

ECONOMIC BENEFIT OF NONPROFITS: FLORIDA STATE SENATE DISTRICT 17



NUMBER, REVENUE, AND ASSETS OF DISTRICT NONPROFITS

	Number of nonprofits	Revenue, 2015	Assets, 2015
Total nonprofits	2,155	\$1,413,613,497	\$5,270,543,360

DISTRICT NONPROFIT EMPLOYMENT

	Wholly contained in this district	Shared with another district
Employment	4,484	13,930

Nonprofit data has been assigned to an individual senate district based on a zip code geographic center. When an individual zip code is split by two senate districts, the corresponding nonprofit data will only be allocated to the senate district covering the geographic center point of a zip code.

Employment data are collected at the county level. When a county is split by two or more state senate districts, employment is reported as shared for both districts (noted above). It is important to note that employment figures are assigned to the headquarters of each nonprofit. For example, in the case of a hospital system with facilities in more than one county, all employees would be counted as working at the address of the primary hospital—which may or may not reflect the actual workplace of the employees.

Sources: These figures are taken from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Business Master File (BMF) updated through October 2016—a file that includes every registered nonprofit organization in the nation. Data are extracted from the most recently publicly available data set, primarily as reported for the 2015 tax year, and are assigned to each district based on the zip code of the organization’s primary location. The IRS BMF was supplemented with data from the 2013 Core Files obtained from the National Center for Charitable Statistics (NCCS) for revenues of private foundations, not available in the IRS BMF data. Employment data was provided by the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity and the Bureau of Labor Market Statistics’ Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Program through a business-to-employment match for the second quarter of 2016; these data also include nonprofits covered by the Florida Reemployment Assistance Program. Some exceptions to this reporting include sole proprietors and religious organizations. Employment numbers also do not include unpaid workers (volunteers), which make up a large share of the nonprofit sector workforce. Hence, these employment numbers are a low-end estimate.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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