



Welcome to Announce it!

To use Announce It!, chose any of the 50 announcements from the disk and open all of the files in any of the folders. For most announcements, you'll see 4 variations. They are pictured and described below:



announcement sample file

This flattened jpg file will give you a quick peek at the completed announcement graphic. It contains sample information which is included only for placement and example purposes.



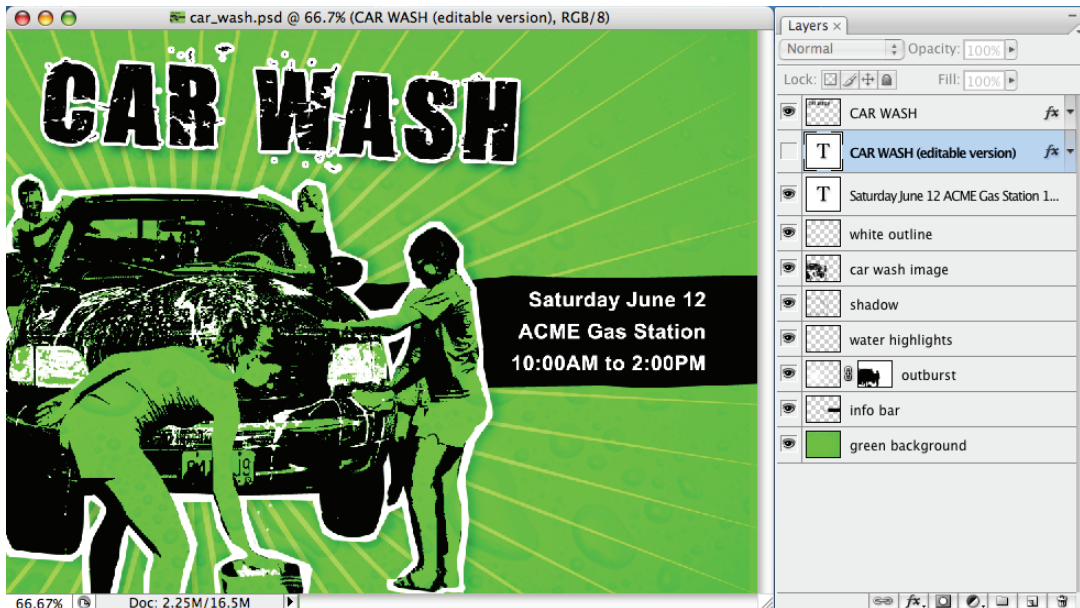
announcement info bar file

Many announcements include a bar of some sort to place information pertinent to your activity or event. This file is flattened and ready to drop into your presentation program where your custom info can be added.



announcement blank file

Another flattened jpg file, this version is "blank", meaning no info bars, or text is present on the image. This variation can also be dropped right into your presentation program for customization.



Each graphic includes a rasterized version of the typeface used for titles (when not a system font), as well as an editable layer (should you have the font installed on your system). Many of the fonts used for titles are available for free on the web. Simply search the font names using www.google.com.

Sample information is typically displayed in Arial Bold for maximum compatibility across systems. While this font is adequate, we suggest using something more creative for your custom versions.

Layered Adobe Photoshop/Elements file

The most versatile of the files on the disk are the editable layered Adobe Photoshop/Elements files. This file contains all of the various design elements and text contained in each of the designs. They come in handy because you can edit your type right

in Photoshop/Elements while retaining all of the effects such as drop shadows, glows and strokes applied in the original design. An additional bonus is that all of the elements included in each design, have the potential to be used in

other original graphics you might create for worship and beyond.

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