



## A Moratorium on Double Spaces in Nonprofit Communications

Whereas double spaces after periods and other full-stop punctuation marks were designed to work with typewriters, and

Whereas the majority of newspapers, magazines, and other media and communications no longer use this convention, and

Whereas a vote was put to the Nonprofit With Balls Facebook community, a group of brilliant, talented, and really ridiculously good-looking nonprofit professionals, the majority of whom voted in favor of letting go of the double space for its impracticality in grant applications with character limits, and for its unsightliness in general,

***Therefore, within the grace period of 90 days, all nonprofit professionals will cease the usage of double spaces after periods and other full-stop punctuation, in any and all nonprofit communications.***

After 90 days, any nonprofit professionals who insist on using double spaces will be subject to finger wagging, eye rolls, irritated sighing, punctuation-related practical jokes, and find/replace-all without advance notice.

So it hath been decreed; so it will be.

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Nonprofit Warrior, Unicorn Class

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