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Business is Back!

Northglenn small business grant to alleviate COVID-19 impacts

July 17, 2020, Northglenn, CO – On July 13 Northglenn City Council voted to allocate \$500,000 to support small businesses moving into the recovery stages of re-opening. CARES Act funding allocated to Northglenn by Adams County made the grant program possible.

The ***Business is Back (BIB) Recovery Grant*** will assist businesses with costs incurred to maintain the health and safety of employees and customers under local governmental guidelines and regulations due to COVID-19.

Qualifying businesses can apply for up to \$5,000 of reimbursable expenses they have incurred from March 15, 2020 for purchases of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), equipment/operating supplies, and workspace and other physical space modifications needed to operate because of COVID-19.

The program opens at 8 a.m., Friday, July 17. The application, grant details, and qualifications are on-line: www.northglenn.org/bibgrant.

“Northglenn provided almost \$500,000 to 130 businesses in rent/mortgage assistance grants, and it was obvious there was more need,” said Northglenn Director of Economic Development Debbie Tuttle. “Trying to keep a small business afloat during a pandemic is challenging, and offering assistance with unanticipated expenses will help during this recovery phase.”

Grants will be awarded generally on a first-come, first-served basis based on the submittal date and funding availability. The grant closes on September 30, 2020.

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