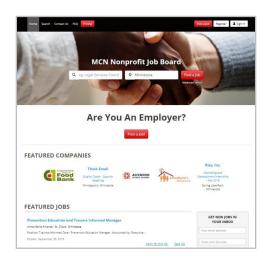


## 2024 Print and Digital Advertising







### Do you have a message for nonprofits?

Is your business or organization looking to reach decision-makers from Minnesota's vibrant nonprofit sector? Do you have the expertise nonprofits need to advance their missions and create strong and sustainable organizations in the years to come? You've come to the right place!

The Minnesota Council of Nonprofits (MCN) has a wide array of options to help you spread the word about your products, services, and expertise to nonprofits — each designed with marketing budgets of all sizes in mind.

MCN regularly communicates with over 2,200 member nonprofit organizations, as well as thousands of other organizations, employers, and jobseekers. By participating in various advertising/sponsorship opportunities, you can harness these communications to highlight all you do to support nonprofits each day.

Many of our advertising opportunities are available exclusively to our nonprofit and associate members, while others have both member and nonmember pricing. The following pages contain in-depth information regarding the audience reach, specifications, and pricing of all advertising opportunities available through MCN. Have a look and let us know how we can best help you reach the nonprofit audience with whom you'd like to connect.

**Ready to schedule advertising today?** If so, contact John Wurm, MCN membership and communications director, at 651-757-3082 or jwurm@minnesotanonprofits.org.

# Nonprofit News

Nonprofit News is a digital & print newsletter published quarterly as a benefit to MCN members. Distributed to over 14,000 nonprofit and community leaders digitally and 2,500 organizations in print, it is filled with informational articles, timely resources and updates, and practical applications.

Nonprofit News is a useful publication that nonprofits look forward to receiving and reading cover to cover. Our readers tend to keep issues to pass along to colleagues and to refer to at later times. Because our readers see Nonprofit News as a continued resource, your advertisement has a shelf-life longer than just when the publication hits inboxes.

Our readers are executive directors, finance managers, human resources professionals, marketing and communications professionals, fundraisers, technology experts, public policy advocates, and other nonprofit managers.

#### Nonprofit News Calendar

Issue	Reserve by	Materials by	Mail Date	
Winter	Dec. 22, 2023	Jan. 19, 2024	Feb. 23, 2024	
Spring	Mar. 22, 2024	April 19, 2024	May 24, 2024	
Summer	June 14, 2024	July 26, 2024	Aug. 30, 2024	
Fall	Sept. 27, 2024	Oct. 25, 2024	Nov. 16, 2024	

#### Ad Specs and Costs\*

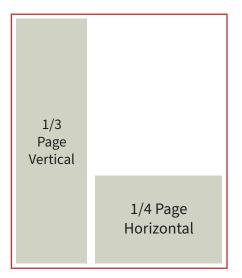
Ad	Ad Size	Cost
Full page (back cover)**	8 1/2" W x 11" H	\$1,600
1/3 pg. vertical	2 1/4" W x 10" H	\$1,200
1/3 pg. horizontal	7 1/2" W x 3" H	\$1,200
1/4 pg. horizontal	5 W" x 3 1/2" H	\$900

\*The opportunity to advertise in *Nonprofit News* is available only to MCN associate and nonprofit members. Ally and Advocate level associate members receive a 50 percent discount on ads in *Nonprofit News*.

All ads must be created in 4c (four-color) and be self-contained in a frame measuring the specified dimensions. Artwork must be provided digitally as a hi-resolution PDF or JPG file with all fonts and graphics embedded.



1/3 Page Horizontal Full Page



<sup>\*\*</sup>Full page ad appears on back cover and must be designed with 1/8" bleed.

### E-Newsletters

MCN offers a monthly sponsorship in the form of banner ads in a variety of email newsletters options, including Grants Alert, Smart Nonprofits, Events Forecast, and six Greater Minnesota regional chapter updates. Subscriber bases vary from 350 for our most targeted e-newsletter to over 8,000 for our broadest outreach.

Advertising in MCN's email newsletters is available to all businesses and nonprofits. Advocate- and Ally-level associate members, as well as nonprofit members, receive a 50 percent discount. Ally-level associate members also receive one free ad during their membership year.

#### **E-Newsletter Options**

#### Minnesota Grants Alert (3,750 subscribers, 40% open rate)

This bi-weekly alert details information on funding opportunities, including those with Minnesota foundations, government programs, national funders and information on professional development opportunities for staff.

#### **Smart Nonprofits** (3,900 subscribers, 32% open rate)

This newsletter, sent every other week, is a quick summary of upcoming events, trainings and briefings for those working in nonprofits statewide as well as information from educational providers in Minnesota.

#### **Events Forecast** (7,900 subscribers, 24% open rate)

This digital newsletter, sent at the end of every month, highlights all of MCN's in-person and virtual learning and networking opportunities for the coming month.

#### Regional Chapter Updates (Subscribers/open rates vary)

Regional Chapter Updates are bi-monthly email newsletters sent to our six Greater MN chapters detailing events and news, funding and professional development opportunities, awards and advancements, and member tips.



Examples of box ad in Grants Alert



Example of banner ad in Smart Nonprofits

### Ad Specs and Costs\*

E-Newsletter	Cost	Dimensions	# of Issues/# of Months
Minnesota Grants Alert	\$600	200ppi x 200ppi	2 Issues/1 Month
Smart Nonprofits	\$600	600ppi x 120ppi	2 Issues/1 Month
Events Forecast	\$600	600ppi x 120ppi	1 Issue/1 Month
Regional Chapter Update**	\$600	600ppi x 120ppi	3 Issues/3 Months

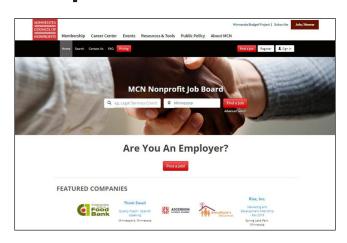
<sup>\*</sup>Advertisers reserving a three banners at the same time will receive a free fourth ad in the e-newsletter of their choice in the same or next calendar year (based on availability). Submissions should be sent as a jpg or gif, along with the URL the ad will direct traffic to.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Regional Updates are distributed every other month to two regions: Central = Central/West Central; Northern = Northeast/Northwest; Southern = Southeast/Southwest.

# Job Board Sponsorship

For over 20 years, the Minnesota Council of Nonprofits, the largest state association of nonprofits in the nation, has helped employers and jobseekers come together to build stronger nonprofits, a thriving nonprofit sector, and a better Minnesota through its highly trafficked job board.

One of the largest, most comprehensive nonprofit-specific job search tools in the U.S., the MCN Nonprofit Job Board receives 74,000+ visits per month from jobseekers, many who rate this service as their top tool for finding nonprofit employment.



#### **Job Board Traffic**

The MCN Nonprofit Job Board is one of the highest-trafficked nonprofit-specific job boards in the nation, with an average of:

- 35,000 users, 74,000 sessions, and 220,000 page views per month
- 1,500 full- or part-time jobs, board positions, internships, and volunteer opportunities posted per month.

#### Sizes, Specs, and Costs

Job Board ads are sold based on a flat-fee pricing structure, priced in slots of one, three, six or twelve months. Reservations are first-come, first-serve and availability may be limited. Artwork should be sent as a png, jpg, or gif, along with the URL to which the ad will direct, a minimum of two weeks prior to the first day of the first month of reserved slot.

Ad sizes and placements included are:

**Header Banner:** 728 x 90 ppi Appears at the top of every page

**Homepage Sidebar Box:** 250 x 250 ppi

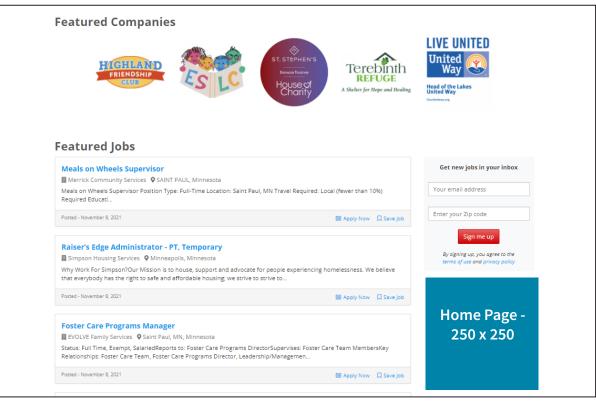
Appears below right sidebar "Sign Up" box on homepage

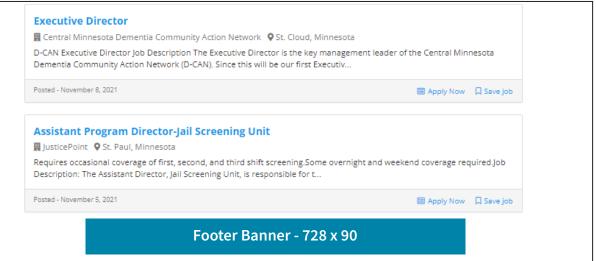
Footer Banner: 728 x 90 ppi

Appears at the bottom of homepage

Ad Placement / Duration	Cost	Ad Placement
Run of Site / 12 months (\$1,250 per month)	\$15,000	Header, Homepage, Footer
Run of Site / 6 months (\$1,500 per month)	\$9,000	Header, Homepage, Footer
Run of Site / 3 months (\$1,750 per month)	\$5,250	Header, Homepage, Footer
Run of Site / 1 month	\$2,000	Header, Homepage, Footer







# **Sponsor Registration**

#### **Company Information**

(Contact person's name -	for logistical information)				
(Contact person's phone)	(Contact person's email)				
(Business name - as it sho	ould appear in print)				
(Organization's street add	dress)	(Cit	y, State, Zip)		
(Website - as it should ap	pear and link to)				
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Business Address (if differ	rent than above)				
Cardholder Signature					



#### Return your reservation form to:

Mail: Minnesota Council of Nonprofits, Attn: Accountant, 2314 University Ave. W, Ste 20, St. Paul, MN 55114

Email: accountant@minnesotanonprofits.org

FAX: 651-642-1517

#### **About the Minnesota Council of Nonprofits**

The Minnesota Council of Nonprofits (MCN) was founded in 1987 to meet the increasing information needs of nonprofits and to convene nonprofits to address issues facing the sector. It is one of the largest state association of nonprofits in the United States. Through MCN, nonprofits join together across interest areas to work on issues of common concern to all.

MCN accomplishes its mission in five ways:

- Education and professional development for nonprofit managers and leaders;
- Public policy education and civic engagement;
- Cost-saving product partnerships;
- Research on nonprofit sector trends and tax and budget issues; and
- Advocacy at local, state, and federal levels.

MCN has over 2,200 nonprofit members from across the state of Minnesota, as well as 220 business members. Our members impact every facet of Minnesota's vibrant communities — from the arts, education, and the environment to housing, employment, and health.

Together, we all make Minnesota a better place to live, work, and play.



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