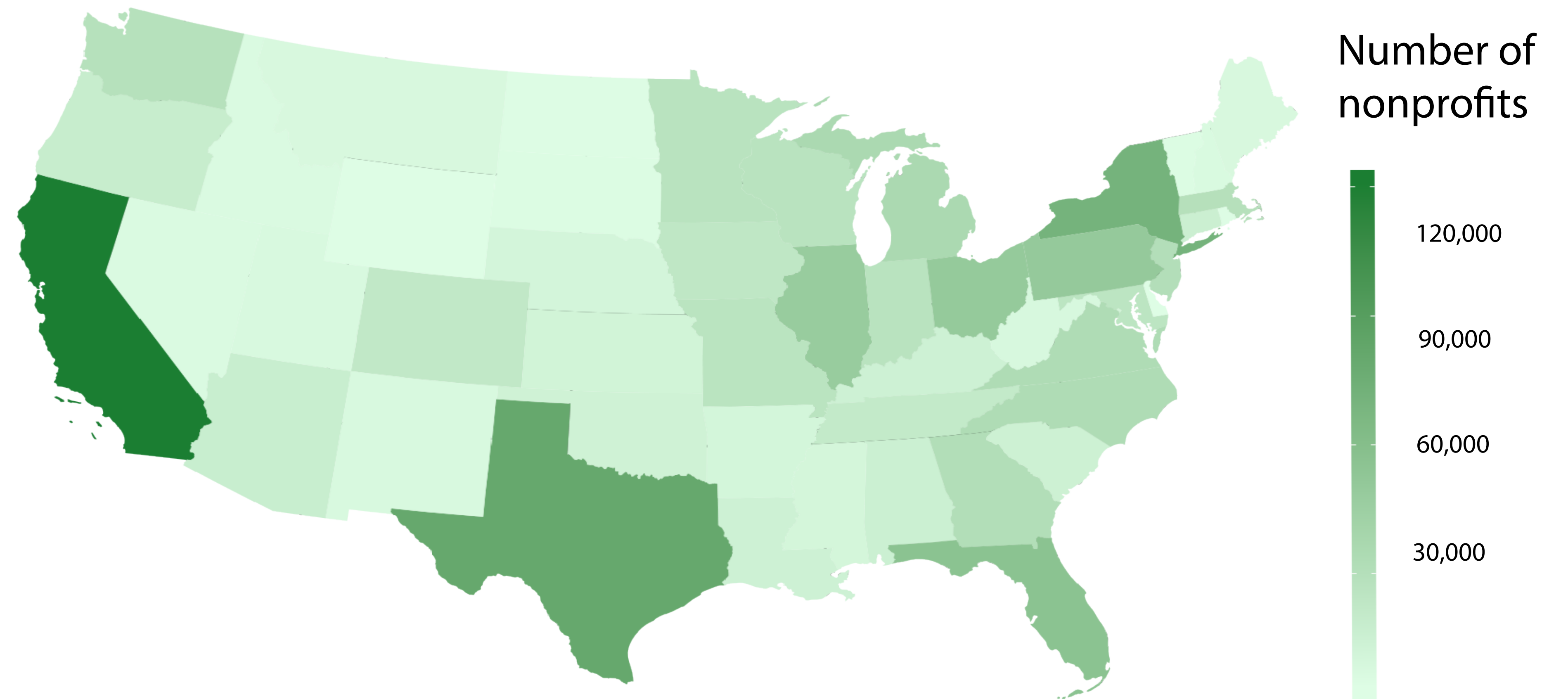


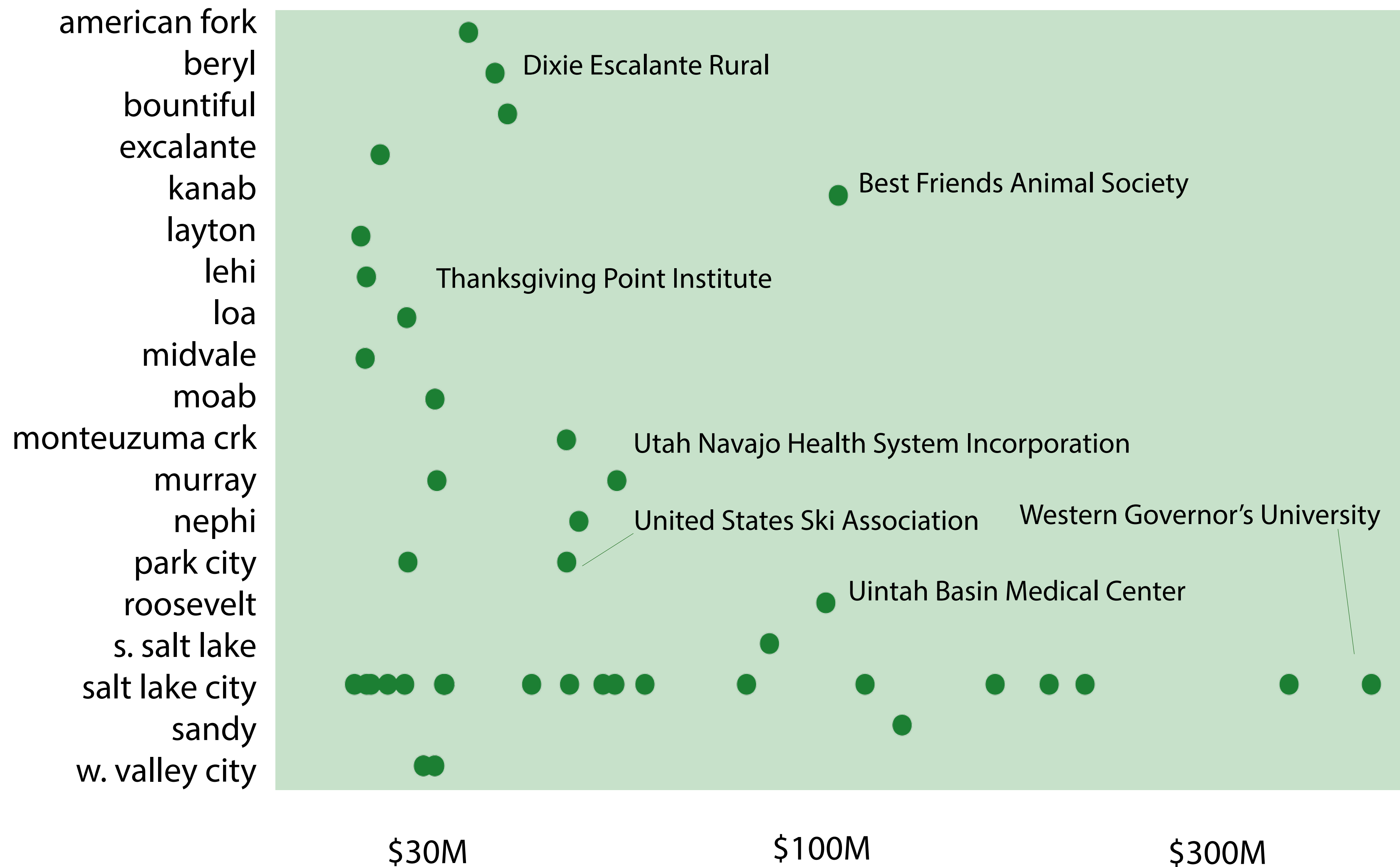
Why do we have so many nonprofits?

The United States supports a staggering number of nonprofits. In fact, more than 1.6 million nonprofits and charities were registered with the IRS as of August 2017.

As illustrated in the map on the right, nonprofits are most dense in the states with the highest populations—not a bit shocker. What’s a little more interesting is why they exist. Based on the data, I propose that strengthening communities is one of their main purposes.



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the 15 most common words in nonprofit names

