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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NATIONAL PRINT & SIGN OWNERS ASSOCIATION

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Membership and benefits of membership:

Choose your membership

ListServ Membership:

\$199/Annual Access to ListServ (closed to non-members)

Full Membership: \$385/Annual

Access to Owners Listserve (closed to non-members) Monthly Mailed Magazine and access to archived issues Access to monthly and archived webinars Industry pricing studies and wage and benefit surveys Annual in-person conference member discount rate Monthly owner networking exchange via Zoom All vendor benefits illustrated in brochure

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🗖 Website 🛛 Email Blast 🗖 Friend
Event Other
🗖 Deborah Corn 🛛 Konica Minolta 🗖 Warren Werbitt

Bill Farquharson

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The easiest and simplest method for joining (or rejoining) NPSOA is via our website using a credit card.



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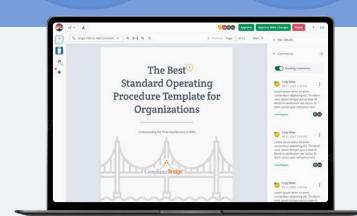
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NPSOA CONFERENCE

Put Your Printing Company on the Fast Track to Growth! Learn and Earn! Attend the NPSOA Annual Conference!

NPSOA's annual conferences are designed by your peers in the printing industry to be informational, educational, and entertaining. Attendees generate new relationships, strengthen bonds with fellow print & sign shop owners, and learn new ways to make a positive impact on their bottom line.

Each year, NPSOA holds these conferences in major cities across the United States where print & sign shop owners learn new tactics to help their businesses prosper and can still have time to enjoy a night on the town after a long day.

Throughout the conference, attendees hear from experts in various topics of interest to print & sign shop owners. When the conference is over, all the material used by the guest speakers is available for reference after returning to your shops. You are free to reuse these materials for sales and operations.



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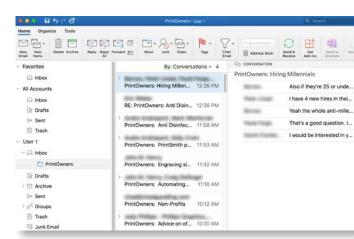
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Where do you turn when you need answers to the challenges our industry faces from time to time? Most print shop owners agree that the most reliable answers are from business owners who have faced adversity head on and solved the challenge with a solution usually from another print shop owner. Or perhaps it is just a question about insurance, marketing, and production, where do you turn for these?

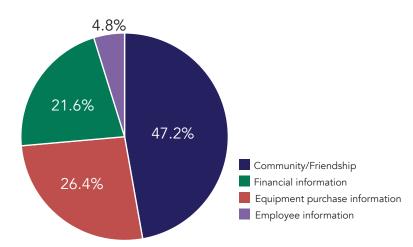
One of the most powerful tools used by members of the NPSOA is its Listserv. Why? It is an open online forum connecting members and building relationships. The Listserv also provides:

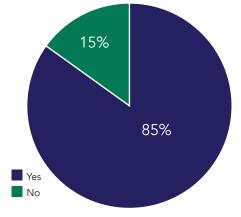
- On-demand expertise from other owners at the tap of a keyboard.
- Networking made easy. Build relationships!
- Connecting with people who have gone through similar issues.
- Promotes and builds your brand.
- Provides the pulse of our industry.
- Sending invitations, announcements, news, and event notifications.
- In-depth discussions.
- 24/7 convenience.
- Easy participation through email.
- Awareness of new products and services.
- Educational experiences.
- A common commitment to the printing and sign industries.



- Hop on / Hop off at any stage of the conversation.
- A free and open discussion format without annoying and gratuitous participants.
- Transparency. Nobody posts anonymously, which develops mutual respect.
- Geography is not an issue. Members on the East Coast can post and members on the West Coast can reply when convenient... and all the members in between.
- Search capabilities. When looking for a specific topic, seek and ye shall find!

In a recent survey of NPSOA members, *71% said they saved over \$500 from advice received on Listserv. Another 23% claimed a savings of over \$1,500. Not too shabby when considering this valuable resource to the low cost of NPSOA membership!





Rank the reason you are on the PrintOwners list.

When we look at the responses, we see that the single highest rated reason to be on the Print owners list is community and friendship by a significant margin (over 20%)

Did you find the list valuable during the Covid-19 pandemic with best practices, PPP information and EIDL discussions?

Check out what your peers have said about NPSOA's Listserv:

"It is worth its weight in gold!!!!!!"

"Wisdom from hundreds of print owners."

"Association with those in the same boat and the related experience and information that is shared" "It's a source for constant learning."

"Info on PPP"

"Insight on new trends and best practices; best sources for services, software and subcontractors; a huge resource to answer almost any question about the printing business" "Best practices. methods and procedures. Software reviews. Production advice / how to tips and ideas. To learn from my peers."

"Best Place to get all my questions answered"

"Good mentorship"

"Business guidance"

"Overcoming business challenges"



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Randy Herron, Herron Printing & Graphics Gaithersburg MD

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–Kevin H.

When it comes to your employee benefits... NOT all brokers are the same.

As an employer, you may assume all brokers have access to the same products and rates and, therefore, can't bring anything more, new, or different to the table. This is simply not the case!

It is true that most benefit brokers have access to the products that are on the Fully funded market; products that are all guaranteed issue and have fixed rates, but that's where the similarity stops. That's why you owe it to yourself, and to your company to look for a broker who:

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