



## Resources: Nonprofit Support

### **Maine Community Foundation**

<https://www.mainecef.org/apply-for-a-grant/available-grants-deadlines/>

Offers several competitive grant programs that support work being done in Maine and benefiting people and communities in Maine. Current grant program details and staff contact information is on our website.

### **Maine Philanthropy Center**

<https://www.maine philanthropy.org/>

Acts as an information and education source for Maine grantmakers providing funding information and education to Maine nonprofits, including a Directory of Maine Grantmakers and a list of the Top 25 Maine Funders. MPC also sends emails listing upcoming grant deadlines.

MPC Directory of Maine Grantmakers:

<https://www.maine philanthropy.org/directory-maine-grantmakers/>

MPC Foundation Giving in Maine Report (includes Top 25 Maine Funders):

<https://www.maine philanthropy.org/MEgivingreport/>

### **Maine Association of Nonprofits**

<https://www.nonprofitmaine.org/>

Strengthens Maine's non-profits. They offer events and trainings across the state. MANP's newsletter includes valuable information.

### **Fundsnet**

<https://fundsnet services.com/>

Provides numerous links to grantmaker web sites, categorized by type and other grantmaking and fundraising resources.

### **Helpful Tips for Researching Funders:**

- What is the funder's focus?
- What kind of work do they usually support?
- Is your organization a good match for this funder? If not, keep searching for a match.
- Don't be afraid to call or email funders if you are unsure of something or have questions.

**For a one-page list of Tips for Grantwriting, please visit:**

<https://www.mainecef.org/apply-for-a-grant/help-for-applicants/grantwriting-and-research/>