# San Bernardino

# ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

**AUGUST E-NEWSLETTER** 



BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT: TRADE PRINT GIANT



Design, print, and sign services. Promotional items. Screen Printing. Web designs. Custom products & more. Trade Print Giant is a local business located near the San Manuel Stadium and minutes away from Downtown San Bernardino. Trade Print Giant, a family operation, founded by Manny Ayala in 2001, pioneers towards offering numerous quality services to help businesses connect with their customers through visual appearances and products. Trade Print Giant welcomes all businesses and projects to its doors.

## **BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT**

#### Join Now!

The City of San Bernardino is seeking a chance to highlight and recognize a local business in an upcoming newsletter. Complete the Business Spotlight form to participate.



**JOIN NOW** 

## PROPERTY SPOTLIGHT

### **Search Now!**

Looking for available properties for your next development project or investment? The City's "Site Selection" tool provides a visual map and market analysis data for your next project.



**LEARN MORE** 

## LATEST NEWS



Caltrans to Lauch Study for New On and Off Ramps to 210 Freeway at Victoria Avenue in Highland

Caltrans, in cooperation with the Cities of Highland, San Bernardino,



City of San Bernardino Planning for the Revitalization of its Downtown

The City of San Bernardino has proposed a set of initiatives,

and the Samuel Manuel Band of Mission Indians proposed to study multiple alternatives to improve mobility, connectivity, and access.

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various programs, and several investments intended to revitalize and increase investment in its downtown area.

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# Go SBCity

### **Download Now!**

Go SBCity app offers several methods to communiciate with the City.



### **BOOK AN APPOINTMENT**

Schedule with the Small Business Development Center Now!



### **GRANTS**

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT
OF REHABILITATION
EmployABILITY BUSINESS
GRANT

The EmployABILITY Business

U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (SBA) DISASTER LOAN ASSISTANCE

The Small Business Administration

Grant offers California business owners to grow business, upgrade hiring, and create job opportunities with individuals with disabilities, and create job opportunities with individuals with disabilities.

**APPLY NOW** 

offers disaster assistance in form of low interest loans to regions affected by declared disaster. SBA is providing eligible small businesses and nonprofit organizations with working capital to help overcome the economic injury of a declared disaster.

**APPLY NOW** 

# GO-Biz California Competes Grant Program (CCGP)

California Competes Grant Program (CCGP) is grant funding intended for businesses that are unable to take advantage of a nonrefundable income tax credit.

**APPLY NOW** 

# CALIFORNIA PAID FAMILY LEAVE GRANT PROGRAM

California Paid Family Leave program allows California workers to take paid leave to bond with a new child or to care for a seriously ill family member.

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TAX CREDIT



# Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz)

The California Competes Tax Credit is an income tax credit available to businesses that want to locate or stay and grow in California. A total of \$492,129,004 in California Competes Tax Credit is available for allocation in the 2023-2024 fiscal year.

## **Application Periods**

About the Credit



July 24, 2023, to August 14, 2023 \$164 million available





January 2, 2024, to January 22, 2024 \$164 million available





March 4, 2024, to March 18, 2024 \$164 million plus any remaining unallocated amounts



### **Evaluation Factors**

- Number of jobs created or retained
- Strategic importance to the state, region, or locality
- Training opportunities offered to employees
- Incentives available from in-state, out of state, and federal government sources
- Opportunity for future growth and expansion
- Extent to which the credit influences decision to relocate jobs into California from states that have enacted laws that: permit discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation, gender identity, or gender expression; or deny or interfere with women's reproductive rights

- Compensation paid to employees, including wages and fringe benefits
- Extent of unemployment and poverty in current or proposed site location
- Economic impact
- Duration of the proposed project and applicant's commitment to remain in California
- Extent to which the benefit to California exceeds the benefit to the applicant
- Extent to which the credit influences creation of new California jobs
- Commitment to treating workforce fairly and creating quality, full-time, wage and salary jobs
- Amount of investment



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Apply Here: www.calcompetes.ca.gov

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CALIFORNIA COMPETES GRANT



# Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz)

The California Competes Grant is available to businesses that want to locate or stay and grow in California. A total of \$120,000,000 in California Competes Grant funds are available for allocation in the 2023-2024 fiscal year. The maximum grant award is \$36 million. Priority will be given for applicants whose grant will be used to secure federal CHIPS funding; these applicants are not subject to the maximum award.

#### **Application Period**

July 24, 2023 to August 14, 2023 - \$120 million available

The CalCompetes Grant is available to businesses of any size that meet <u>at least one</u> of the following criteria:

- · Will create at least 500 new full-time jobs in California
- Will make capital investments of at least \$10 million in facility construction/renovation
- The Project will take place in an area of High Unemployment and/or Poverty as defined in the California Competes Tax Credit regulations

#### **Evaluation Factors** Duration of the proposed project and applicant's Number of jobs created or retained commitment to remain in California Strategic importance to the state, region, or Extent to which the benefit to California exceeds the benefit to the applicant Training opportunities offered to employees Extent to which the grant influences creation of new California jobs Incentives available from in-state, out of state, and federal government sources Grant priority for semiconductor applications seeking to obtain state incentives used for Opportunity for future growth and expansion federal incentives (CHIPS Act) Extent to which the grant influences the Amount of investment applicant's decision to relocate jobs into California from states that have enacted laws Compensation paid to employees, including that: permit discrimination on the basis of sexual wages and fringe benefits orientation, gender identity, or gender Extent of unemployment and poverty in current expression; or deny or interfere with women's or proposed site location reproductive rights. Commitment to treating workforce fairly and Economic impact creating quality, full-time, wage and salary jobs 916-322-4051 CalCompetes@gobiz.ca.gov www.business.ca.gov

Instructions/FAQs: www.business.ca.gov/calcompetes.aspx

Apply Here: www.calcompetes.ca.gov

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# CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) GRANT PROGRAM

The City of San Bernardino anticipates hosting a second round of the Small Business Grant Funding.

Subscribe to our Economic Development monthly E-Newsletter or follow us on social media to stay up to date with announcements.

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**EVENTS** 

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# HOW TO CERTIFY YOUR BUSINESS WITHIN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA (DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES)

In this brief, one-hour Zoom webinar, you will learn everything you need to know about certifying your business with the state of California. The following topics will be included: How to certify your business with the state, documents you will need to certify your business, where to find available contracts with the state, what types of contracts available, and types of resources available to small businesses at DGS.

REGISTER

August 03 & 08

### CALIFORNIA COMPETES WEBINAR INFORMATION

GO-Biz hosts online webinars about the California Competes program. Each webinar consists of a 45-minute presentation, followed by a question-and-answer session. Each presentation will include an overview of the program, program goals and evaluation criteria, and step-by-step instructions through the application process.

**REGISTER** 

August 12

# NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING SERVICES OF INLAND EMPIRE IN-PERSON HOME BUYER EDUCATION CLASS

In this webinar, an expert presenter will discuss the do's and don'ts of the home buyer journey. Course topics will include steps of the Home Buying Process, Understanding Credit, and Obtaining a Morgage Loan.

**REGISTER** 

August 16-18

# 2023 CALIFORNIA HISPANIC CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE STATEWIDE CONVENTION

This in-person event gathers Hispanic business owners, corporate executives, and members from over 125 local and regional Hispanic Chambers of Commerce and diverse business associations nationwide.

REGISTER

August 24

# SCORE SAFETY AND RISK MANAGEMENT PROTECT YOUR BUSINESS AND PEOPLE

In this interactive workshop, attendees will gain an introduction to risk management and recognizing hazards, resources to protect their interests and migrate risk and ideas

to kick-start their risk management program. Attendees will work through 3 types of workplace scenarios such as restaurant, construction. and office.

REGISTER

### **RESOURCES**





# INLAND EMPIRE SMALL SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER

At the Orange County Inland Empire Small Business
Development Center Network offers business consulting, training, and online courses to entrepreneurs and business owners throughout the Orange, Riverside, and San Bernardino counties at no cost.



# U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Small Business Development Centers provide counseling and training to small businesses including working with SBA to develop and provide informational tools to support business start-ups and existing business expansion.





#### **GO-Biz**

The Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (Go-Biz) serves as the State of California's leader for job growth, economic development and business assistance efforts.

### Asociacion de Emprendedor@s

The Emprendedor@s Association offers Spanish speaking business owners tools and support necessary for the establishment of your microenterprise.



### **BUSINESS REGISTRATION**

The Business Registration
Division operates under
Finance Department and issues
all business registration
certificates. Renew or apply for a
business license.



#### INVESTMENT PLAYBOOK

This investment Playbook includes six categories that will increase climate readiness, bring energy to the local economy, and improve quality of life in San Bernardino communities.

SUBSCRIBE NOW!



# CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO DEPERTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Our team is prepared to offer endless opportunities to your business.

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