

Microfinance Guarantee Program:

The program is designed to provide loans guarantees to lenders that extend credit to small businesses in Florida.

Visit <https://www.enterpriseflorida.com/small-business/microfinance-guarantee-program/?fbclid=IwAR3zslbyV5-kQ30zl17NP5qNluZabPDmpoVssaDZoxouJfcZ8WKuRLAu4IM> for more details.

St. Petersburg College (SPC)

SPC offers free and discounted courses to businesses. "Today's Technology Essentials" is an online/self-paced class.

Register at <https://link.zixcentral.com/u/2c872ab3/JD9aL5iE6hG9IKfsO49hPQ?u=http%3A%2F%2Fstpe.co%2Ftechessentials>

Businesses will also receive an exclusive 50% member discount on most online IT courses at <https://link.zixcentral.com/u/9928fcad/KL1aL5iE6hG9IKfsO49hPQ?u=http%3A%2F%2Fstpe.co%2FITOnline> and most online Business courses at <https://link.zixcentral.com/u/e2dee386/GDFbL5iE6hG9IKfsO49hPQ?u=http%3A%2F%2Fstpe.co%2FBusinessOnline>

Exclusive Member Code:
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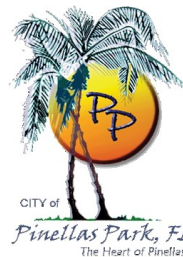
Small Business Relief Fund (SBRF):

Established by the City of Pinellas Park, and the Pinellas Park CRA, to help businesses retain employees and sustain continuity of business operations impacted by Federal, State of Florida, Pinellas County and local emergency declarations regarding COVID-19.

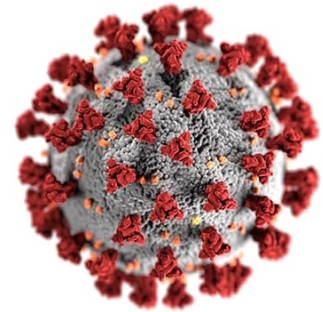
Visit <https://www.pinellas-park.com/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=727> to apply.

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COVID- 19

Assistance, Programs & Relief

City of Pinellas Park, Florida

Unemployment:

Unemployment benefits are available for those:

- Laid off, furloughed, or sent home without pay due to COVID-19 response
- Quarantined by a medical professional or government agency
- Home caring for an immediate family member diagnosed with COVID-19
- An additional \$600/week for those who have been affected.

Visit <http://www.floridajobs.org/Reemployment-Assistance-Service-Center/reemployment-assistance/claimants/apply-for-benefits> to apply for benefits.

Career Source Pinellas strives to foster Pinellas County's economic development and delivers workforce solutions designed to meet the needs of businesses and job seekers.

Visit <https://careersourcepinellas.com/>
8:00am-5:00pm
(727) 524-4344

SBA (Small Business Association):

In addition to traditional SBA funding programs, the CARES Act established several new temporary programs to address the COVID-19 outbreak.

Visit <https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options>

for more details.

- Economic Injury Disaster Loan Emergency Advance.

This loan advance will provide up to \$10,000 of economic relief to businesses that are currently experiencing temporary difficulties.

Visit <https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/economic-injury-disaster-loan-emergency-advance> to apply.

Food & Living:

Immediate food and rent assistance is available:

- Feeding Tampa Bay
Visit FEEDINGTAMPABAY.ORG
(813) 254-1190
- Metropolitan Ministries
Visit METROMIN.ORG
(813) 209-1000

For those able, please donate to your local non-profits to help families in need.

Artists:

Intended to support artists, art organizations and creative businesses with:

- Lost wages and earnings;
- Medical expenses;
- Rent and mortgage payments, food, utilities and other living expenses;
- Loss from event, performance, and conference cancellations and school/community-based education closures

Visit <https://pinellascf.org/grants/arts-relief/> for more details.