



SMALL BUSINESS GUIDANCE AND RESOURCES DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

On Mar. 27, 2020, President Trump signed the [CARES Act](#) into law, which provides **\$376 billion** in financial relief for workers and small businesses across the U.S. Hoosier small businesses struggling from the impact of COVID-19 are eligible to apply for these federal disaster assistance resources through the Small Business Administration (SBA).

COVID-19 SBA FUNDING OPTIONS

Through the CARES Act's funding, the SBA is offering several new temporary programs:



PAYCHECK PROTECTION PROGRAM

A loan that provides a direct incentive for small businesses to keep their workers on the payroll.

ECONOMIC EMERGENCY DISASTER LOAN

A loan advance which will provide up to \$10,000 of economic relief for small businesses experiencing a temporary loss of revenue.

SBA EXPRESS BRIDGE LOAN

A program which allows small businesses who currently have a business relationship with an SBA Express Lender to quickly access up to \$25,000.

SBA DEBT RELIEF

Financial reprieve options for small businesses during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Small businesses interested in utilizing traditional SBA funding programs can learn more about them here: <https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans>

HOW TO GET STARTED

Indiana small business owners interested in applying for SBA COVID-19 relief funding should contact the [Indiana SBA district office](#).



Small business owners outside of Indiana can locate their SBA district office by visiting the [SBA local assistance map](#).

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- [The Small Business Owner's Guide to the CARES Act](#)
- [Paycheck protection program Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce Rapid Response Loans](#)
- [U.S. Chamber of Commerce COVID-19 Small Business Guide](#)