# SBA

U.S. Small Business Administration

# **SBA Disaster Relief**

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### Paycheck Protection Program/ Cares Act

### What is it? What should borrowers know?

- Paycheck Protection Program is a Small Business Interruption Loan ("Loan") created under the CARES Act to provide a direct incentive for small businesses to keep their workers on payroll
- Administered by the SBA and through your local lender
- Apply early– first come, first served
- Limited amount of funds available (\$349B allocated)
- To the extent loan proceeds are used for qualified expenses, the loan is forgiven
- Track expenditures to allow for forgiveness
- Failure to have proper documentation may result in limitation on forgiveness



### • Who is Eligible:

- Employers with 500 or fewer employees or more if they meet SBA employee-based or revenue-based size standards corresponding to primary industry or both tests of SBA's alternative size standard
- 501(c)(3) entities with fewer than 500 employees
- Independent contractors
- Sole proprietors
- Self-employed
- Tribal businesses meeting SBA size standards
- 501(c)(19) Veterans organizations meeting size standards



### • Eligibility (cont.)

- SBA affiliation rules still apply for employers unless employer's industry is classified as one that begins with 72 under the NAICS (food service and accommodations), in which case 500 employee limitation is per location
- Also waived for franchise operators
- Full-time, part-time and other status employees all count as employees for purposes of the Paycheck Protection Program
- Faith-based organizations
- Resource links--
- Department of Treasury: <a href="https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/top-priorities/cares-act/assistance-for-small-businesses">https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/top-priorities/cares-act/assistance-for-small-businesses</a>
- SBA: www.sba.gov/ppp



- Loan Terms:
  - Term 2 years
    - Payments deferred for six (6) months
    - Interest 1.0% per annum
    - Principal maximum \$10 million per borrower
- No Collateral, no borrower fees,
- Principal forgiven if proceeds are used for "qualifying expenses"
  - Qualifying Expenses: Payroll costs, rent, mortgage interest and utilities
  - Payroll costs include all payroll costs including insurance premiums, wages, vacation pay, sick pay
  - At least 75% must be used for payroll expenses for forgiveness
  - qualified leave wages and qualified sick leave wages paid under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act are not payroll costs.



#### Loan Amount:

- 2.5x the borrower's average aggregate monthly payroll costs, using data from previous 12 months or from calendar year 2019
- Seasonal businesses may use period between February 15, 2019 (or March 1, 2019) and June 30, 2019
- If not in business from February 15, 2019 to June 30, 2019, may use period from January 1, 2020 and February 29, 2020
- Payroll costs are limited to the first \$100,000 in cash compensation earned by any employee, not to include non-cash benefits
- Non-cash benefits include employer contributions to defined-benefit or defined-contribution retirement plans, payment for employee benefits consisting of group health care coverage (including premiums) and payment of state and local taxes assessed on compensation
- Qualified sick leave wages and qualified leave wages are not included in calculating payroll costs for purposes of the eligible loan amount (and not eligible as payroll costs for purposes of receiving loan forgiveness).



### Forgiveness Terms:

- Must use loan proceeds for the following expenses during the 8-week period commencing on the first disbursement date of the loan:
  - Payroll costs
  - Rent
  - Mortgage interest and
  - Utilities
- SBA advising that not more than 25% of the loan proceeds can be used for non-payroll costs



### • Forgiveness amount may be reduced:

- If employee headcount is reduced:
  - (Payroll costs x avg. number of FTE per month during 8 week period) / (Avg. number of FTE per month from 2/15/19-6/30/19)
  - If salaries are reduced:
    - Payroll costs the amount of reduction in wages for employees making \$100K or less that is greater than 25% compared to most recent quarter
- Employees making > \$100K may have wages reduced by any amount
- If headcount reduction that occurs between 2/15/20 and 4/26/20 or payroll reduction is eliminated by 6/30/2020, full forgiveness is available



### **Treatment of Forgiveness**

- Any amount of debt forgiven which would otherwise be included in gross income as cancellation of indebtedness income ("COD") is excluded from gross income under the Program.
- Still have to pay interest
- No prepayment penalty
- If a borrower gets the EIDL and advance w/forgiveness and then the PPP, they must refinance the EIDL into the PPP, then the PPP forgiveness is reduced by the amount of the EIDL forgiveness (which is up to \$10,000)



# Paycheck Protection Program How to Apply

- Check with your current bank or credit union to see if they are participating
- If not, you can find a lender near you: <a href="www.sba.gov/ppp">www.sba.gov/ppp</a>, search on the lender portal using your zip code.
- Application is on the SBA website, or some lenders have their own portals or forms
- What you'll need:
  - Non-profits: info for at least one director, probably the Executive Director
  - Sole proprietors: schedule C's
  - Independent contractors-form 1099's or bank records to prove income
  - For-profit: Form 941



### What should lenders know?

- Loans are fully guaranteed by SBA
- No guaranty fees
- Need to verify borrower's operations and monthly payroll costs
- Loans may be sold on secondary market
- Processing fees available based on loan balance at time of final disbursement
- Agent fees available paid out of lender fees
- Not required to make independent determination regarding applicability of affiliation rules
- May accept signatures on application from a single individual authorized to sign on behalf of borrower
- May use their own online portals and an electronic form they establish to collect application information and certifications (using same SBA language)
- If borrower is existing customer and necessary information previously provided, don't have to re-verify for FinCEN rule customer due diligence purposes
- May rely on the laws, rules and guidance available at time of application and if submitted and not processed may revise application based on new guidance



Submit Your Application As Soon As Possible

- April 3 -Application open for small businesses and Sole Proprietors
- April 10 Application open for self-employed and independent contractors
- Application open until 6/30/2020
- Apply through local lender
- PPP Lender find <a href="https://www.sba.gov/paycheckprotection/find">https://www.sba.gov/paycheckprotection/find</a>
- See www.sba.gov/disaster for more information



### **SBA Debt Relief**

- Do You Have an Existing SBA Loan?
- The SBA will automatically pay the principal, interest, and fees of **current 7(a), 504, and microloans** for a period of six months
- The SBA will also automatically pay the principal, interest, and fees of new 7(a), 504, and microloans issued prior to September 27, 2020
- For current SBA Serviced Disaster (Home and Business) Loans: If your disaster loan was in "regular servicing" status on March 1, 2020, the SBA is providing automatic deferments through **December 31, 2020**.



## **Economic Injury Disaster Loan**

### **About the Economic Injury Disaster Loan**

- The Economic Injury Disaster Loan is a working capital loans at a low-interest federal loan
- It may be used to pay fixed debts, payroll, accounts payable and other bills
- Applicants apply directly to SBA's Disaster Assistance Program at <u>DisasterLoan.sba.gov</u>
- There is no cost to apply

### **Loan Approval Criteria**

- Applicants must have a credit history acceptable to SBA
- SBA must determine that the applicant business has the ability to repay the SBA loan
- The applicant business must be physically located in a declared county and suffered working capital losses due to the declared disaster, not due to a downturn in the economy or other reasons

#### **Loan Information**

- The interest rates for this disaster are 3.75% for small businesses and 2.75% for nonprofit organizations with terms up to 30 years determined on a case-by-case basis
- Eligibility is based on the size and type of business and its financial resources
- First disbursement up to \$15,0000
- 12 Month payment deferral on EIDL loan; interest accrues



### **SBA EIDL Advance**

### Advance will be for up to \$10,000:

- The form to apply is part of the economic injury disaster loan (EIDL) application.
- If approved, these funds can be used for payroll and other operating expenses and will be forgiven.
- Advance is \$1,000 per employee.





# Can You Apply for More than One Program

Yes, but proceeds can't be used for the same expenses



### **SBA Partner Disaster Loan Help**

All locations are working remotely. Contact by phone or email.

ORGANIZATION	LOCATIONS	PHONE	EMAIL/WEBSITE
SBA	Milwaukee Madison	414-297-3941 608-441-5263	Wisconsin@sba.gov
SBDC Network	13 offices statewide	Answerline 800-940-7232	Find local contacts & loan assistance <a href="https://business.wisconsin.edu/about/covid-19/">https://business.wisconsin.edu/about/covid-19/</a>
WI Women's Business Initiative Corp.	Milwaukee, Madison, Racine, Kenosha, Appleton, Green Bay, La Crosse		info@wwbic.com www.wwbic.com  En Espanol: Lily Alvarado, Lily.alvarado@wwbic.com
Western WI Women's Business Center	Independence, Eau Claire- Karman Briggs		karman.briggs@wdeoc.org www.successfulbusiness.org
Find mentors <a href="https://www.score.o">https://www.score.o</a> <a href="reg/coronavirus-sba-loans">rg/coronavirus-sba-loans</a>	Milwaukee  Madison  Marshfield  Eau Claire  Fox Cities (Appleton)	414-297-3942 715-834-1573 920-303-2266	Score.28@scorevolunteer.org Counseling.28@scorevolunteer.org madison.Score@scorevolunteer.org ch.admin0535@scorevolunteer.org score.foxcities@scorevolunteer.org
	Green Bay	920-222-2167	greenbayscore@gmail.com
Veterans Business Outreach Center	Statewide-Lisa Taylor	608-204-8909	ltaylor@wwbic.com wwbic.com/veterans



### **Get COVID19 Updates from Wisconsin SBA**

**E-news signup—<u>www.sba.gov/updates</u>—**email and zip code, or **text SBA** to **GOV311** to get there

**Twitter: @SBA\_Wisconsin** – fast information sharing from our office and SBA HQ as well as partners and other agencies—multiple daily updates.

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- Instagram: @SBAgov
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### **Any Questions?**



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