Dear Representative McCollum and Representative Upton,

The nonprofit sector is an economic powerhouse, a trusted community touchstone and service provider, and a critical ally in designing and implementing the work of government. We – the undersigned nonprofit and philanthropic organizations – write to offer our support for the Nonprofit Sector Strength and Partnership Act, which would establish government structures and policies that deepen this relationship and help nonprofits achieve their missions.

Over the past two years, nonprofits have served on the front lines as America faces generational health, economic, and social crises. Nonprofits have adapted to disrupted operations and lost revenue while facing increased need in the community. While these challenges may be a poignant reminder of our sector’s importance, nonprofits have been delivering concrete outcomes for Americans for centuries.

Whether they offer housing, nutrition, health, education, disaster relief, artistic inspiration, spiritual wellbeing, conservation or any number of other essential services, nonprofits are woven into and reflect the communities they serve. They work every day to improve lives and build a brighter future. Although they exist to advance a charitable mission, nonprofits have tremendous economic impact as the nation’s third largest employer and generate nearly 6% of GDP.

The Nonprofit Sector Strength and Partnership Act creates mechanisms that leverage the mission, knowledge, and impact of nonprofits to help government and the sector work together more effectively in pursuit of shared goals. The proposed White House Office on Nonprofit Sector Partnership and the Interagency Council will allow policymakers access to data, reporting, and frontline, community-specific expertise from nonprofits so they can better assist constituents. These bodies, along with a federal Advisory Board made up of nonprofit leaders, will also ensure nonprofits nationwide are better equipped to quickly turn ideas into action.

Additionally, we greatly appreciate other key policy changes contained in the legislation: releasing quarterly economic data on the nonprofit sector in the same way as other industries, reducing paperwork for nonprofits to register and fundraise in multiple states, increasing access to national service, streamlining federal grant processes, and recommending clearer rules on nonprofit civic engagement. Taken together, these policies will make our sector stronger and enable nonprofits to better serve their communities by scaling effective solutions, cutting red tape, and meeting the unique needs of nonprofit workers.

Nonprofits have the skills, tools, and trusted status needed to make a lasting difference in their communities. As Americans stare down an uncertain future, it has never been more important to develop and strengthen relationships between the government and the nonprofit sector. Your legislation represents a momentous step toward that goal, and we look forward to working for its enactment.
Signed,

NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Accountability Lab
Adopt America Network
Alexander Hamilton Scholars
Ascentria Care Alliance
Aspen Institute Program on Philanthropy and Social Innovation
ASPIRA Association
Assistance Individuals and Families Without Borders
Association of Children's Museums
Association of Children's Residential & Community Services (ACRC)
Audubon International
BellXcel
BlueBridge Alliance
BoardSource
Boys Town
Camp Fire National
Candid
Charity Navigator
ChickTech
Circle of Parents
Communities in Schools
Community Action for Improvement, Inc. (CAFI)
Concussion Alliance
Council on Foundations
Creating the Future
Dance/USA
Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption
Emphysema Foundation of America
Fidelity Charitable
Freedom Network USA
Fund the People
Geos Institute
Global Volunteers
GO2 Foundation for Lung Cancer
Goodwill Industries International, Inc.
Humentum
Independent Sector
International Organization for Victim Assistance (IOVA)
Jewish Federations of North America
KABOOM!
Leadership Foundations
League of American Orchestras
March of Dimes
MENTOR
Mid South Liver Alliance

District of Columbia
Ohio
Washington
Massachusetts
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
Nebraska
Virginia
Wisconsin
New York
Massachusetts
Washington
District of Columbia
Nebraska
Missouri
New York
New Jersey
Oregon
Virginia
Virginia
Georgia
Washington
District of Columbia
Arizona
District of Columbia
Ohio
California
North Carolina
District of Columbia
New York
Oregon
Minnesota
District of Columbia
Maryland
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
Oregon
New York
Maryland
Washington
New York
Virginia
Massachusetts
Tennessee
National Alliance on Mental Illness
National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics
National Community Action Foundation
National Community Action Partnership
National Council of Nonprofits
National Council of Urban Indian Health
National Health Council
National Indian Child Welfare Association
National Performance Network
National Recreation and Parks Association
National Safety Council
National Urban Indian Family Coalition
National Youth Advocate Program, Inc.
Native Arts and Cultures Foundation
Native CDFI Network
Native Ways Federation
Network of Jewish Human Service Agencies
Nonprofit Leadership Alliance
Nonprofit VOTE
NTEN
Nurses for Sexual and Reproductive Health
One Hope United
OPERA America
PEAK Grantmaking
Points of Light
PolicyLink
Post Growth Institute
Public Advocacy for Kids
Resourceful Nonprofits, Inc.
Rural School and Community Trust
SetPath.org
Share Our Strength
Soccer Without Borders
Social Current
Sojourners
StriveTogether
Team Kids, Inc.
The Family Focused Treatment Association
The Guild of Artists & Artisans
The Non-Violence Project
TSNE
UNICEF USA
United Philanthropy Forum
United Way Worldwide
VolunteerMatch
Virginia
Virginia
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
Oregon
Louisiana
Virginia
Illinois
Washington
District of Columbia
Washington
District of Columbia
Minnesota
District of Columbia
Missouri
Massachusetts
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Illinois
New York
District of Columbia
Georgia
California
Washington
District of Columbia
Maryland
West Virginia
Oregon
District of Columbia
Maryland
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
Ohio
California
New Jersey
Michigan
New York
Massachusetts
District of Columbia
District of Columbia
Virginia
California
ALABAMA
Alabama Association of Nonprofits
Community Care Development Network
Family Counseling Center of Mobile, Inc

ALASKA
The Foraker Group

ARIZONA
A New Leaf
Alliance of Arizona Nonprofits
Stardust Non-Profit Building Supplies, Inc.
Wildfire: Igniting Community Action to End Poverty in Arizona

ARKANSAS
Arkansas Coalition of Marshallese
Arkansas Community Action Agencies Association, Inc.
Hispanic Women's Organization of Arkansas

CALIFORNIA
Al Wooten Jr. Youth Center
Breathe Southern California
California Association of Nonprofits CarDana
Community Action Partnership of Orange County
Community Action Partnership of San Bernardino County
Community Action Partnership of San Luis Obispo County
Fresno Economic Opportunities Commission
Indigenous Resilience
Jewish Family Service of Los Angeles
JVS SoCal
Lead4Tomorrow
League of California Community Foundations
Long Beach Community Action Partnership
Mercy Brown Bag Program
Momentum Solutions
National Council of Negro Women - View Park Section
Northern California Grantmakers
SoCal Grantmakers
Stanislaus Community Foundation
Strong and Golden Foundation
United Voices of Literacy
Women's Wisdom Art

COLORADO
Colorado Nonprofit Association
Community Resource Center
Philanthropy Colorado
SafeHouse Denver

CONNECTICUT
Connecticut Council for Philanthropy
CT Community Nonprofit Alliance
LiveGirl, Inc.
Wallingford Committee on Aging, Inc

DELAWARE
Children & Families First
DANA, Delaware Alliance for Nonprofit Advancement
Roofs from the Heart
Philanthropy Delaware, Inc.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Champlain Court Cooperative, Inc.
Food & Friends, Inc.
Greater Washington Urban League
Planned Parenthood of Metropolitan Washington, DC
Safe Shores - The DC Children's Advocacy Center

FLORIDA
Community Action Program Committee, Inc
Florida Nonprofit Alliance
Florida Panhandle Foundation
Free CARES Senior Health Clinic
Gilda's Club South Florida
God's Gift, Inc.
High Point Neighborhood Family Center
McSwain Moore Family Daycare Home
Meals on Wheels South Florida
Nonprofit Center of Northeast Florida
Pasco Kids First, Inc
Pinellas Opportunity Council, Inc.
Riviera Beach Community Outreach
The First Community Christian Pentecostal Church of God Inc.

GEORGIA
Building Connections LLC
Habitat for Humanity of Bulloch County
Philanthropy Southeast
The Tyler Greene & Taylor Grant Foundation
HAWAII
Sovereign Council of Hawaiian Homestead Associations

IDAHO
Bannock Development Corporation
Boise Housing Corporation
CDAIDE
Framing Our Community, Inc.
Habitat for Humanity Idaho Falls Area
Handy Hands Reflections
Hiatus Ranch of Idaho Inc.
Idaho Conservation League
Idaho Hunger Relief Task Force
Idaho Nonprofit Center
Interlink Volunteer Caregivers (IVC)
Jannus, Inc.
Milestone Decisions, Inc.
Music Conservatory of Sandpoint
NAMI Couer d’Alene
Orton Botanical Garden
Swiftsure Ranch Therapeutic Equestrian Center Inc
Willow Center Inc.

ILLINOIS
Bethany for Children & Families
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Metropolitan Chicago
Chicago Youth Centers
Chinese American Service League
College Bound Opportunities
Community Foundation of Grundy County
Counseling and Family Services dba FamilyCore
Dion’s Chicago Dream
Faust Fundraising
Forefront
Kids Above All
Let It Be Us
LifeLine Pilots
Lutheran Child & Family Services of Illinois
Marillac St. Vincent Family Services
McLean County Museum of History
Negotiate with Sophia
New Moms
Puerto Rican Arts Alliance
Refined and Refreshed Inc.

INDIANA
Indianapolis Neighborhood Resource Center, Inc.
Lincoln Hills Development Corporation
Marion County Commission On Youth, Inc.
Northwest Indiana Community Action

IOWA
Northeast Iowa Community Action Corporation (NEICAC)
Sieda Community Action
United Ways of Iowa

KANSAS
Communities In Schools of Mid-America

KENTUCKY
Kentucky Nonprofit Network, Inc.

LOUISIANA
Foundation for Louisiana
Jewish Family Service of Greater New Orleans
Pine Belt Multi-Purpose, Community Action Agency, Inc.
Sickle Cell Association of South Louisiana
Solutions For Everybody
United Way of Southeast Louisiana

MAINE
Kennebec Valley Community Action Program
Maine Association of Nonprofits
Maine Philanthropy Center
York County Community Action

MARYLAND
Anne Arundel County Food Bank
Apra Maryland
Araminta
Arts Education in Maryland Schools
Ashlar Government Relations
Association of Community Services of Howard County
Chesapeake Region Accessible Boating (CRAB)
Community Assistance Network
Community Bridges
Community Support Systems, Inc.
Community Wealth Builders
CTLDomGroup, Inc.
Culture Principles
Eastern Shore Area Health Education Center
Frederick County Health Care Coalition
Focus on Communities United for Success, Inc.
Greater Than 12
Heartly House
Heritage Housing Partners Corp
Historic Sotterley, Inc.
ImpactHumanity
In Reach, Inc.
Jesus for All Evangelistic Ministry
Lakespring Associates
Laurel Advocacy & Referral Services, Inc.
Maryland Association of Resources for Families & Youth (MARFY)
Maryland Latinos Unidos (MLU)
Maryland Nonprofits
Maryland Philanthropy Network
MedSource Community Services, Inc.
Mid Shore Community Mediation Center
Nexus-Woodbourne Family Healing
NorthBay Education
Papasland Family Educational Advancement
Professional Development and Research Center International
Public Justice Center
Reflections of Christ Global Network
Sisters Saving the City
Source Visioneering LLC
STEM Center of Excellence Inc
Student Global Ambassador Program
Student Support Network
The Children’s Guild, Inc.
The Coordinating Center
The Harford Center, Inc.
The Metamorphosis Community Project, Inc.
The Osprey Foundation of Maryland
The Ranch, Inc.
Tri-County Youth Services Bureau
Victory of Hope Outreach Ministry, Inc.
Winter Growth, Inc.
Youth Sports Collaborative Network

MASSACHUSETTS
Alexandra Rollins Associates
Doc Wayne
Massachusetts Nonprofit Network

MICHIGAN
Alger Marquette Community Action Board
Ann Arbor Film Festival
Ann Arbor YMCA
Area Agencies on Aging Association of Michigan
Artrain Inc.
Berrien Community Foundation
Community Action of Allegan County
Council of Michigan Foundations
Creative Washtenaw
Detroit Zoological Society
Dickinson Iron Community Services Agency
do good Consulting
Fair Housing Center of Southeast & Mid Michigan
Friends In Deed
Goodwill Northern Michigan
Habitat for Humanity of Huron Valley
InSight Youth and Family Connections
Michigan Association of United Ways
Michigan Community Action
Michigan League for Public Policy
Michigan Nonprofit Association
Michigan Works! Association
Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency
Rapport Innovative Marketing
Region IV Area Agency on Aging
Senior Resources of West Michigan
Southwest Michigan Community Action Agency
The Corner Health Center
The Henry Ford
Transformation GEMS
United Way of South Central Michigan
United Way of Southwest Michigan
United Way of Washtenaw County
Upper Peninsula Commission for Area Progress (UPCAP)
Upsurge Strategies
Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency

MINNESOTA
Be Kind 2 People
Bush Foundation
Family & Children’s Center
Family Values For Life
Foundation for the Helpless
LegalCORPS
Literacy Minnesota
Living at Home Network
Minnesota Alliance for Volunteer Advancement
Minnesota Alliance on Problem Gambling
Minnesota Community Action Partnership
Minnesota Council of Nonprofits
Minnesota Council on Foundations
Minnesota Valley Action Council
Northeast Contemporary Services, Inc.
PRISM
Reinvigorating the Conversation
Senior Community Services
SEWA-AIFW
South Sudanese Community of Minnesota
Southside Family Nurturing Center
Telling Queer History
The Arc Minnesota
Three Rivers Community Action
Tubman
Wellness in the Woods
WoMN ACT

MISSISSIPPI
Mississippi Alliance of Nonprofits and Philanthropy

MISSOURI
Central Missouri Community Action
Gladiator Consulting

MONTANA
District XI Community Action Partnership
Montana Community Action Partnership Directors’ Association

NEBRASKA
Community Action of Nebraska
Nonprofit Association of the Midlands

NEVADA
Virgin Valley Artists’ Association

NEW HAMPSHIRE
NH Center for Nonprofits

NEW JERSEY
Community Action Partnership of New Jersey
Center for Non-Profits
Norwescap
Ridgewood Symphony Orchestra
YWCA Princeton

NEW MEXICO
Groundworks New Mexico
New Mexico Thrives

NEW YORK
Action Toward Independence Inc.
Asian American Arts Alliance
Bridges For Brain Injury
Bringing The Peace Incorporated
Casita Maria, Inc.
Cayuga/Seneca Community Action Agency, DBA: CAP Cayuga/Seneca
Center for Elder Law & Justice
Chances and Changes, Inc.
Charles Settlement House
Children’s Aid
Coffee Connection
Community Action Planning Council of Jefferson County, Inc.
Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Rochester
Crossroads of Caring, Inc.
Dance/NYC
Dress For Success Buffalo
Family Counseling Service of the Finger Lakes, Inc.
Forrester Leadership LLC
Genesee Parish Outreach Center, Inc.
Geneva Family YMCA
Geneva Lakefront Childcare Center
Greater Rochester Summer Learning Association
Habitat for Humanity of Ontario County, NY
Hillel Community Day School
Human Services Council of New York
Institute for Collaborative Leadership
New York State Community Action Association
Nonprofit New York
Nonprofit Westchester
Public Health Solutions
Represented Foundation
Rochester/Monroe County Homeless Continuum of Care, Inc.
Southwest Area Neighborhood Association Inc. (S.W.A.N)
St. Peter's Kitchen
The Center for Career Freedom
The Community Place of Greater Rochester
The Coordinated Child Development Program (CCDP)
The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation
The Smile A While Foundation
Tioga Opportunities, Inc.
Ulster County Community Action Committee
United Way of Greater Rochester and the Finger Lakes
Wyoming County Community Action
YMCA of Clifton Springs

NORTH CAROLINA
Impact Innovators and Entrepreneurs Foundation
North Carolina Center for Nonprofits

NORTH DAKOTA
North Dakota Association of Nonprofit Organizations

OHIO
237 Brothers In Taekwondo USA
614 Youth Prevention Agency
Advocating Opportunity
Alea’s Helping Hand Inc.
Anderson Consulting Group
ARC Industries, Inc.  
Bethany House Services  
Communities In Schools of Ohio  
Directions for Youth & Families  
Dublin Food Pantry  
Easterseals Serving Greater Cincinnati  
Elderly Advocates  
Godman Guild Association  
Greater Cleveland Volunteers  
Holden Forests & Gardens  
Hopewell  
Human Service Chamber of Franklin County  
It’s About Being Grateful  
Journey Services  
Kidney Donor Conversations  
Lutheran Metropolitan Ministry  
Lutheran Social Services of Central Ohio  
Mid-Ohio Food Collective  
Motherless Daughters Ministry  
New Directions Career Center  
Non Profit Evolution  
Ohio Association of Nonprofit Organizations  
Ohio Domestic Violence Network  
Ohio Hispanic Coalition  
One Health Organization  
Philanthropy Ohio  
Prevent Blindness, Ohio Affiliate  
Santa Maria Community Services  
SECORE International  
Shaker Lakes Regional Nature Center  
SourcePoint  
Survivor Advocacy Outreach Program  
The Brunner Literacy Center  
The Domestic Violence Shelter, Inc.  

OKLAHOMA  
Community Action Development Corporation  
Dale Rogers Training Center (DRTC)  
Harding Fine Arts Academy Foundation  
Oklahoma Association of Community Action Agencies  
Oklahoma Museums Association  
Teen emPower, Inc.  

OREGON  
A Greater Applegate  
Camp Fire Central Oregon  
CASA of Jackson County, Inc.  
Center for Community Counseling  
Central City Concern  
Central Oregon FUSE  
Clackamas Workforce Partnership  
Community Website Partnership  
Consulting, Mediation and Training Services  
Crown Point Country Historical Society  
Diversability Inc.  
Dolphin Players Inc.  
Domestic Violence Resource Center  
Exceed Enterprises  
Familias en Acción  
Family Relief Nursery  
Financial Systems for Nonprofits, LLC  
Friends of Outdoor School  
Friends of Tualatin River National Wildlife Refuge  
Frontline Services PDX  
Gold Beach Main Street  
Golden Road Arts  
Hand Up Project  
Human Rights, Human Stories  
Humane Society of Central Oregon  
Impact NW  
Little Engineers Education Foundation  
Metropolitan Family Service  
New Freedom Lane County  
Nonprofit Association of Oregon  
North Coast Land Conservancy  
Northwest Family Services  
Northwest Pilot Project  
Northwest Somali Community Organization  
Oceana Family Literacy  
Old Mill Somali Community Organization  
Oregon Association of Relief Nurseries  
Parkinson's Resources of Oregon  
Pearl Buck Center  
Phoenix School of Roseburg  
Portland Columbia Symphony  
Project 48 Inc  
Red Feather Ranch: A Place for Women Veterans  
Rogue World Music  
ROSE Community Development  
Samoa Pacific Development Corporation  
Schoolhouse Supplies  
Siren Nation, Inc.  
Sisters Folk Festival Inc.  
SMART Reading  
Stelo Arts and Culture Foundation  
Stroke Awareness Oregon  
The Environmental Center  
The Intertwine Alliance  
Wally’s House - Curry Child Abuse Intervention Center  
Whiteside Theatre Foundation  
Winston Area Community Partnership Teen Center
Youth 71Five Ministries

**PENNSYLVANIA**
Auberle
Community Action Association of Pennsylvania
Family Service Association of Bucks County
Greater Erie Community Action Committee
Human Services Center Corporation
Indiana County Community Action Program, Inc.
Marsh Creek Social Works
Northern Tier Community Action
Pennsylvania Council of Children, Youth & Family Services
Periscope LLC
Pittsburgh Community Services, Inc.
Steeltown Entertainment Project
Tri County Community Action

**RHODE ISLAND**
Association of Fundraising Professionals – Rhode Island Chapter
Grantmakers Council of Rhode Island
MENTOR Rhode Island: the RI Mentoring Partnership
Rhode Island Coalition Against Domestic Violence
Rhode Island Coalition for Children and Families
Rhode Island for Community and Justice
United Way of Rhode Island
YouthBuild Preparatory Academy
Westbay Community Action

**SOUTH CAROLINA**
Tri County Cradle to Career Collaborative
Together SC

**SOUTH DAKOTA**
GROW South Dakota

**TENNESSEE**
Big Brothers Big Sisters of East Tennessee
Building the Capacity of Organizations
Center for Nonprofit Management
Circuit Playhouse, Inc.
Communities In Schools of Memphis
Dorothy Day House Memphis
Genesis Technology Lab, Inc.
Greater Memphis IT Council
Habitat for Humanity of Greater Memphis
Juvenile Intervention and Faith-Based Follow-Up (J.I.F.F)
Last House on the Block

**UTAH**
Community Rebuilds
Nonprofit Development Partners Inc.
Utah Nonprofits Association

**VERMONT**
Yellow Brick Road

**VIRGINIA**
Alliance for Nonprofits, Inc.
Capital Area Partnership Uplifting People
Center for Nonprofit Excellence
Community Foundation For Loudoun and Northern Fauquier Counties
Dan River Nonprofit Network
Leary Educational Foundation, Inc. D.B.A. Timber Ridge School
Mel Leaman Free Clinic
NetworkPeninsula
Roanoke Valley SPCA
THRIVE Peninsula
Virginia PACE Authority

WASHINGTON
2DegreesC
501c3 Empowering Nonprofits
African School of Family Well-Being, Policy and Government
African-American Writers’ Alliance
Association of Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses
Bainbridge Island Historical Museum
Camelot Society
Campion Advocacy Fund
Centerforce
Children’s Discovery Museum
Communities In Schools of Washington State Companis
Downtown On the Go
Eastside Baby Corner
Education with Purpose Foundation for Pacific Islanders
Elizabeth Gregory Home
Financial Empowerment Network
ForeverGreen Trails
Friends of the San Juans
Gene Nastri Community School of the Arts
Girl Scouts of Eastern WA and Northern ID
Grays Harbor College Foundation
Habitat for Humanity in Whatcom County
Heaven Bound Saints
Homeownership Center of Tacoma/Northwest IslandWood
Kitsap Community Resources
Lynden Community/Senior Center
Methow Valley Nordic Ski Educational Foundation
Multi-Service Center
Neighborhood Clinic
North East Seattle Together (NEST)
Northwest Chamber Chorus
Old Friends Club
People for People
Phila Engaged Giving
Pioneer Human Services
Rising Sun Accounting
Salish School of Spokane
Seattle Arts & Lectures
Seattle Chess Club
Shunpike
Sisters of Umoja
South Fork Valley Community Association
Southeast Youth and Family Services
Southwest Youth and Family Services
Stilly Valley Center
Tacoma Community House
Tilth Alliance
Velocity Dance Center
Wallingford Community Senior Center
Washington Association for Children and Families
Washington Defender Association
Washington Family Engagement
Washington Nonprofits
Washington State Community Action Partnership
Whidbey Island Center for the Arts
Wolf Hollow Wildlife Rehabilitation Center
Woman of Wonder, Inc

WEST VIRGINIA
Central West Virginia Action Inc.
Mountain CAP of WV, Inc.
Philanthropy West Virginia
St. Jude Innovation Fund
West Virginia Nonprofit Association

WISCONSIN
Helen Bader Institute for Nonprofit Management
Leading Inside Out
Wisconsin Philanthropy Network

WYOMING
Community Services Network of Wyoming (CSNOW)
Goshen HELP DBA WYO HELP
Human Resource Council Of Converse County
Laramie Interfaith
Project SAFE, Inc.
Wyoming Nonprofit Network

MARIANA ISLANDS
Friends of the Mariana Trench