Coronavirus (COVID-19): Small Business Guidance & Loan Resources

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• Paycheck Protection Program
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Overview

• Eligible recipients may qualify for a loan up to $10 million determined by average monthly prior year payroll.
  • Compensation limited to $100K for calculations.

• Loan payments will be deferred for six months.

• Up to 100% forgiveable if at least 75% of proceeds are used for payroll.

• Forgiveness will be reduced if full-time headcount declines, or if salaries and wages decrease.
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Who is eligible?

• Any small business with fewer than 500 employees (including sole proprietorships, independent contractors and self-employed persons), private non-profit organization or 501(c)(19) veterans organizations affected by coronavirus/COVID-19.

• Businesses in certain industries may have more than 500 employees if they meet the SBA’s size standards for those industries.

• Small businesses in the hospitality and food industry with more than one location could also be eligible at the store and location level if the store employs less than 500 workers. This means each store location could be eligible.
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How to apply

• This loan has a maturity of 2 years and an interest rate of 1%

• You can apply through any existing SBA 7(a) lender or through any federally insured depository institution, federally insured credit union, and Farm Credit System institution that is participating.

• Lenders may begin processing loan applications as soon as April 3, 2020. The program will be available through June 30, 2020.
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Documentation Requirements

• Application - SBA Form 2483

• Payroll records from prior year

• Calculations –
  • Average monthly payroll * 2.5

• Detailed rules here
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Use of proceeds

• The proceeds of a PPP loan are to be used for:
  • payroll costs (as defined in the Act and in 2.f.);
  • costs related to the continuation of group health care benefits during periods of paid sick, medical, or family leave, and insurance premiums;
  • mortgage interest payments (but not mortgage prepayments or principal payments);
  • rent payments;
  • utility payments;
  • interest payments on any other debt obligations that were incurred before February 15, 2020; and/or
Assistance From SBA and Partners

• Free assistance with reconstructing financial records, preparing financial statements and submitting the loan application is available from any of SBA’s partners: Small Business Development Centers (SBDCs), SCORE, Women’s Business Centers (WBC), and Veteran’s Business Outreach Centers and local Chambers of Commerce.

• For the nearest office, visit: www.sba.gov/local-assistance

• Illinois District is hosting two training sessions daily (11a and 3p)
  • Go to www.sba.gov/il for more information.
Any Questions?

More information concerning SBA and its programs:

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