

IOWA BUSINESS DISRUPTION RELIEF PROGRAM

AN EXTENSION OF THE IOWA SMALL BUSINESS RELIEF GRANT PROGRAM



1. When is the application period?

Thursday, September 10 - Thursday, September 24, 2020

2. What businesses are eligible to apply?

Businesses must be located in one of the following counties:

- Black Hawk
- Dallas
- Johnson
- Linn
- Polk
- Story

Businesses must be one of the following business types:

- Licensed bar or tavern
- Brewery
- Brewpub
- Distillery
- Winery
- Other licensed establishment that sells alcoholic beverages for consumption on premises and is eligible under the Governor's Proclamation

Additional eligibility requirements:

- The sale of alcohol must result in more than 50% of the business' monthly revenues.
- The business must be closed in accordance with the Governor's Proclamation issued August 27, 2020.
- If still selling alcohol, the business must only be selling alcohol in compliance with the terms of the August 27, 2020, Proclamation, which may include carry-out, drive through and delivery.
- The business must intend to reopen on or after September 21, 2020, as allowed by the Governor's Proclamation issued August 27, 2020.
- Eligible businesses must be in good standing with the Iowa Alcoholic Beverages Division, Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals and the Iowa Department of Revenue.

3. What businesses are ineligible?

- Businesses that do not meet the eligibility criteria above
- Establishments providing adult entertainment

4. My business received state or federal assistance through one or more relief programs, am I still eligible to apply?

Yes, past assistance through various programs, including the Paycheck Protection Program or the Iowa Small Business Relief Grant are not eligibility considerations for the Iowa Business Disruption Relief Program.

5. How do I apply?

The online application will be available at iowabusinessrecovery.com beginning Thursday, September 10. Applicants must have the following available for inclusion and/or upload when completing the application:

- W9
- Iowa Alcoholic Beverages Division license number
- Sales tax permit number
- Federal tax ID number

6. Can I track my application?

Yes. Applicants will receive a link to track an application in the confirmation email. The application tracker tool is also available at iowabusinessrecovery.com.

7. What is the timeline for application approval and payment?

Applications will undergo review following the close of the application period on September 24. Payments will begin being made via ACH transfer to approved businesses soon after the review period.