

Increase Your Impact!

Become a Sustaining Member

- **What does it mean to be a Sustaining Member?**

As a Sustaining Member, you make a commitment to continue your Impact 100 membership, year after year.

- **How does it benefit Impact 100?**

Sustaining Members are a core group we can count on through the years, which helps us with long-range planning and the stability of the organization. Your ongoing commitment also saves administrative time and expense, and allows Impact 100 volunteers to focus on growing our membership and grant pool.

- **How does it benefit me?**

You have the satisfaction of a commitment to support our nonprofit community for the long term. Sustaining Members tell us it's nice to "set it and forget it," and you'll skip the membership campaign emails and calls.

- **Can I choose any level of membership?**

You can continue to be a full member (\$1,000), half member (\$500) or 110% member (donating an additional 10% toward administrative and operating expenses). All membership dollars continue to go directly to our grant recipients.

- **Is the commitment binding for a certain amount of time?**

As a Sustaining Member, your membership will continue until you advise us that you wish it to stop.

- **Can I change the amount I want to contribute?**

Once you've become a Sustaining Member, if you wish to change your membership level, send an email to administration@impact100.org. We'll help you process that choice for your membership in the future.

- **How many Sustaining Members does Impact 100 have?**

Currently, we have more than 60 Sustaining Members (approximately 15% of our membership). These committed members help to sustain our mission. Please join this valuable group!

- **How do I become a Sustaining Member?**

Go to www.impact100.org, select "Get Involved" then "Become a Member". After you select Full, Half, or 110% member, choose the "Sustaining Donation" button. You will then select your payment frequency. If you have any questions, please reach out to administration@impact100.org

Here's what our Sustaining Members are saying:

"Honestly, I am committed to being an Impact 100 Sustaining Member based on the quality and commitment of the ladies on the board who shepherd a process to award grants to worthy and sustainable organizations. Each year, our amazing grant recipients reinforce my belief that being a Sustaining Member is an excellent choice for my philanthropic dollars."

Yvonne Thomas, joined 2008

"I am a Sustaining Member of Impact 100 because I am in awe of the mission of the organization and the thorough process that is undertaken to ensure that our monetary contributions are best distributed. Serving on a grant committee sealed my commitment to Impact 100 for two reasons: I have been humbled by the expertise of the members; and I am incredibly proud of the vast number of nonprofit organizations that help those in need."

Kathy Aug, joined 2016

"I like that I can contribute to the Impact 100 mission and have the option of being involved. As an Impact 100 Sustaining Member, I enjoy getting the materials and information from the organization and I'm thankful that I can contribute monthly. I especially feel grateful for all of the work that is done to award grants and improve our community. I'm so glad to be a small, ongoing part of this very big effort!"

Mary O'Dwyer, new member

