



**OneSource**  
CENTER FOR NONPROFIT EXCELLENCE

## OneSource Center Nonprofit News

February 2019

*Welcome to OneSource Center's Nonprofit News which includes upcoming events, announcements and other news important to nonprofits in the Greater Cincinnati area.*

### Marketplace Shoppers

## Annual Review of Donor Restrictions

Shoppers in our Marketplace are asked to sign an agreement to guarantee that goods purchased help those in need and ensure that donor's specific requirements for distribution of goods are met.



Please be sure that you alert your staff members making purchases at OneSource Center of Good 360 instructions that stipulate:

- donated goods are to be used only for people in need
- items are not to be resold or returned to the store for credit
- products may not be used in fundraising activities
- items are not given to agency volunteers or staff.

Please review the [entire agreement](#) with your staff who visit our Marketplace.

Questions? Contact OneSource Center staff at 513-554-4944.

A reminder: Your organization can enjoy a **FREE** Good360 membership to take advantage of their product offerings with deep discounts off retail prices. [Join](#) under OneSource's parent code (100065684), and you will receive an additional 20% discount off many products. Additionally, you can be matched with a local retailer to receive either one-time or regular donations of clothing, toys, home goods and other needed goods. [Full instructions for registering with our parent code.](#)

## Improving Diversity in our Community

The nonprofit community was rocked by issues of diversity last fall. The topic of diversity affects our entire community, of which nonprofits are just one sector. Diversity is not just a numbers issue, but goes deeper to organizational culture. Join us for our next "Building Blocks" seminar *The "Ins and Outs" of Diversity and Inclusion* on February 21 to explore steps that can create a positive environment and impact on your agency culture, employees and clients. For more detailed workshop information, click [here](#).

Gail Manley is the presenter for this workshop. She is the Director of Diversity and Inclusion with Fidelity Investments where she coaches 150 Employee Resource Groups globally, presenting diversity curricula to all levels of leadership. Gail is best known for her leadership development programs, diversity training, coaching skills and for her

expertise in talent management and relationship building. For more information on Gail's background, click [here](#).

**Date:** Thursday, February 21, 2019 9 a.m. - 12 Noon

**NOTE New location:** Starting with the January 2019 offering, OneSource Center's "Building Blocks" monthly seminars will be held at OneSource Center's spacious and beautifully appointed Park 42 Conference Center in Sharonville, just minutes from the Sharonville 275 exit.

**Bonus:** All seminar attendees are eligible to shop and to receive a 10% discount coupon to visit our warehouse after the seminar.

**A full calendar of OneSource Center "Building Blocks" workshops** is available online! Future workshops range from marketing plan development to team building and grant writing! Check it out [here](#)! Details of next workshops are below.

Corporate furniture donations

## Sustainability supports those in need

Know of a business that is remodeling, relocating or simply has excess inventory to share? Organizations are able to support sustainability efforts AND help nonprofits and their constituents by donating items to OneSource Center's Shopper's Club! These donations of office and lobby furniture, white boards, file cabinets, lockers, medical tables, conference room tables and chairs or office supply surplus are picked up by OneSource Center staff (for free!) and then these items are displayed in our extensive warehouse so nonprofits can obtain them for pennies on the dollar!

The Shopper's Club is the only one of it's kind in the Greater Cincinnati region. Memberships are available for weekday, year-round purchasing privileges, and most organizations make up the cost with one furniture purchase. All nonprofits can visit the warehouse on the last Wednesday of the month.

Direct your friends in corporate America who have surplus office furnishings to the OneSource Center [website](#) and thanks for spreading the word!

**SPREAD THE  
WORD!**

**FURNITURE  
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NONPROFITS!**

## TidBits

### GuideStar is now Candid

A recent announcement has been made that GuideStar and the Foundation Center have merged. The new organization joins two of the largest information-sharing forces in the nonprofit sector together, giving nonprofits greater access to data tools on nonprofits, foundations and grants. For more information, read the complete announcement [here](#).

### Google Grants Free Webinar

CharityHowTo is offering a free webinar on the topic of Google Grants, a program that gives eligible nonprofits \$10,000 per month in free online advertising to promote their organizations and causes on

Google.com. Webinar dates are February 19 and 26. Click [here](#) for more information.

## Did You Know

Besides the obvious tools like rakes, shovels and hammers, OneSource Center collaborating partner Cincinnati Community Toolbank offers items like A/V projectors, tables and other "non-tool" items? Check out their inventory online.

## Upcoming Trainings and Events

Bookmark the OneSource Center [combined training calendar](#) to find events and training opportunities ALL in one place for OneSource Center and our collaborating partners.

**February 21** OneSource Center "Building Blocks" *The 'Ins and Outs' of Diversity and Inclusion*. (See related story for registration information.)

**February 27** OneSource Center's Open Shopping Day (Nonprofits not currently members of the [OneSource Center Shopper's Club](#) invited to shop.)

**March 6** Leadership Council "Securing the Future" Conference

**March 19** Interact for Health "Project Management Basics"

**March 21** OneSource Center "Building Blocks" "What to Expect When You are Scaling a Program"

### Ongoing:

AFP [Networking and Knowledge Breakfast](#) - Normally the first Wednesday of the month (check website for exceptions)

PBPO [Employment Helpline](#) - First Thursday of the month

## Featured Training

# OneSource Center "Building Blocks"

## What To Expect When You're Scaling A Program

Nonprofits are under constant pressure to grow what is working well, either by increasing the number of individuals served or expanding into new geographies -- but how exactly do you grow your agency's reach and offerings in such a way that you don't simply add additional work and stress in your organization? Growth doesn't always mean profit. But, with proper scaling and strategic planning, workshop attendees will see how adding the proper framework around your plan doesn't add more work to your plate and gives shareholders the extra desired services they desire. For more detailed workshop information, click [here](#).

**Presenter:** Tara Noland is the founding executive director of GreenLight Fund, Cincinnati, bringing a wealth of nonprofit expertise and community knowledge to this month's presentation. Tara most recently worked for 4C for Children, a nonprofit focused on early childhood education. With a master's in social work from the University of Kentucky, Tara a past board member and current president of the Junior League of Cincinnati and was a member of C-Change, Class 4 and WeLead, Class 10. She was

named one of Cincinnati's Forty Under 40 by the Business Courier and a YWCA Rising Star in 2012.

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[Register](#)

## Grant Information

*Find more information and links to these opportunities on the [OneSource Calendar](#)*

**Catholic Campaign for Human Development grants.** Religious and secular organizations within the geographic area of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati can apply for Catholic Campaign for Human Development grants (\$5,000 to \$10,000) through the Catholic Social Action Office. Applications are due March 15, 2019 and the grant cycle runs from July 1 to June 30. This is a great opportunity if your agency is doing work that addresses poverty issues.

**Andrew Jergens Foundation grant.** The Foundation's prime interest is the health, education, cultural experiences and social welfare of children in the Greater Cincinnati area. Deadline for submission is February 15, 2019.

**Spirit of Construction grant.** Grant priorities are for those organizations involved in higher learning, work force development and local interest projects. Deadline: February 15, 2019.

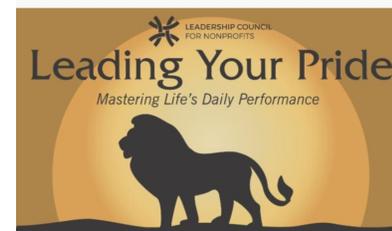
**Elsa Sule Foundation.** Providing opportunities in education, the community and the Arts. Letters of intent due March 1, 2019.

## Upcoming Nonprofit Events

### Securing the Future Conference

"Securing the Future" is an annual conference dedicated to building the strategic, leadership and resource development skills of the board, staff and donors of Greater Cincinnati nonprofits. The half-day educational conference is designed to address the needs and concerns of board members and senior leadership. Participants have a chance to interact with peers, hear from a prominent keynote speaker and attend breakout sessions led by local speakers for a deeper dive into the keynote topic. More information is available [here](#).

- Date: March 6, 2019
- Time: 7:30 a.m. - noon



- Location: Schiff Family Conference Center, Cintas Center at Xavier University
- Register by: February 27, 2019.

## Fast Pitch 2019

Social Venture Partners presents "Fast Pitch 2019" on March 14, 2019 at the Duke Energy Convention Center. Networking and dinner start at 5:30 PM and Pitches start promptly at 6:30 PM. This year's event features twelve finalists in fast-paced, three-minute presentations as they compete for more than \$35,000 in grants to applaud "Innovation That Matters". Audience members will help decide some winners through prizes and voting. Purchase tickets [here](#). Congratulations to all the winners progressing through the competition!

## Leadership Challenge

The Leadership Challenge, a collaborative effort of the Leadership Council, Camp Joy and International Leadership Associates, is an interactive three-day program that helps nonprofit leaders tap into leadership skills through a variety of activities. More information is available [here](#).

- Date: April 22-24, 2019
- Location: Camp Joy
- Register by: April 1, 2019

# Don't Forget Our Service Offerings

## Consulting Services

OneSource volunteers offer [consulting services](#) to help with strategic plans, board development, employee coaching, and business solutions.

## Training Opportunities

We support your staff development through [Building Blocks for Nonprofits](#) half-day seminars and multi-session leadership development programs offered through our partnership in the [Nonprofit Leadership Institute of Greater Cincinnati](#). [Custom training](#) is also available.

## OneSource Center Furniture Bank/Marketplace

Gently used [furniture](#) and new [retail products](#) are available in our warehouse. Shopper's Club Members have everyday access; all other nonprofits are welcome to visit on the last Wednesday of every month (unless otherwise noted.)

**Contact us or visit our website to learn more!**

# Meet Our Collaborating Partners



# Facebook and LinkedIn Connections

## Stay Connected with OneSource Center Updates!

LIKE us and FOLLOW us on our new [Facebook](#) page for news, photos, grant deadline alerts, trainings and more. And FOLLOW us on [LinkedIn](#) for news and updates.

