

Photo – Video – Narrative Contest

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A picture is worth a thousand words

Start snapping! Taking a photo or creating a video that shows AmeriCorps members making an impact helps people visualize the work that you do on a daily basis.

You do not have to be a trained artist used to producing award-winning works of art. You can even use your phone to capture a photo or video of some spontaneous amazing AmeriCorps moments. You can also use a traditional camera or video camera if you prefer.

Take photos and videos that showcase AmeriCorps members in action. Posed photos are nice, but candid photos really capture the spirit of the moment and tell a story. Videos of AmeriCorps members engaged in service provide powerful visual images that can reinforce and tell your AmeriCorps story.

Be sure to obtain written consent of those in your photos or videos prior to distribution.

Tell your story

Remember, it's all about the impact. What impact are you making in your community? Show your talent with words by expressing the change your service has made in the lives of others and how it has impacted you. There is no need to write a book. Keep your work to under 300 words.

Submit

Enter your photo, video and narrative in the Nebraska AmeriCorps Week contest. Simply email it to Cathy Plager at cathleen.plager@nebraska.gov by May 21. Questions? Email Cathy or call her at 402-471-6226.

