

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

FOCUSING ON THE THINGS WE VALUE

One of the things I am most proud of as President of **tpt** is our ability to have a tangible, positive impact on our community. We do this in a variety of ways, but perhaps none of them has been as broad in its reach as the **MN Channel**, which has allowed us to further the work of many organizations in our community.

We created the **MN Channel** six years ago as a unique place to feature programming that is from or about Minnesota and its close neighbors. Since then, we have created hundreds of new programs, many produced in partnership with Minnesota's finest nonprofit and public service organizations.

What does this mean for you, our members? It means that when you support **tpt, you are also supporting the vital work of a wide variety of organizations in our community. It means that your membership dollars help inform the community at large about important local issues.**

Just in the past few months, the **MN Channel** has partnered with a wide variety of organizations to address topics including local environmental issues, ending hunger and helping individuals break out of cycles of poverty.



Right now, community organizations like **tpt** need all the support they can get. So if you can make a gift at this time, to **tpt** or any of our **MN Channel** partners, you will be helping our community get through these rough times.

This is at the core of what **tpt** is all about: Being of service to others in the community who share our mission; who understand that TV isn't just a distraction; who understand that it can also help educate, inspire and build stronger communities.

We thank you for your support, which makes these partnerships possible. Every time you donate, you help strengthen the nonprofit community, and by extension, our community as a whole.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Jim Pagliarini'.

James R. Pagliarini