

2024 State Policy Agenda

The Wyoming Nonprofit Network is the state association for charitable nonprofits. As a 501(c)(3) we are a nonpartisan nonprofit.


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Wyoming Nonprofit Network amplifies, cultivates, and advocates for Wyoming's nonprofits.

Sound tax policies are an essential part of the social compact under which nonprofits operate. We seek or support tax policies that strengthen and protect nonprofits and enhance their ability to meet their mission.

Nonprofits are a critical component of the economy and communities, providing valuable services and enhancing the quality of life. We seek or support policies that will enable the government to collaborate more closely with the nonprofit sector, as it does with the business sector, to pursue innovative initiatives and funding intended to strengthen and sustain the sector. This includes efforts to support Wyoming's nonprofit workforce including, but not limited to, compensation, benefits, recruitment, and retention.

It takes all sectors working together to build and maintain strong communities. We seek or support policies that encourage collaboration and coordination among private, public, and nonprofit sectors to improve the lives of all Wyomingites including but not limited to responding to emergencies such as natural disasters, public health threats, and economic downturns.

Charitable nonprofits can be successful only by continuing to earn and maintain the public trust through appropriate transparency and strong governance and management practices, which can be guided by reasonable regulation. We support policies that strengthen the integrity of the sector while not placing an undue burden and oppose policies that put that at risk.

Government delegates responsibility for vital programs and services that serve its citizenry to nonprofits through grants and contracts. We support reforms in the government-nonprofit contracting process aimed at streamlining policies and procedures to prevent duplication and the inefficient use of resources, and to ensure that funding and compensation for the delivery of programs and services are fair, timely, and encompass the full cost of providing these essential services.