

WHAT IS THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF DELAWARE NONPROFITS?

While many people understand the social and cultural contributions of nonprofit organizations, far fewer recognize the sector's economic importance and significance.

As shown below, the **951 nonprofits** active in Delaware are employers, service providers, and drivers of local economic activity in every county across the state.

NONPROFITS CREATE JOBS



- Nonprofits employed **72,926 workers**, 15% of Delaware's private sector workforce.
- Every 10 nonprofit jobs supported **an additional 7 jobs in Delaware**, resulting in **124,326 jobs supported by the nonprofit sector**.

NONPROFITS PAY WAGES



- Paid **\$5.2 billion in wages**, 16% of Delaware's private sector wages.
- Every \$10 in wages paid by nonprofits generated **an additional \$5.70 in earnings** across the economy, creating more than **\$8.1 billion in annual earnings** for Delaware workers.

NONPROFITS CONTRIBUTE TO THE DELAWARE ECONOMY



- Generated **\$14.1 billion in gross regional product** (GRP) for Delaware's economy.
- Delaware nonprofits paid an estimated **\$345.9 million in personal income taxes** to the state.
- Every \$1 of goods and services generated by nonprofits created an additional **\$1.15 in GRP**, supporting **\$14.1 billion in GRP for Delaware**.

NONPROFITS PROMOTE CIVIC ENGAGEMENT



- Organized **85,700 volunteers**, who contributed more than **5.6 million hours of service**.
- These volunteers contribute more than **\$167 million in time** to Delaware nonprofits.

Data as of tax year 2022 from the Internal Revenue Service, Bureau of Labor Statistics, with economic analysis powered by Fourth Economy and Lightcast.

DANA, the Delaware Alliance for Nonprofit Advancement, and the Delaware Nonprofit Action Network (DNAN) have partnered to commission an economic impact analysis of the Delaware nonprofit sector's economic significance.



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