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 **

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**Candidate's Full Name **

Stanley Wheeler
Office Running For: *

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

District *

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Campaign website:

WheelerforMaine.mainecandidates.com

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

I was the first ever "Big Brother" in Chillicothe, OH back in the late 70's. I am currently the President of the Board for the Central Maine Media Alliance and the Fairbanks School Neighborhood Association.
Please describe your top 3 policy goals.

Healthcare: Work to provide lower cost, affordable healthcare and prescription drugs, and continue access to reproductive care.
Education: Continue to fully fund public education, and ensure equal access to high quality education.
Support teachers and all educational support staff.
Infrastructure: Expand rural infrastructure projects, including broadband.

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

The nonprofit sector provides many of the services and support systems that I care about and I look forward to working closely with them to ensure continued funding and resources.