



**Surviving and Thriving During Tough Times
Conference Tour 2009
Orange County
Local Nonprofit Resource List**

LOCAL

**Volunteer Center Orange County
714-953-5757**

www.volunteercenter.org

Volunteer Center Orange County strengthens our communities by mobilizing volunteer action and accelerating nonprofit success. Celebrating over 50 years in the OC community, VCOC assists the nonprofit community through volunteer services, consulting, training and business services.

**DOVIA – Orange County
714-953-5757**

www.volunteercenter.org

DOVIA - Directors of Volunteers in Agencies, is a professional organization open to both paid and unpaid volunteer managers and coordinators from public, private and philanthropic organizations throughout Orange County. DOVIA is sponsored by the **Volunteer Center Orange County** and provides opportunities for the development and enhancement of professional skills. It aims to increase awareness and networking opportunities among organizations involved in the implementation and coordination of volunteer programs.

2-1-1 Orange County

Dial 211

1-800-600-4357

www.211oc.org

2-1-1 Orange County's mission is to provide a comprehensive information and referral system that links Orange County residents to community health and human services and support. Every hour of every day, someone needs essential services--from securing adequate care for a child or an aging parent to finding treatment for substance abuse.

Orange County's United Way

949-660-7600

www.unitedwayoc.org

LIVING UNITED to Build Self-Sufficient Lives for Families and Individuals in Orange County

Orange County United Way's goal is not a quick fix to treat symptoms; it's about creating lasting change by addressing issues before they become problems. United Way partners with individuals and organizations to develop plans that proactively deal with critical health and human care issues which ultimately build self-sufficient lives.

CONNECT

714-704-8097

www.connectoc.net

CONNECT is an innovative, responsive, technical assistance provider. Our services and programs go beyond training to provide strategies and tools that strengthen nonprofit agencies from the inside out. We focus on the everyday and long term "business" and leadership practices necessary for nonprofits to be successful today.

Our vision is to see all Orange County nonprofit organizations are connected with the assistance they need to fulfill their missions and realize their full potential.

Our mission is to provide nonprofit organizations with resources to strategically build their capacity for long-term sustainability and growth. -

Orange County Community Foundation

949-553-4202

www.oc-cf.org

The Orange County Community Foundation connects donors and nonprofit agencies working towards a common goal: to improve the quality of life for our community. Our service-driven approach drives every action and decision. Simply stated, we make it easy for donors to grant effective and enduring gifts to charitable organizations whether in Orange County, the U.S. or the world. In addition, we partner with nonprofit agencies serving our community, and professional advisors counseling clients on estate and legacy plans.

Orange County Children and Families Commission

714-834-5310

www.occhildrenandfamilies.com

The Orange County Children and Families Commission provide leadership, funding and support for programs that achieve the vision that all children are healthy and ready to succeed when they enter school.

GENERAL

BoardSource

www.boardsource.org

BoardSource is dedicated to advancing the public good by building exceptional nonprofit boards and inspiring board service.

California Association of Nonprofits

213-347-2070

www.CANonprofits.org

California Association of Nonprofits (CAN) is a statewide membership network, creating sector-wide responses to the important issues facing nonprofit organizations and providing valuable resources and tools that empower nonprofits to achieve their missions. Join us as we work together to protect, strengthen and promote California nonprofits.

Consumer Action

415-777-9635

www.consumer-action.org

Consumer Action is a non-profit, membership-based organization that was founded in San Francisco in 1971. that serves consumers nationwide by advancing consumer rights, referring consumers to complaint-handling agencies through our free hotline

Nonprofit Finance Fund

415-255-4849

www.nonprofitfinancefund.org

Nonprofit Finance Fund (NFF) is a national leader in financing nonprofits, strengthening their financial health and improving their capacity to serve their communities. With NFF's help, nonprofits build and renovate facilities, fund growth needs, and expand and sustain operations over time.

Nonprofit Insurance Alliance of California

800-359-6422 or 831-459-0980

www.niac.org

The Nonprofits' Insurance Alliance of California (NIAC) is a liability insurance pool which was established in 1989 exclusively for [501\(c\)\(3\)](#) tax-exempt nonprofit organizations in California.

Social Enterprise Alliance

www.se-alliance.org

The Social Enterprise Alliance is the only member organization in North America to bring together the diverse field of social enterprise. It serves as advocate for the field, hub of information and education, and builder of a vibrant and growing community of social enterprises.

Taproot Foundation

www.taprootfoundation.org

415-359-1423

Nonprofits have the greatest potential for addressing our society's most challenging social and environmental problems, but often lack the operational resources to be effective. The Taproot Foundation exists to close this gap and ensure all nonprofits have the infrastructure they need to thrive.