

PRO-Vision
Proper Business for Non-Profits
Live Zoom Meeting
Learning General Exempt Number Properly
With Wayne C. Anderson

Why nonprofit?

- Nonprofit business is separated from commerce because it deals with meeting important needs of society.
- Commerce aims to generate financial profit for its owners and investors.
- Nonprofits aim to generate service, relief and betterment of society.

I.R.S.'s view of nonprofits:

- A nonprofit is an organized entity of business that generates no financial benefit to a person or persons.
- A nonprofit satisfies the standards of serving society as a whole or a specified portion of society in life services and needs.

When do you get a nonprofit going?

- Immediately begin and operate the ministry of your calling.
- You need to be doing what you are called to do before you organize a ministry and do business as a nonprofit.

When do you absolutely need a 501-c-3?

- When you have already been doing the ministry of your calling.
- When you have anyone giving \$25,000.00 or more in one year with an expected tax deduction.
- When you want to receive donations from government agencies, corporations, trusts, grants, etc.
- When you want to receive donations of land or real property.

What is a 501-c-3?

- The IRS is ruled by and rules the citizens of the US by a code called the Internal Revenue Service's Code.
- Religious nonprofits are diagramed in section 501 under paragraph c, section 3 of the IRS Code. This is how you find the basic rules and information about a nonprofit organization.

Here is a valuable shortcut to learning about nonprofit organizations from the perspective of the I.R.S.

<https://www.irs.gov/charities-and-nonprofits>

I suggest you take the time to read each section on this informative page seriously. Take notes so that you can remember and ask clarifying questions.

Begin with the following Section Titles and follow the links:

Charitable Contributions:

- Learn about both Charitable Contributions and Noncash Charitable Contributions
- Exempt Organization Types: Learn about Churches & Religious Organizations - IRC 501(c)(3)

Education:

- Familiarize yourself with all the links under this section and try to get a handle on all the subject links.

Highlights:

- This section is not usually important unless you have a specific need for something that is listed there.

Acronyms for nonprofit organization:

I.R.S. – Internal Revenue Services

- The federal government agency that oversees the taxation of individuals and business entities.

E.I.N. – Employer Identification Number

- Or sometimes referred to as Tax Identification Number. This is like a social security number for a business entity.

SS4 Form is the form used to apply for an E.I.N.

- Each individual ministry must have its own EIN that distinguishes it. If you do not have one of these, please go to [irs.gov](https://www.irs.gov) and complete the online SS4 application. This will give you an EIN, and you can then complete this form. This is a 9-digit number. No dashes, please.

Lost EIN?

If you have lost or misplaced your original SS4 form (E.I.N. Number registration receipt form), please follow this link:

<https://www.irs.gov/businesses/small-businesses-self-employed/lost-or-misplaced-your-ein>

Follow the instructions to get a replacement. Then please email us a .pdf copy of it for your nonprofit file. Thank you.

PROvision:

“You shall remember the LORD¹ your God, for it is He who is giving you power to make² wealth, that He may confirm His covenant which He swore to your fathers, as it is this day.”

Deuteronomy 8:18

“Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.”

Hebrews 11:1

When He, the Holy Spirit, comes, He will “show you what is to come.”

John 16:13

“PRO means forward. Vision is seeing.

Jehovah – Jirah – Yahovah – yireh: literally means “Yahovah Who Sees” The kind of “seeing” is applied, seeing as in He “sees to it.” The LORD Provides is a good translation, but we need to understand that He “sees to it” and thus provides. Providence or Provision is now explained to us in a powerful way.

A ministry business proverb says, “**Communications brings provision.**”

Consider looking for Trusts – Grants – and NGO’s that financially invest in the work that you do.

¹ LORD is all caps marks the name Yod-Hey-Vav-Hey (YHWH). Yahovah

² Make is the Hebrew word “*asah*” and it is also used in Genesis 1:26 – “Then God said, “Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness...”

We are calling this nonprofit enterprising learning clinic “PROvision.”

PROvision with Wayne C Anderson is scheduled for:

Segment #1: October 14, 2023 @ 10:30 AM (Mountain Time)

Segment #2: January 6, 2024 @ 10:30 AM (Mountain Time)

Segment #3: April 6, 2024 @ 10:30 AM (Mountain Time)

Segment #4: July 6, 2024 @ 10:30 AM (Mountain Time)

Segment #5: September 28, 2024 @ 10:30 AM (Mountain Time)

Segment #6: December 28, 2024 @ 10:30 AM (Mountain Time)

These will be recorded and found on the I.A.M. App³ with notes and guidance.

A prosperous tool might be the organization of Anderson Legal, Business & Tax Advisors: andersonadvisors.com

In the top menu there is a “LEARNING” drop down where you will find a tremendous amount of really good information and teaching for your organizational business.

Also, Jitasa Group is a nonprofit bookkeeping network with group representation in many states: jitasagroup.com

Jitasa – Numbers For Good – under the “About” menu choose “Nonprofit Network.”

³ The “Learning” tab on the App. Find the icon for “PROvision”
PROvision Nonprofit Business Notes - Segment #1