Small Business Relief Grants for Immigrant-owned Businesses

Immigrant-owned businesses are critical to the health of our economy and our communities. However, cancellations, closures and social distancing necessary to reduce the spread of the COVID-19 virus have significantly impacted businesses, resulting in revenue shortfalls, layoffs and closures.

With financial support from First Financial Bank, The Glick Fund- a fund of the Central Indiana Community Foundation and Wells Fargo, LISC Indianapolis is offering $5,000 to provide COVID-19 relief for immigrant-owned small businesses in Indianapolis.

Must be a
Immigrant-owned business
Business with 1–10 employees
Business physically located in Indianapolis (if home-based or mobile business, then owner must reside in Indianapolis)
Business annual gross revenue under $1,000,000
Business operating (and reporting taxes) in 2019 or before
Business must be registered with the State of Indiana (except in the case of Sole Proprietors)
Priority for business affected by the pandemic and business located in the following zip codes: 46224, 46222, 46208, 46226, 46235, 46229, 46219, 46218, 46201, 46241, 46227, 46203, 46204, 46205, 46107, 46254, 46254, 46228
Available to immigrants, regardless of immigration status
If you have already received a LISC Small Business COVID-19 Relief grant in 2020 or 2021 you are not eligible to apply for this grant

Eligibility:

We are grateful to the following organizations that are supporting this opportunity:

- International Marketplace Coalition
- Exodus Refugee
- Immigrant Welcome Center
- The Haitian Association of Indiana
- La Plaza, Indy Chamber – Hispanic Business Council
- Burmese American Community Association
- Indianapolis Chinese Community Center

GRANTS

- $5,000 grants
- Applications will be open from Monday, July 12th to midnight Sunday, July 18th
- Applications are available in English and Spanish with guidance in Burmese, Haitian Creole, Hindi, and Chinese
- Learn more and start the application by visiting the LISC Indianapolis website

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