

Funding a refresh without the *guesswork*.

Non-profits defer IT because the money is hard to find and harder to assemble. We handle that side for you. This is a short look at why it is hard, and what changes when someone who knows the landscape runs it.

General guidance for Canadian non-profits and charities. Every organization's situation is different; talk to us about yours.

SECTION 1

Why non-profit IT gets deferred

The money to modernize usually exists. Assembling it is the hard part, so it gets put off until something breaks.

For-profit businesses buy IT out of operating budget. Non-profits usually cannot, so technology waits. The funding that could pay for a refresh is real, but it is scattered, it changes, and most of it will not cover the one thing a refresh needs most. Figuring that out takes time your team does not have, and getting it wrong is expensive.

The gap nobody mentions. The funding that exists tends to cover licences and hardware. The work to plan, deploy, and document a refresh is the part that gets left to you. That gap is where projects stall.

SECTION 2

What changes when we run it

Funding and procurement is core to how we work with non-profits. You get the outcome without learning the landscape.

- **We scope to your reality.** The refresh is sized around what you can fund and what you actually need, not a wish list.
- **We handle the procurement.** Sourcing, pricing, and the paperwork are on us, in the format your board and funders expect.
- **We close the gap.** The planning, deployment, and documentation that funding rarely covers is priced honestly and handled properly.
- **You keep everything.** Documentation, inventory, and runbooks are yours in editable form.

Non-profits are the core of what we do. Pricing reflects that, and some work is handled privately as an investment in the relationship. Ask what that looks like for your organization.

SECTION 3

A funded refresh, start to finish

What the process looks like from your side. No jargon, no homework.

STEP	WHAT HAPPENS	YOUR EFFORT
Blueprint	We map your environment and write the plan	One day of access
Funding	We line up the funding and procurement	Sign-offs only
Refresh	Hardware, network, and identity done properly	Minimal disruption
Handover	Documentation and runbooks, yours to keep	None

The result

A modern, documented environment your team can run, funded in a way your board can account for. On a recent non-profit refresh it meant substantial savings against buying the same thing cold. Your numbers depend on your situation.

SECTION 4

Where to start

Bring us

- ☐ Your rough headcount and device count
- ☐ What is failing or aging out
- ☐ Your charity or non-profit number

We bring

- ☐ A plan sized to what you can fund
- ☐ The procurement and paperwork
- ☐ A refresh, deployed and documented

Next step. Tell us what you are dealing with and we will tell you honestly what is possible.
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