

# Financial Edge NXT™ for Community Development Organizations

Community development organizations identify and address a myriad of needs, including housing assistance, employment readiness, economic development, and so much more, all while being accountable to numerous and varied stakeholders. Being able to provide timely, actionable reports to these stakeholders is critical to demonstrating fiscal responsibility as well as making sound, strategic decisions for your organization.

Financial Edge NXT offers an all-inclusive, cloud-based fund accounting solution designed exclusively for nonprofit organizations. So whether you are a community action agency, council of government, or other entity you can have instant, secure access to crucial data whenever and wherever you need it.

## Features at a Glance

Financial Edge NXT puts the following powerful fund accounting features in your hands:

### Customizable Dashboards

Each user can populate his or her dashboard with the tasks, records, and reports that he or she accesses most often. Action reminders for meetings, phone calls, and reports can be displayed on your homepage so you never miss another deadline.

### Projects, Grants, and Endowments

Track and report revenue and expenses at the project and grant level without creating complexities in your account structure. Inside the project record, you can find constituent contact information and fields that allow you to track your projects by type, status, amount, and start or end dates. Important project and grant documents can be uploaded to the record, so you never have to go hunting for files again. You can also view high-level menu items, including budgets and reimbursement tracking, so all of your grant information can be easily accessed in one place.

## Solution at a Glance

Financial Edge NXT allows your community development organization to:

- Demonstrate accountability to funders to increase grant awards and develop a reputation as a fiscally responsible organization
- Administer more grants with your existing staff by reducing the amount of time required to meet grant reporting requirements
- Cultivate a deeper understanding of your organization with real-time financial analysis anytime, anywhere
- Spend more time growing your programs and funding and less time managing reporting to various stakeholders
- Track the impact your mission has on the community and analyze your efficiency in delivering programs
- Share timely information and empower other departments through distributed reporting and view-only licenses
- Ensure that your funds are used only on approved expenditures by leveraging a strong internal control structure
- Streamline the budget process and provide budget managers with online access to updated actual results, enabling them to take ownership of the process

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## Internal Control Settings

Keep your data secure with advanced user control settings, while also allowing administrators to log in to Financial Edge NXT with view-only rights to retrieve information pertinent to them without making demands on the accounting staff.

## Robust Reporting

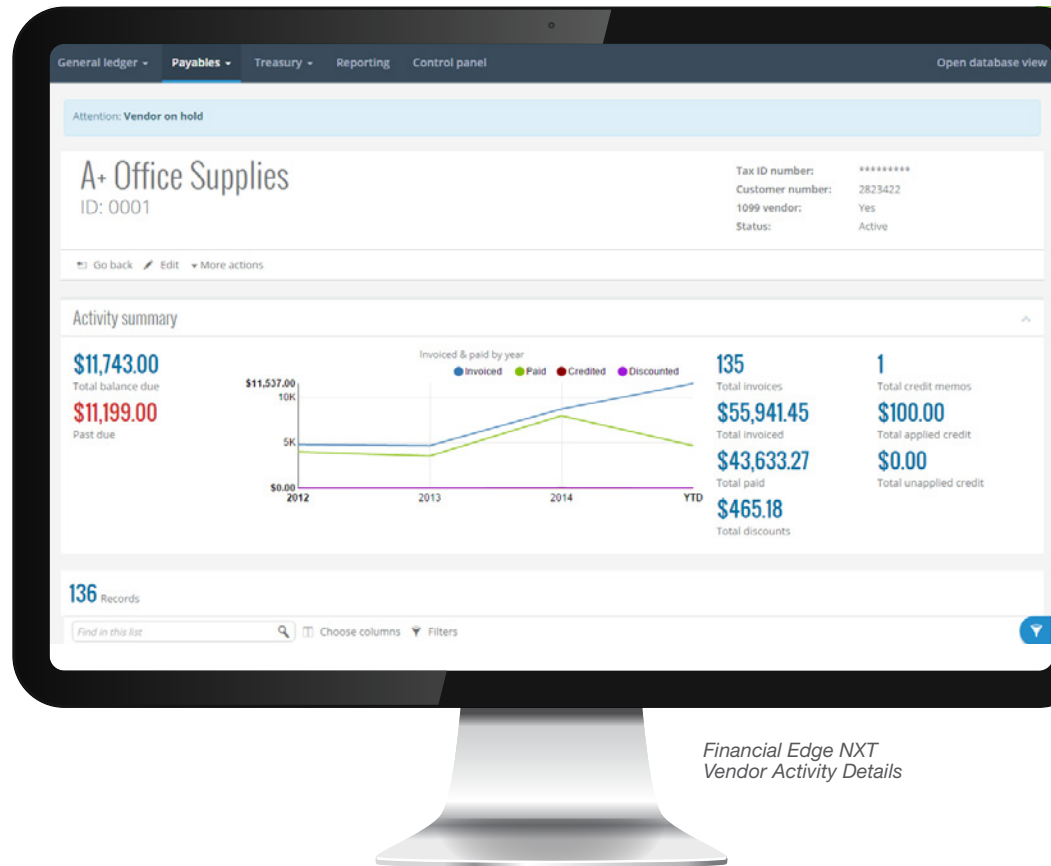
Financial Edge NXT's reporting capabilities are unparalleled with dozens of prebuilt reports that can be tailored to suit your reporting needs without having to manually manipulate data. Create and save custom reports for easy access to the information you need in the format you need it. Schedule reports to be emailed to the appropriate recipients so you never miss another deadline. Drill down directly into interactive financial reports.

## Best-in-Class Budgeting

Financial Edge NXT delivers unbeatable budgeting capabilities giving you the ability to budget by customizable fiscal periods as many years into the future as you need. Compare an unlimited number of budget scenarios on the project level, and control budgeted amounts by enforcing business rules.

## Take Advantage of Comprehensive Financial Tools for All Your Needs.

Built as a complete fund-accounting solution, Financial Edge NXT also provides tools to manage direct and indirect allocations, fixed asset and spending controls, payroll, encumbrances, requisitions, and more.



Financial Edge NXT  
Vendor Activity Details

Over 6,000 clients trust Blackbaud to manage their accounting needs. Read what some of them have to say:

*“Because ASCOG deals with public funds, we need to be able to show taxpayers how their money is being used every step of the way. With Financial Edge NXT, we were able to create account codes and break things down in a manner that we were not able to with our old system”*

—Lisa Thomas,  
Accountant II,  
Association of South Central  
Oklahoma Governments

*“Getting timely information out of our old system in a useful format was impossible. Using Financial Edge has really enhanced our ability to be more forward-looking and to focus our energies on strategically managing the business. Financial Edge is incredibly intuitive, and Blackbaud’s training and support are fantastic. The instructors are very knowledgeable and accessible, and they are great about responding to specific questions”*

—J. Mark Jenkins,  
Director of Finance and Operations,  
Westside Community Services

*“Overall I looked at five software options. The one that allowed for the most customization was Financial Edge. I have spoken to four different people about Financial Edge. They all ask about operating the system, implementation, training, and customer service. I can answer with certainty that Blackbaud is a sound choice for all of those areas”*

—Brian Resch,  
Controller,  
Select Milwaukee

## Features of Financial Edge NXT

- General Ledger
- Project, Grant, and Endowment Management
- Advanced Security
- Accounts Payable
- Blackbaud University On-Demand Training
- Fixed Assets
- Accounts Receivable
- WebInvoicing and WebPurchasing
- Purchase Orders
- Reporting
- Application Programming Interface
- Accounting Forms
- Budget Management
- Allocation Management
- Accounting Queue
- Cash Management
- Consolidation Management
- Cash Receipts
- Payroll

### About Blackbaud

Leading uniquely at the intersection point of technology and social good, Blackbaud provides software, services, expertise, and data intelligence that empowers and connects people to advance the social good movement. We serve the entire social good community, which includes nonprofits, foundations, corporations, education institutions, and the individual change agents who support them.