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About you

You are in the right place if...

- 1. You manage a small nonprofit.
- 2. You haven't reached your funding goals.
- 3. You've had a difficult time locating funding opportunities.
- 4. You are just curious!



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Thought for Today

"The difference between a successful person and others is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather a lack in will."

Vince Lombardi



Featured Resources

Where to Find:

- ✓ Private Foundation Grants
- ✓ Corporate Sponsors
- ✓ Government Grants
- ✓ Small Business Funding
- ✓ General Resources
- ✓ Live Help and Support



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How to Position Your Nonprofit for Grants

Grants are financial awards given to support programs, operations, or specific projects. This funding is typically provided by a foundation, a government agency, or a corporation.

How to prepare for private foundation grants:

- 1. IRS Tax Determination Letter 501(c)(3)
- 2. Program that is underway (in progress)
- 3. Partners/Collaborators
- 4. Grant Proposal (Budget and Board List)
- 5. Financial Statements
- 6. Website
- 7. Only apply for mission-aligned opportunities

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Grant Procurement Documents

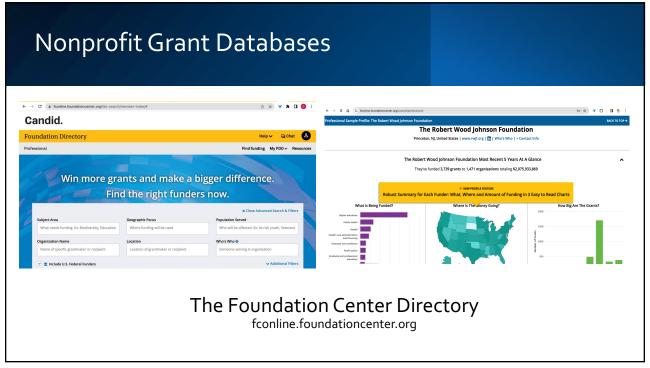


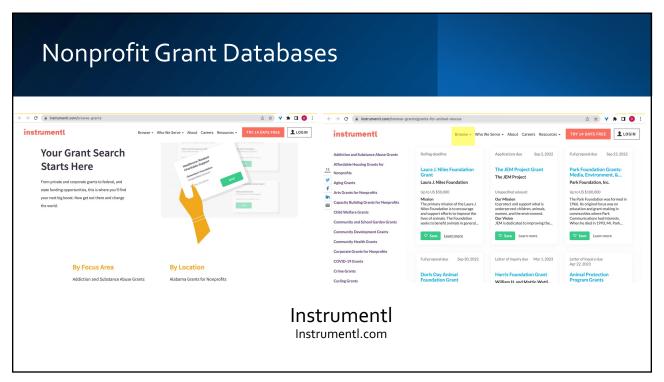


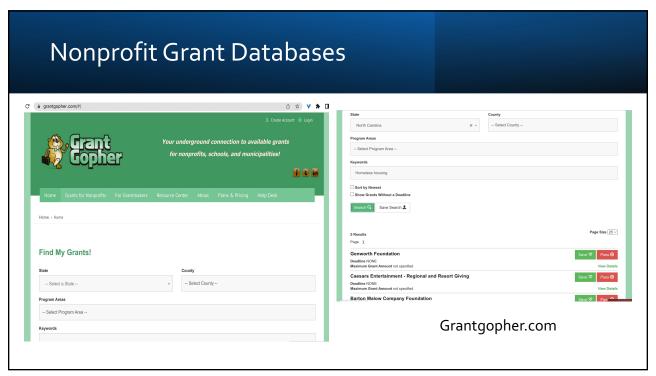


LETTER OF INQUIRY – 2-4 PAGES GRANT PROPOSAL – 10-40 PAGES ONLINE APPLICATION - VARIES



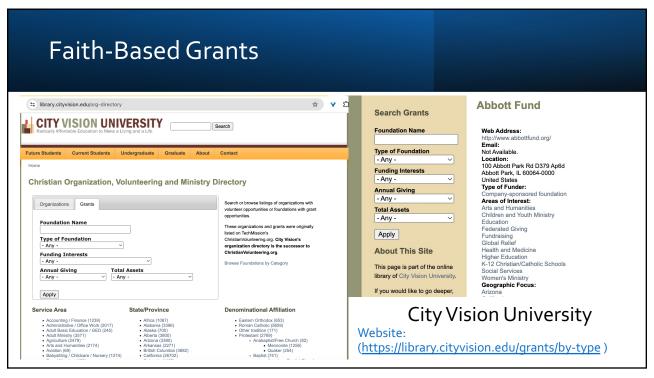


















Getting Ready for Federal Grants

How to prepare for federal grants:

- 1. Must be an existing organization with data to support your success.
- 2. Should have formal multi-level partnerships.
- 3. Must have financial statements that support your work.
- 4. Must have financial reserves totaling 3 to 6 months of revenue.
- 5. Should have private matches already approved.
- 6. Must be registered with SAM.gov.
- 7. Should be registered with grants.gov.

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Where to find Corporate Sponsors

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How to Attract Corporate Sponsors

Corporate sponsorships provide valuable financial support for nonprofit organizations. Here are steps you can take to attract and secure corporate sponsorships:

- 1. Research Potential Sponsors
- 2. Develop a Clear Proposal
- 3. Define What You Offer
- 4. Create a Sponsorship Package
- 5. Pitch Your Proposal
- 6. Follow Up and Maintain Relationships

Here are a few things you could offer:

- 1. Logo Placement
- 2. Product or Service Displays at events
- 3. Content Creation
- 4. Employee Involvement
- 5. Endorsements

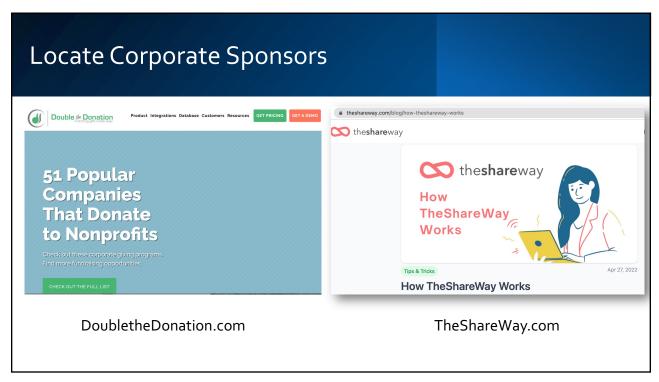


How to Locate Corporate Sponsors

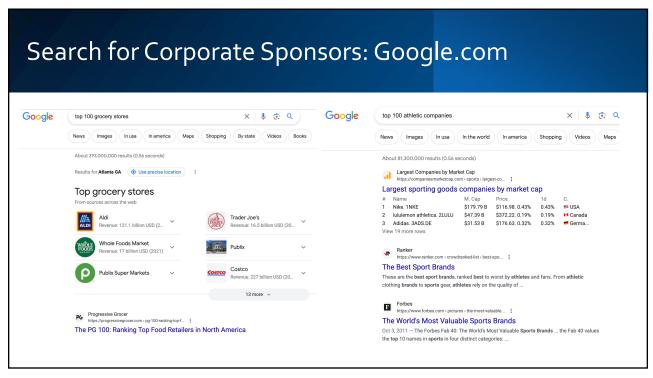
- 1. Existing Relationships
- 2. Online Databases
- 3. Local Businesses
- 4. Social Media
- 5. Competitor Analysis

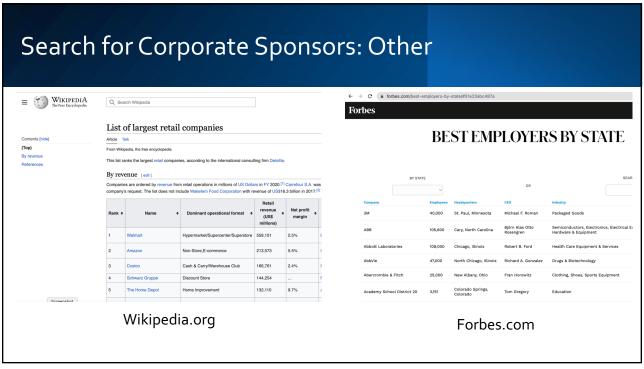
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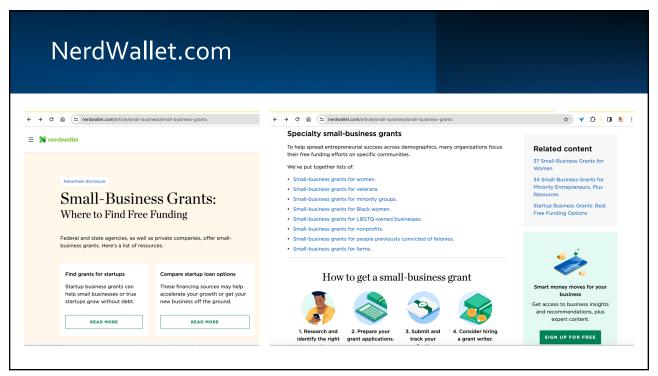


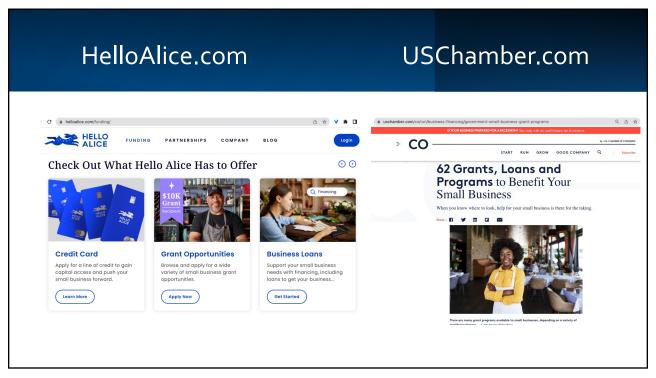


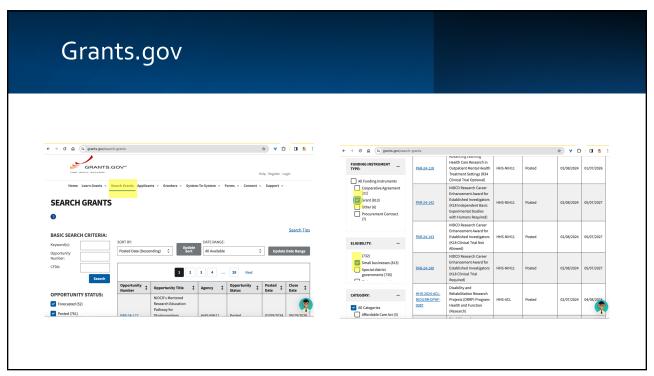
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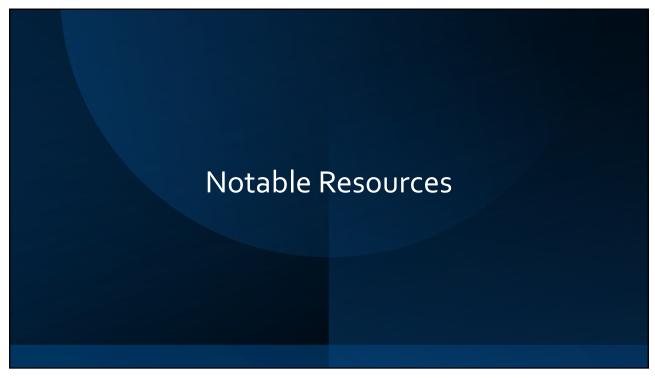
- 1. Why did I start your business?
- 2. What does your business do?
- 3. How much are you requesting in grant funds?
- 4. How do your services impact the community?
- 5. What sets your company apart from others in your industry?
- 6. How do you use technology in your business? And what technology would help your business thrive?
- 7. What are some of the challenges that you have experienced this year?
- 8. How have this year's challenges affected your ability to operate your business?
- 9. How would support from this grant program impact your business and help it grow?
- 10. We want to hear what makes you proud of your business. What's your biggest accomplishment to date?
- 11. What are your Social Media Handles?





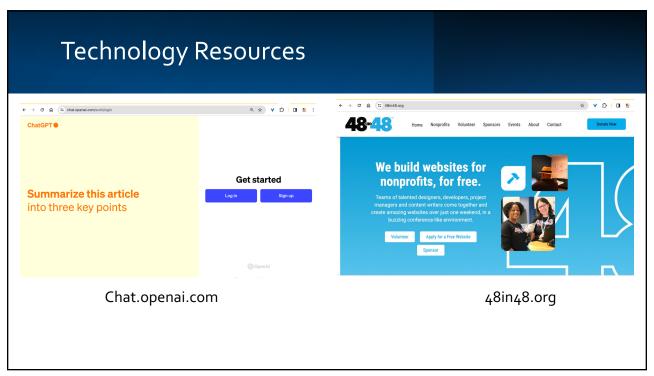


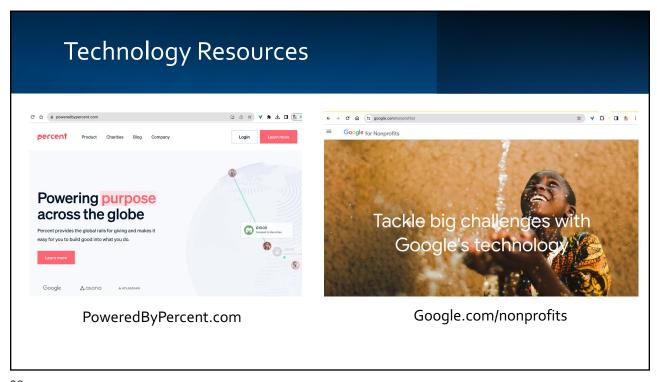














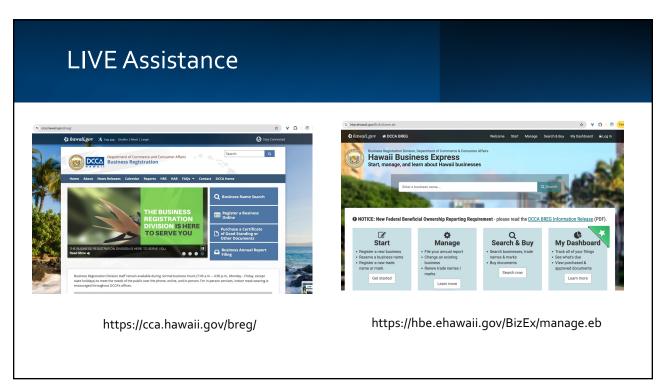


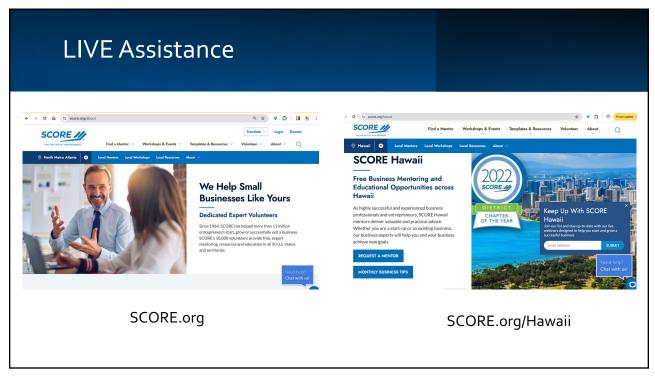
Knowledge is only Potential Power.

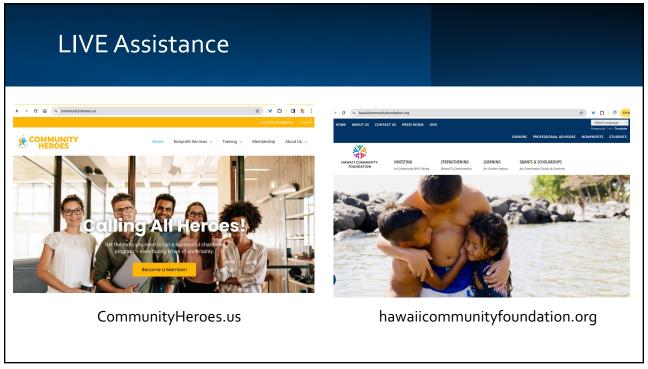
It is not enough to KNOW.

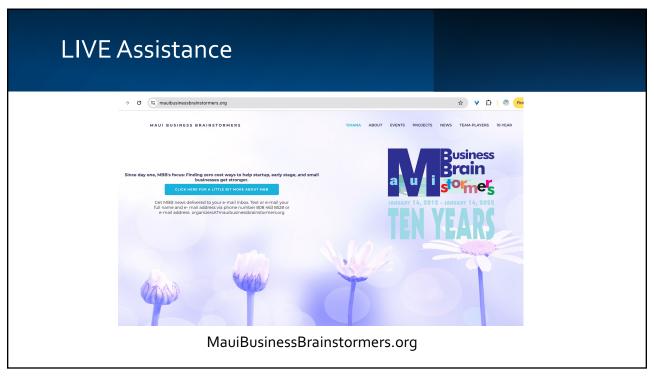
You must Know HOW.

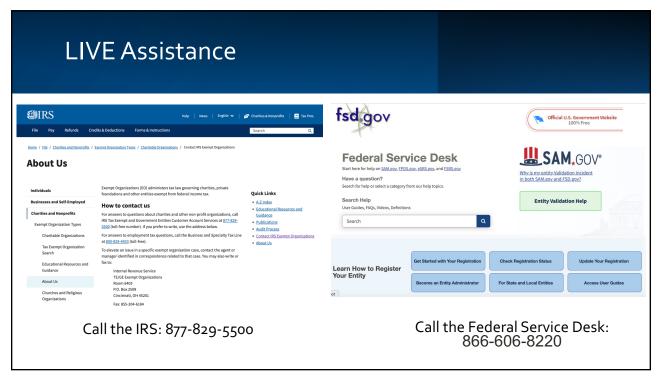
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Recap of Resources ♥

Where to Find Grants:

- 1. The Foundation Center
- 2. Instrumentl.com
- 3. Grantgopher.com
- 4. Grantmakers.io
- 5. Grantselect.com
- 6. City Vision University
- 7. GetEDFunding.com
- 8. MediaImpactFunders.org
- 9. Grants.gov

Where to Find Corporate Sponsors:

- 1. The Grantsmanship Center
- 2. DoubletheDonation.com
- 3. TheShareWay.com
- 4. Google.com
- 5. Wikipedia.org
- 6. Forbes.com

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Recap of Business Resources ♥

- 1. Verizon Digital Ready Program
- 2. American Express
- 3. FedEx Small Business Grant
- 4. Venmo Small Business Grants
- 5. Amazon Small Business Grants
- 6. Visa Everywhere Initiative
- 7.UPS Store Small Biz Challenge
- 8. Etsy Emergency Relief Fund

- 11. Nerdwallet
- 12. HelloAlice.com
- 13. USchamber.com
- 14. Grants.gov

Recap of Resources •

Notable Resources:

- 1. Council of Nonprofits
- 2. Community Foundation Locator
- 3. FindHelp.org
- 4. IRS Staying Exempt
- 5. ChatGPT
- 6. 48in48.org
- 7. PoweredbyPercent.com
- 8. Google for Nonprofits

Other Resources:

- 1. Independent Sector
- 2. Nonprofit Quarterly
- 3. Charity Navigator
- 4. VolunteerMatch
- 5. Guidestar by Candid
- 6. TechSoup
- 7. Nonprofit Technology Network
- 8. BoardSource

Live Help & Support:

- 1. SCORE.org
- 2. SCORE.org/Hawaii
- 3. Hawaii.gov
- 4. Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
- 5. CommunityHeroes.us
- 6. Hawaii Community Foundation
- 7. IRS Charities Division
- 8. The Federal Service Desk

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Final Thought

"It is not enough to be compassionate.

You must act."

Dalai Lama







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- 2. Grant proposal-writing
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