

# Louisiana Main Street Recovery Grant

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Apply starting July 28th at [louisianamainstreet.com](http://louisianamainstreet.com)



Vermilion Economic  
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## PROGRAM BASICS

Amounts awarded will be based on eligible expenses\*, not to exceed \$15,000. Once application is approved, a check will be mailed within 10 days.

Grants will first be given to businesses who didn't receive a PPP loan, insurance payment, or an Economic Injury Disaster loan or advance (July 28th - Aug 18th) as well as those owned by women, minorities & veterans (Goal of \$40mm by Sept 26th).

Eligible expenses include:

- Creating social distancing
- Cleaning and disinfecting
- Purchasing protective equipment: thermometers, sanitizer, masks, gloves
- Contactless equipment (credit card readers, etc.)
- Teleworking equipment (laptops, printers, scanners)
- Re-opening expenses (tents, outdoor tables)
- Signage pertaining to reopening or restructuring
- Installation of drive-through windows
- Unemployment insurance
- Providing paid sick leave
- Inventory replacement (like spoiled food)
- Increased labor costs (hiring delivery drivers)
- Mortgage interest
- Rent
- Payroll
- Utilities

## ELIGIBILITY

The purpose of the grant is to provide economic support to eligible businesses for costs incurred due to public health measures or an interruption of business.

To be eligible, the following requirements must be met. Accompanying documentation must be submitted. The business:

- was domiciled in LA as of 3/1/20
- suffered a business interruption
- is at least 50% owned by one or more LA resident(s)
- filed LA taxes in 2018/2019 or will file taxes in 2020
- had no more than 50 FT employees as of 3/1/20
- has customers/employees visit a physical location
- are not part of a bigger business with more than 50 FT workers
- does not exist for the purpose of advancing partisan political activity and does not directly lobby federal or state officials
- does not derive income from passive investments without active participation in operations
- has good standing with Secretary of State

## APPLICATION INFO

Applications accepted online

Businesses will need to provide the following information if applicable:

- Federal Tax ID Number
- State Tax ID Number
- LA Department of Revenue account number
- Business date of formation/creation
- Documentation to support eligible expenses (invoices, proof of payment, payroll records, vendor contracts, utility bills, bank/credit card statements, rental agreements or mortgage statements, etc.)
- Number of FT equivalent employees (as of 3/1/20)
- Information for all "Controlling Owners" (individuals or entities who exercise the power to make policy decisions) including Name, Job Title, SSN or EIN, Residential Address, & Driver's License Number
- Status of other sources of COVID-19 funding (PPP, EIDL/Emergency Advance, other federal programs, or insurance proceeds)
- 2018 & 2019 tax returns
- Business Address, Phone Number & Email Address
- Industry Category & Business Type

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