

A SERIES OF FIRSTS

The Alliance of Arizona Nonprofits cordially invites you to an historic three-community kickoff giving rise to, and a united voice for, the nonprofit sector as a significant economic and community force in Arizona.



Arizona's nonprofit sector represents 10% of the economy; its employees and volunteers create a larger workforce than the sectors of mining, wholesale trade and even the combination of transportation, communication and utilities industries.

Alliance of Arizona Nonprofits kickoff:

Phoenix

Friday, February 24, 2006

10:30 am – 12:00 noon

Heard Museum

Central & Encanto (between McDowell & Thomas Roads)

Steele Auditorium — enter from the north side of the building

Featuring special remarks from the business, philanthropic, political and nonprofit communities, including:

- Lisa Glow, representing Governor Janet Napolitano
- Robert King, President, Arizona Community Foundation
- Dr. Robert Ashcraft, Director
ASU Center for Nonprofit Leadership & Management
- José Cárdenas, Lewis & Roca
- Angela Melczer, Chair, Alliance Board of Trustees
- Alison Rapping, CEO & Patrick McWhortor, President,
Alliance of Arizona Nonprofits

Also featuring a full-sensory experience of the diverse nonprofits serving Arizona communities.

The Alliance of Arizona Nonprofits is a unifying association formed to advance the common interests of more than 20,000 nonprofits in the Grand Canyon State. We are a statewide organization of, by, and for all of Arizona's nonprofits.

Alliance Town Hall — Tucson

March 2006

Featuring a lively dialogue about the needs and future of Arizona's nonprofit sector.

Special thanks to Community Foundation for Southern Arizona.

Alliance Workshop — Flagstaff

March 2006

Featuring an informational and educational capacity building opportunity for nonprofits.

To RSVP for the complimentary Phoenix reception, please respond by February 21, 2006 to launch@ArizonaNonprofits.org.
Questions? Call 623.512.1578.

To join as a charter member of the Alliance before the deadline of January 31, 2006, [click here](#).

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