

Town of New Harmony

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NEW HARMONY RECEIVES COVID-19 RELIEF GRANT FOR SMALL BUSINESSES

The Town of New Harmony has received a \$250,000 COVID-19 Response Program Phase 3 grant from the Office of Community and Rural Affairs (OCRA). This program provides funds to small businesses within the corporate limits of New Harmony. The funds are to be used as working capital to offset financial impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

General Eligibility Criteria:

Eligible businesses/individuals must meet the following guidelines:

- Be a legal business, which can include self-employed individuals.
- Micro-businesses/sole proprietors must receive W-2 or 1099, or other form of schedule approved by the IRS. No cash wages will be considered.
- Must meet the definition of a small business (100 employees or less).
- Demonstrate the direct correlation of their business disruption due to COVID-19.
- Primary office or business location must be within the New Harmony corporate boundaries.
- Businesses receiving other COVID-19 assistance such as PPP, EIDL are eligible to apply.

Businesses interested in applying will to the online application at <https://www.southwestindiana.org/phase3/>. The application opens at 12 p.m. noon on Wednesday, April 21, 2021, and will close at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, May 5, 2021. If you have any questions regarding this program or the online application, please contact the Evansville Regional Economic Partnership (ERP) at 812-423-2020, or via email at cdteam@evvregion.com.

