2022 Candidate Survey - Maine Association of Nonprofits

Thank you for taking the time to reflect on your experience with Maine’s nonprofit sector.

Through this questionnaire, the Maine Association of Nonprofits (MANP) offers Maine candidates for publicly elected office the opportunity to reach our vital constituency to let them know how you would partner with nonprofits to advance policies that would strengthen our state.

Our goal is to promote an educated and enthusiastic nonprofit community that votes.

Please complete the questionnaire no later Friday, September 30, 2022. We will post responses to our website the following week.

Did you know?
Did you know nonprofits:

- Employ 1 in 6 Maine workers. That's triple the size of the construction industry.
- Pay 18% of the state's total payroll
- Generate $300+ million in state tax revenue
- Contribute nearly $14 Billion to the nation's economy

Email *

Candidate's Full Name *

Suzanne Salisbury
Office Running For: *

- Governor
- U.S. House
- **State House**
- State Senate
- Sheriff
- County Commissioner
- Other: 

District *

128(currently 35)

Campaign website:

https://salisbury.mainecandidate.com/

Please describe your personal and professional experiences with nonprofit organizations. *

I am the founder and director of Westbrook Families Feeding Families a non profit food pantry. We have been in operator for over 12 years and have recently become a non profit. We are located at 28 Stroudwater St.
Please describe your top 3 policy goals.

Food Insecurity, Housing and workforce shortages.

Please provide specific ways in which, if elected, you would partner with the nonprofit sector to achieve the goals of your campaign.

The issues that I am focused on are tied to the non profit sector in many ways. I am on the task force to end hunger in Maine by 2030 and will continue that work. I work closely with The Locker Project and Good Shepherd Food Bank and will continue to try and reduce barriers for them to do their work. I am a firm believer in meeting peoples basic needs, food, shelter and safety. Right now I am serving in the Blue Ribbon Commission to study EMS in Maine and how the workforce shortages are effecting them.