American associations contribute in direct and significant ways to U.S. economic stability and societal advancement. They help build up vital industries, professions, workers, businesses and communities.

Associations Live at the Intersection of **U.S. Economy** and **Public Service**.

**Associations Nationwide**
- >60,000 associations\(^1\)
- >200,000 employees\(^2\)
- >$53 billion in revenue\(^1\)

**Associations in South Carolina**
- 471 associations
- 1,798 employees
- $122 million in wages

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