

**SCOTT COUNTY, VIRGINIA
COVID-19 BUSINESS ASSISTANCE**



FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Small Business Administration Loan

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\$10,000 grant available through loan application. Check box at the end after submitting financials.

Paycheck Protection Program

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The Paycheck Protection Program is a loan designed to provide a direct incentive for small businesses to keep their workers on the payroll. SBA will forgive loans if all employees are kept on the payroll for eight weeks and the money is used for payroll, rent, mortgage, interest, or utilities.

Google Ad Credits

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Small and medium businesses worldwide that have been active advertisers since the beginning of 2019 will be informed in the coming months through notifications within their Google Ads account.

Verizon & LISC Grants – Pending

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Facebook Grants – Pending

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GoFundMe

[Learn More](#) – scroll down through FAQ's for information on participating

The Small Business Relief Fund will be issuing \$500 matching grants to qualifying businesses that raise at least \$500 on GoFundMe.

The James Beard Foundation Culinary Relief Fund – Pending

[Learn More](#)

Yelp – Restaurant/Food Service Advertising

[Learn More](#)

As part of this relief effort, restaurants and nightlife businesses that remain open will receive free access to Yelp page upgrades, including Business Highlights and Call To Action, as well as Connect, which will help them communicate timely information to their customers.

Help Main Street – Gift Cards

[Learn More](#)

[Get Signed Up](#)

Help your local business by buying gift cards to provide critical cash support during the COVID-19 crisis @helpmainstreet drives 100% of proceeds to small businesses.

WORKFORCE

Safe Workplaces

[VDH Interim Guidance: Considerations for Businesses and Employers, Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\)](#)

[VDH Guidance for Food Establishments Regarding COVID-19](#)

Working Remotely

[Working From Home? 12 Guides To Help Navigate The Remote Life](#)

[How To Manage Your Newly Remote Workforce](#)

Unemployment

[Facts and Questions for Laid Off Workers](#)

[VEC Information for Laid Off Workers](#)

[File an Unemployment Claim](#)

TAXES

Federal

The IRS has extended the filing deadline and federal tax payments regardless of amount for federal taxes to July 15. For more information, visit <https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus>.

Virginia

Sales Taxes – Businesses impacted by coronavirus can request an extension of the due date for filing and payment of their February 2020 sales tax return due March 20, 2020, for 30 days. When granted, businesses will be able to file and pay no later than April 20, 2020 with a waiver of any penalties. For more information, visit [VA Tax Bulletin 20-3: Option to Request Ext. of Sales Tax Deadlines for those Affected by the COVID-19 Crisis](#)

Income Taxes – Any income tax payments due during the time period of April 1, 2020, to June 1, 2020, will now be due on June 1, 2020. This includes individual and corporate income taxes paid to Virginia Tax.

We will continue to update this section as new information is available. Also visit <https://www.tax.virginia.gov/news/coronavirus-updates>

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Commonwealth of Virginia's Action and Support

Visit <https://www.virginia.gov/coronavirus/> for comprehensive information from Virginia on topics like Health, Education, Business, and much more. News from the Governor and answers to FAQ's can be found here.

Virginia Tourism Corporation

Visit <https://www.virginia.gov/coronavirus/> for a wide range of resources to support our travel industry and business partners who have been impacted by COVID-19. These resources will be updated as they become available.

CommonHelp

Visit [CommonHelp's](#) website to learn about health care coverage for you and your family. Also apply for help with food, childcare, heating and cooling bills, health care and cash assistance.

RBEG Loan Program

The Scott County Economic Development Authority has a RBEG Loan Program to assist rural businesses with less than 50 employees. For more information, visit [Scott Co. EDA RBEG Loan Program](#)