Federal Mid-Term Elections: Impact on Charitable Nonprofits

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Election Results

- Introductory Comments
- Overview of the Results
- Big Picture Issues the Candidates Ran on

The Lame-Duck Session

- Must Pass and Wish List
- Nonprofit Priorities
 - Charitable Giving Incentives
 - Workforce Supports
 - Call to Action
- Q & A

The 118th Congress

- People and Priorities
- Sector Priorities
 - Tax Policies
 - Arts Agenda
 - Human Services Agenda
- Q&A

Our Speakers

Election Results



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Welcome

A Call for Unity from Tim Delaney









Election Results

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Unknown

Known

Issues They (think they) Won On

- Size of Senate Democratic Majority (50 or 51)
- House Control
 - Leaders
 - Committee Heads
- Narrow margins = leadership difficulties
- \$16.7 Billion spent on essentially status quo
- **Republicans**: inflation, crime, immigration
- Democrats: abortion, results, democracy

Election Results

Recognizing Congressional Firsts

Women

- Becca Balint (D-VT) House
- Katie Britt (R-AL) Senate
- Summer Lee (D-PA) House
- Delia Ramirez (D-IL) House

Native Americans

Markwayne Mullin (R-OK)

Gen Z

Maxwell Frost (D-FL)

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Must Pass Items

Appropriations

- Omnibus or Continuing Resolution?
- * Earmarks?

Defense Other

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Appropriations

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- Earmarks?

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Wish List Items

Respect for Marriage Act Electoral Reform Debt Ceiling

Natural Disaster Tax Relief Year-End Tax Package

- Child Tax Credit
- Research Writeoff
- Secure 2.0

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Charitable Giving Incentives

Expired at the end of 2021

Universal Charitable Deduction (UCD)

- \$300/\$600 deduction for non-itemizers
- Generated \$11 billion in 2020 giving
- Restore and Expand in S. 618/H.R. 1704
- UCD enjoys strong public support

100% Adjusted Gross Income Cap

Included in every natural disaster tax relief bill

25% Corporate Income Cap

Included in every natural disaster tax relief bill

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Employee Retention Tax Credit

- Refundable Payroll Tax Credit
- \$7,000/quarter/employee for eligible employers
- Retroactively repealed for Q4 2021
- Bipartisan support for H.R. 6161/S. 3625

Volunteer Mileage Relief

- Current Law: 14 cents/mile (Itemized Deduction)
- Business Rate: 62.5 cents/mile
- Bipartisan support for H.R.8265 TEAM Volunteers Act

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TIME TO TAKE ACTION

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Employee Retention Tax Credit Volunteer Mileage Relief

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Sign onto the
Statement
Endorsing the UCD

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People & Big Picture Priorities Leadership

Senate



House



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People & Big Picture Priorities

Committee Make Up

Tax Committees





Appropriations











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People & Big Picture Priorities

What Must Get Done

- Appropriations
 - FY 2023?
 - FY 2024
- Debt Ceiling

Hot Issues

- Ukraine
- Child Tax Credits/EITC
- 2017 Tax Law Expiring Provisions
- Immigration
- Social Issues



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Tax Policy Priorities in 2023

Charitable Giving Incentives

- Charitable Contribution Deduction
- Appreciated Assets

Planned Giving

- Donor Advised Funds
- Endowments

Internal Revenue Service

- Backlog and EO Division
- \$80 Billion/87,000 agents
- Form 1023-EZ



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Arts Community Agenda for 2023

Increased civic engagement and bi-partisanship
House and Senate Arts and Cultural-Related Caucuses
Pending Issues/Legislation

- Increased FY2023 appropriations
- Tax programs/policies increased federal incentives for chartable giving, ERTC Program reinstatement, and Legacy IRA Act

Importance of federal agency engagement and advocacy

- Advancing Equity and Racial Justice initiative Through the Federal Government
- Interagency collaboration to support the arts and cultural sector



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Human Services Agenda for 2023

- Continue to invest in concrete economic supports for individuals and families
- Consider the impact of the Hobbs decision on access to reproductive health care
- Extend and expand provisions created in response to COVID that helped to address workforce and financial challenges which will support the sector through recovery
- Ensure that policy and financing allow for a better than mediocre response to America's current mental health crisis
- A functioning, bipartisan government is key to achieving social sector policy priorities



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Questions and Closing Observations



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