Join Nebraska’s nonprofit community in a nationwide day of arts activism at Nebraskans for the Arts’ Arts Advocacy Day @ KANEKO on March 21 from 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Arts Advocacy Day is an opportunity to have your voice heard at the local, regional, and national level.

Join forces with arts organizations and fellow citizens to emphasize the value of arts in your community. By reaching out to local, state, and national legislators you can show them the importance of supporting arts funding and positive arts legislation.

What Does Arts Advocacy Day @ KANEKO Look Like?

Like a polling place, KANEKO will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on March 21 providing advocacy opportunities throughout the day.

Stop in before work, meet a friend over your lunch break, or join us in the evening for a Community Celebration open house.

This is an opportunity for your organization to share mission, events, volunteer, and engagement information with the community.

4 Ways to Get Your Nonprofit Involved:

1. Activate your Advocacy Network
   - Explain the importance of arts advocacy in your organization to your members and patrons.
   - Share Arts Advocacy Day materials with your email and mailing lists.

2. Join the Community Celebration from 5 - 7 p.m.
   - We encourage nonprofits with a stake in Nebraska’s cultural future to have a presence at Arts Advocacy Day @ KANEKO by reserving booth space from 5 - 7 p.m.
   - The Community Celebration is an open house event highlighting Omaha’s nonprofit arts organizations with performances, presentations, and remarks from community leaders.
   - Reserve your organization’s booth space by emailing michael@thekaneko.org.

3. Spread the Word
   - Invite members and social media followers to attend Arts Advocacy Day @ KANEKO.
   - Effective and simple forms of activism will be provided, including templates and guidance for letter-writing, email stations, and a phone bank.

4. Become a Member of Nebraskans for the Arts
   - Your membership in Nebraskans for the Arts helps us reach out to policy makers and community leaders as we share the impact of the arts on our economy and the importance of arts education to our children.
   - Become a member at nebraskansforthearts.org.

For more information on Arts Advocacy Day @ KANEKO, please visit thekaneko.org/advocacy or call 402.341.3800.