Pixlr Editor Logo Resizing Article Updates

Please note: This article is attached as a downloadable word document, just in case you'd like to distribute it to your participants so they can resize their individual avatars!

So you uploaded your logo to your peer-to-peer event and it did something weird — how do you fix it?

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If you used a rectangular logo, that may be the problem. How do you resize your logo to fit while maintaining image integrity? We're glad you asked!

You can very easily change the size of your logo without cropping out pieces or stretching it beyond recognition by using the Pixlr Editor, an online editing tool (and it's free to boot!).

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You can get started by visiting their homepage and choosing which editor you want to use. Because this is a simple resizing task, select **Pixlr X**. This is the express version for simple photo editing. Pixlr E is for more demanding photo editing.

SELECT PHOTO EDITOR
WE HAVE TWO NEW ONLINE PHOTO EDITORS TO CHOSE FROM

Do you prefer the classic yet advanced desktop style photo editing or is playful modern your cup of tea, either way we have the right free photo editor for you. Both editors open almost any image format like PSD (Photoshop), PXD, Jpeg, PNG (Transparent), WebP, SVG and many more. Both products are also AI powered with automatic background removal and other AI tools to help you create professional looking photo edits.

PIXLR X

THE EASY TO USE PHOTO EDITOR

✓ **Pixlr express users start here!**
✓ Modern photo editing for quick edits, and beginners.
✓ Open most image like PSD (Photoshop), PXD, JPEG, PNG.
✓ Most tools in a few sections.
✓ Perfect for quick, playful photo edits.
✓ One-click to add artistic effects to photos.
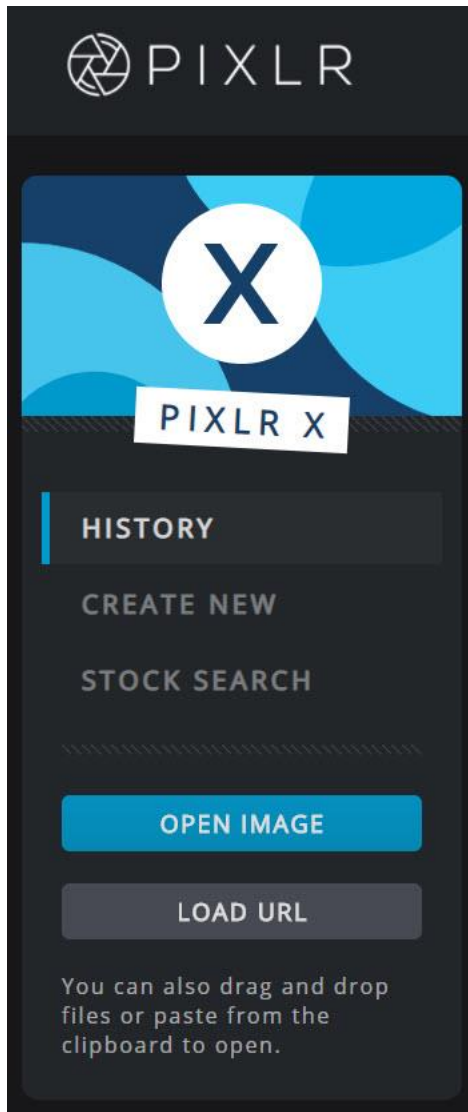
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POWERFUL PHOTO EDITOR FOR PROS

✓ **Pixlr editor users start here!**
✓ Classic photo editing with must-have tools, but sleeker.
✓ Open most image like PSD (Photoshop), PXD, JPEG, PNG.
✓ Classic desktop ui.
✓ Selection tools.
✓ Cut, copy, paste selections.
✓ Fill and Gradient tool.
✓ Sponge / Color tool.
✓ Advanced color picker
✓ More tools, more contol.
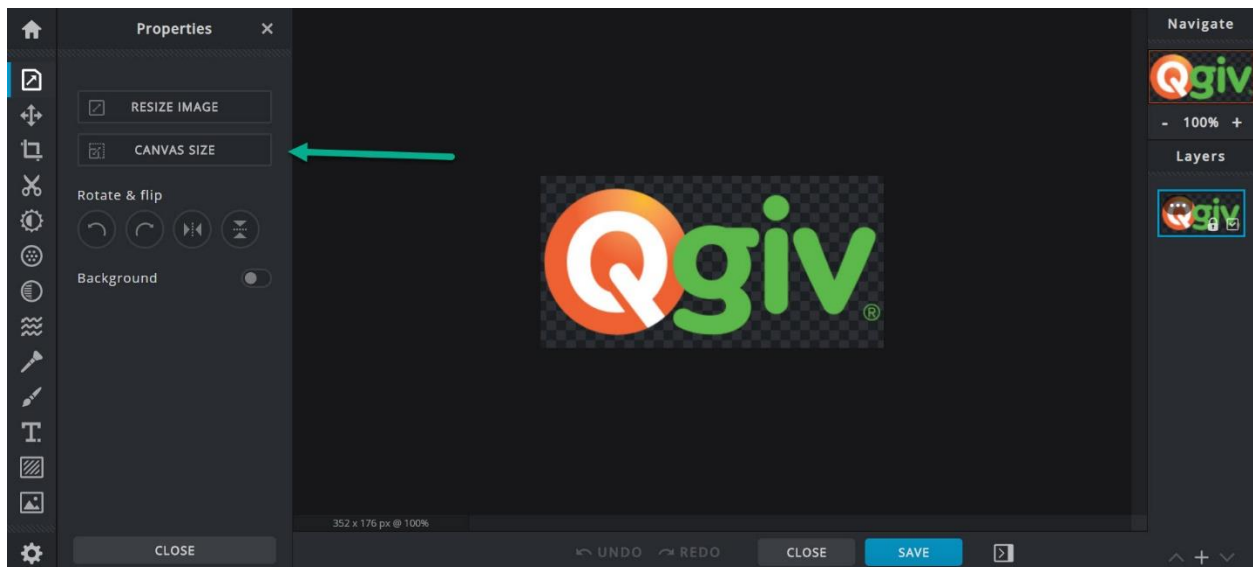✓ More filters, more adjustments..

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Then select **Open Image** and choose your rectangular logo. Pro tip: use a version of your logo with a transparent background.
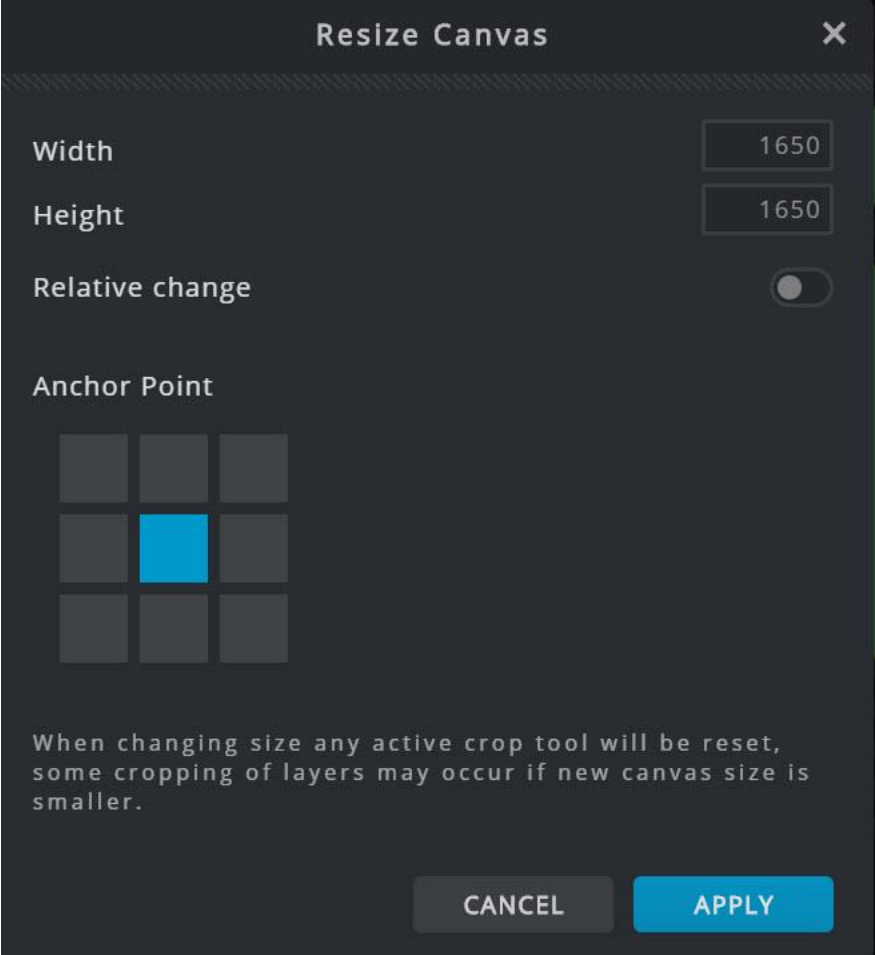
Then click **Properties**.

Then choose **Canvas Size**.

Increase both the width and height of the image to give your logo sufficient padding around the edges to avoid anything getting cut off when it's cropped into a circle shape in the Event Builder. In this case both the width and height were increased to 1650. Keep the anchor point centered.
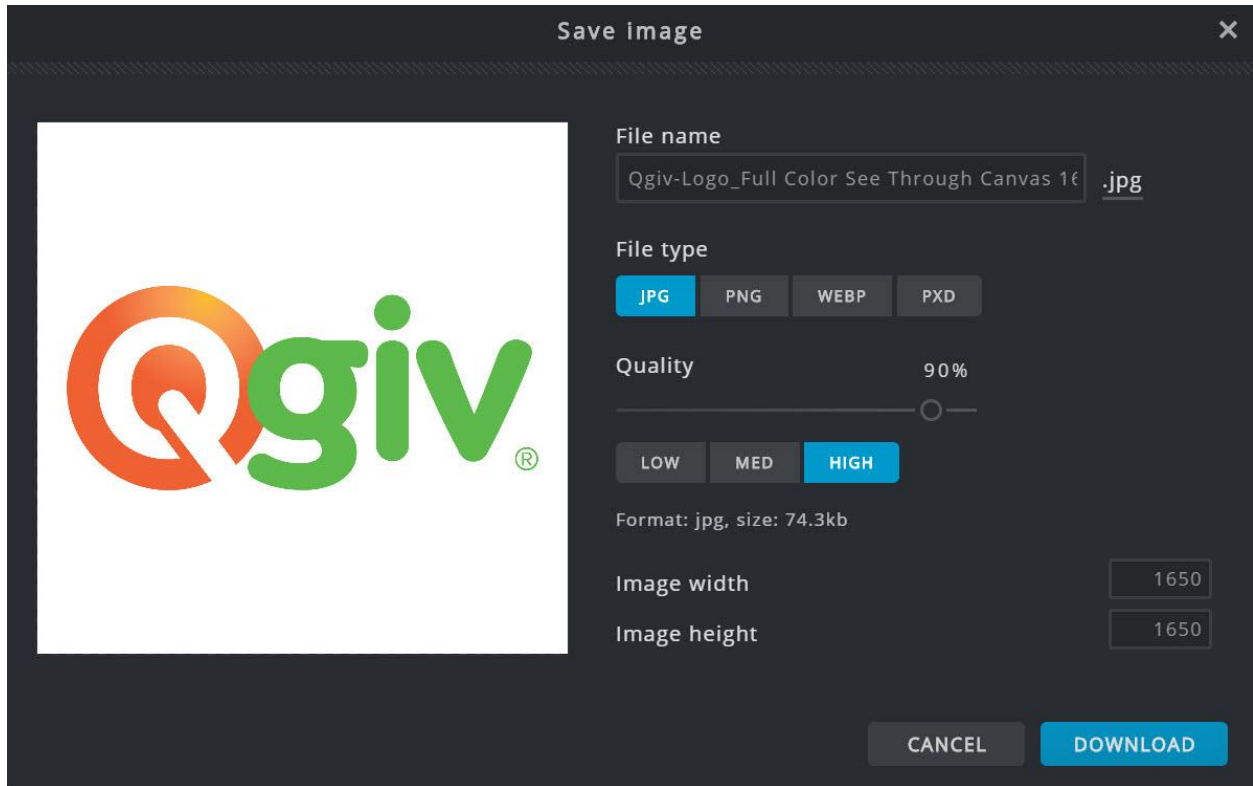
Click **Apply** to expand your canvas size. Then, toggle **Background** on and apply a background color if you'd like to add one. If you need a specific color add its color code in the box beneath the color selector. If you're working with a transparent background and want to keep it, skip this step.

Then save the image.

Select **Download** to save a copy to your computer. Change the file name to avoid saving over your original logo.

Open your event and upload your edited logo into the **Avatar** image section. When you're satisfied with the look of your logo, click I'm Done Editing to set the image as your Avatar.