regularly repost member's Social posts. **NPC members also receive a free Berkshire Media Directory!**

DIRECTORY OF BERKSHIRE FUNDERS

Receive your free PDF directory with active links to Berkshire funders including foundations, banks, civic clubs, business associations, and more. Contact information, support focus and grant deadlines included.

JOIN TODAY!

MORE NPC SERVICES!

- Boot Camp
- Board Training
- Legislative Town Hall
- Volunteer Fair
- Resource Fair
- Networking Events
- Connections Newsletter
- Gala Calendar