

2022 Network Delaware Annual Survey

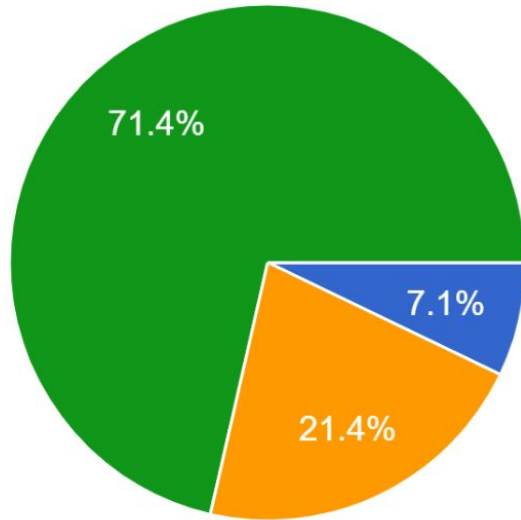


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Overview of Survey Takers

How long have you been a part of Network Delaware?



- Not involved yet
- Been involved for a few months
- Been involved for about a year
- Been involved for a few years
- Been involved since the beginning

Key Metric of Network Delaware - Member/Volunteer Ranking

“I would recommend Network Delaware to others” (1-10 scale, with 10 being the highest)

9.79

Note - Past scores:

- 2021 = 9.65
- 2020 = 9.5
- 2019 = 8.71

Levels of Support for Network Activities

<u>Activity</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Civic Action Alerts	9.67	9.35	9.2
Policy change / Issue campaigns	9.5	9	9.1
Network general meetings	9.33	8.57	8.75
Workshops on running for office	9.71	8.63	8.5
Connecting people to elected officials	9.4	8.87	8.4
Leadership development trainings and programs	9.4	8.74	8.25
Community Policy Initiative	9.67	n/a	n/a

Note - n/a means it was a newer question and did not ask it previously.

Levels of Member Community Engagement

<u>Activity</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Reading the local news	8.93	8.76	8.6
Contacting a legislator about a policy	8.2	7.67	8.25
Attending a community meeting, event, or action	7.43	6.83	7.8
Taking civic action in my own community or neighborhood	8.07	6.94	7.1
Volunteering on a local issue campaign (e.g. to push a cause such as education, criminal justice reform, health, etc.)	7.86	6.87	6.8
Volunteering on a local political campaign	6.07	6.4	6.8
Attending a public body meeting (e.g. school board, city/county council, or at the General Assembly)	6.43	5.9	6.6

Member Personal Leadership Assessment

<u>Question</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
I often learn new skills and ideas	9	n/a	n/a
I feel energized by the people I work with	8.14	n/a	n/a
I am (or I already have) committed to organizing over the long-haul for social change	8.79	7.89	8.5
I am part of a dedicated team that "gets stuff done"	6.79	7.85	8.25
I know how to make an impact in my community	8.21	7.61	8.1
I understand how to push for intersectional justice (e.g. race, gender, economic status, etc.)	8.64	7.3	7.4

Effectiveness of Network Organizational Systems

<u>Activity</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Communications	9.82	9.15	8.6
Volunteer management/involvement	8.63	8.07	8
Administration/Operations	8.75	8.31	7.9
Recruitment of volunteers	8.43	8.22	7.8
Fundraising	7.4	7.67	7

Overall Network Delaware Reflections

<u>Area</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Network Delaware cares about me as an individual	9.5	9.04	9.1
Network Delaware has helped me improve my own skills and ability to create change	9.21	8.69	8.4
Network Delaware supports those most affected by the root cause of issues to fight for institutional and systemic justice and change	9.93	n/a	n/a
I feel motivated being around other Network Delaware members and volunteers	9.64	9.2	8.8
Network Delaware secures real improvements in the community and in people's own lives	9.57	n/a	n/a
Network Delaware supports my efforts to volunteer civically and/or be involved in the community	9.36	n/a	n/a

(Key Learning) What's one thing you've personally learned while being part of Network Delaware?

- That I had within everything I needed to help my community and Network Delaware showed me the way and the tools to jumpstart significant change in my desired area of interest for change.
- There's a group of people who feel passionately about making Delaware a better place.
- How dedicated the Volunteers are in trying to achieve their goals.
- Why a personal or public narrative is so important
- Commitment
- I think Network Delaware is constantly reinventing itself. Keeping the positivity, energy, commitment, and an open space that feels safe for folks to come and learn is what will always be an environment needed to keep improving and making people feel that Network Delaware is a friendly, strong, and accessible support system to help them improve themselves and help their neighborhoods.

(Delta) How could Network Delaware change and/or improve?

- I'd love to see Network Delaware work closely with students at DSU and UD.
- Additional post-pandemic advocacy and in-person events.
- More meeting times outside of evenings.
- Keep finding ways to reinvent itself to better meet its mission

(Plus) What is Network Delaware doing well and/or you want us to keep doing?

- Recruiting and energizing young people to get involved for change and the public good.
- Leadership training, workshops for those running for office, cultivating groups change
- Bringing people together, never letting anyone fall through the cracks, and finding a place for everyone to do the work
- Keep on addressing the issues! You are doing such a Great Service for others!
- Network Delaware works well with other organizations and helps build capacity for advocacy.
- Communication
- Keeping humble and caring. Creating excitement and inspiring hope for change. Involving people with small tasks for them to feel capable of achieving step by step.
- Thank you for the commitment and determination to keep engaging and supporting leaders to prepare more leaders and support communities. Good Job Network Delaware!
- Thank you for caring about Delaware



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