Northeast Organic

Farming Association

NOFA

MASS

# SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

## **OUR MISSION & REACH**

Through education and advocacy NOFA/Mass promotes organic agriculture to expand the production and availability of nutritious food from living soil for the health of individuals, communities and the planet.





\*78% increase in email subscribers in 2021, 5% higher open rate than the industry standard



## ANNUAL PARTNERSHIP PACKAGES

Sponsorship Benefits	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$3,000	\$1,500
Winter Conference Sponsorship Level	Presenter	Partner	Supporter	Contributor
Summer Conference Sponsorship Level	Presenter	Partner	Supporter	Contributor
Sponsor of Education Department Events/Webinars	20+ per year (season present- ing sponsor)	6 per year	6 per year	2 per year
Sponsor of Podcast Episodes	12 per year (sea- son presenting sponsor)	6 per year	6 per year	2 per year
Ad in Email Newsletters	48 per year	24 per year	12 per year	4 per year
Dedicated shout-out post on social media	2 per year			
One Year Business Membership	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Program Underwriter (includes additional visibility): direct your support toward your choice between: Policy Department, Food Access Department, Equity Department, or the Massachusetts Pollinator Network	$\checkmark$			
Logo on NOFA/Mass website	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Conference Scholarships in Your Name	4 per year			
Recognition in Annual Report (print and digital)	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Opportunity to display digital supporter badge on your site	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$

These are suggested annual sponsorship packages, which represent a value to our sponsors and ensure support across many of our most important programs. Most of these opportunities, such as sponsorship of a single conference or a one-time newsletter advertisement, are also available individually. These individual opportunities start as low as \$50. Find details on individual advertising and sponsorship opportunities below.



# INDIVIDUAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES







We host two annual conferences: the NOFA/Mass Winter Conference in January and the regional NOFA Summer Conference in August.

Conference sponsorship packages range from \$300 - \$2500, and include advertising opportunities, different levels of visibility throughout the conference experience, and in-person and virtual vending opportunities.

We offer more than 20 educational events per year (a combination of on-site and online workshops), covering a wide range of topics and audiences.

Single event sponsorships start at \$100 per event, and include visibility and click-through to your website in promotional emails and on the event registration page, as well as acknowledgment during the event.

We send four mini email newsletters to our subscribers. These are organized by topic, with each topic-based newsletter sent once per month

The newsletter topics are:

- Policy & Advocacy
- (updates from our policy department and calls-to-action)
- Be a Better Grower (tips for farmers and gardeners from expert growers)
- Practical Self-Sufficiency (DIY ideas, from food preservation to fence repair)
- Food Justice (updates on how our community is working to improve the food system)

Advertise in the newsletter of your choice for \$75 per ad. Annual commitment to advertising in any one newsletter (12 ads / \$900 per year) comes with bonus visibility: a once annual feature article or interview on a relevant subject published in the newsletter of your choice.



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Episodes released monthly, covering a wide variety of topics of interest to the regional NOFA community.

Advertise in a single podcast episode for \$50 (includes 30 second audio spot of your copy read by the podcast host, plus visibility in podcast promo, reminder emails, and show notes).

Opportunities also available for seasonal sponsorship: support podcast production starting with a commitment of \$1200 per year (\$100 per episode for 12 episodes) and receive the opportunity to share longer-form audio content and enjoy deeper integration into podcast topics and conversations. Season sponsorship also includes visibility in promo, emails, and show notes.

Your opportunity to provide direct support to the programming that is important to you.

**Policy Department:** support our policy and advocacy work. Receive clickable logo on policy department webpage and additional visibility w/ coalition starting at \$500 in support for policy work per year.

**Food Access Department:** support our food access, community food security, and youth community garden programming. Receive clickable logo on food access webpage and additional visibility starting at \$500 in support for food access work per year.

**Massachusetts Pollinator Network (MAPN):** support our statewide initiative connecting individuals, organizations, communities, and experts working to protect pollinators and their habitats. Sponsors at any level receive network supporter digital badge. Receive clickable logo on MAPN website and additional acknowledgement/visibility starting at \$500 in MAPN support per year.

\*use of the pollinator network supporter digital badge and display of your logo on the MAPN website is subject to the approval of the Massachusetts Pollinator Network steering committee, which will confirm that your business/organization's practices/policies are in accordance with the network's pollinator protection guidelines (as applicable).

