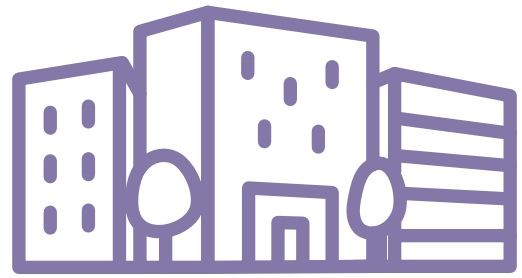


# Neighborhood Power Project



**Empowering nonprofits in the clean energy revolution.**

## The Neighborhood Power Project is looking to partner with nonprofit organizations in Chicago.

The Neighborhood Power Project (NPP) provides pro-bono services to nonprofits to help them access all the benefits of the clean energy revolution and address their facility's operational needs. Through sustainable and efficient buildings, we enable nonprofit organizations to be environmental leaders in their community.

## Become a Nonprofit Anchor!

By becoming a Nonprofit Anchor, you receive:

- Free energy, water, waste, and air quality assessments of your building
- Free enrollment in BIT Building, a professional resource for sustainable operations support
- Eligibility to apply for a grant of up to \$10,000 towards your first project
- Support in planning and executing sustainable projects at your building

Buildings cause **70%** of Chicago's greenhouse gas emissions



Buildings cause **40%** of greenhouse gas emissions nationwide



Nonprofit buildings are often **left out** of the clean energy revolution

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## Contact us for more information!

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# Become a Nonprofit Anchor with the Neighborhood Power Project!

## What does a Nonprofit Anchor do?

- Assess your property to build a baseline for energy, water and other sustainability data
- Collaborate with a consultant to develop a sustainable operations plan
- Commit to one year of consistent participation and follow-up
- Share your experience with the community to demonstrate the importance of building sustainability

## How can sustainable operations help your nonprofit save?

The Neighborhood Power Project team will work with you to choose projects that make sense for your organization, and help you access grants and incentives available to you.

*“The savings resulting from the energy efficiency work helped us continue to provide crucial programming for the children we serve.”*

*Susan Hogan, Chicago Children’s Advocacy Center*

### Example Building

**Energy efficiency project:** LED lighting retrofit

**Project cost:** \$44,039

**Grants and incentives leveraged:** \$39,217

**Project cost after incentives:** \$4,822

**Estimated annual cost savings:** \$8,450\*

**Estimated time to payback:** 7 months\*

\*Estimated savings based on 9 cents/kWh



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