

Denver Economic Development and Opportunity (DEDO) is accepting grant applications for Denver businesses. **The deadline to apply is Monday, June 13.** Learn more below:

DENVER SMALL BUSINESS GRANTS	
Grant Amounts	<p>\$7,500 for businesses with up to \$100,000 in 2021 Revenue</p> <p>\$15,000 for businesses with \$100,001 in 2021 Revenue (up to \$5 million in gross revenue)</p>
Types of Grants	<p>Three types of grants are available. Businesses may only apply for one type.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stabilization Grants: for businesses that experienced revenue loss due to the pandemic • Activation Grants: for businesses in targeted commercial corridors affected disproportionately by the pandemic (vacancies, service gaps, etc) • Anti-Displacement Grants: for businesses adversely affected by publicly funded construction projects
Stabilization Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have been operational prior to March 2020 • Must be able to demonstrate a 10+% revenue decline over at least a 90-day period, pre-pandemic (2019) to current (2021 or 2022 for the same time period). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Correct comparison:</i> Quarter 1 2019 with Quarter 1 2022. Other examples for correct comparison: Quarter 4 2019 with Quarter 4 2021; annual revenue 2019 with annual revenue 2021 ○ <i>Incorrect comparison:</i> Quarter 3 2019 with Quarter 1 2022. • Must be able to document revenue losses through a Profit & Loss statements or a Sales Report (Point-of-Sale reports, sales tax reports, etc)
Activation Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business must be located within, or intend to locate, within a quarter-mile radius of the following intersections: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ South Federal Boulevard & West Alameda Avenue ○ Colfax Avenue & Broadway ○ East Colfax Avenue & North Yosemite Street ○ East 47th Avenue & North Peoria Street ○ Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard & North Holly Street ○ West 14th Avenue & North Federal Boulevard ○ West Mississippi Avenue & South Lipan Street ○ East Dartmouth Avenue & South Havana Street • Grant may be used to cover lease payments or investments in security
Anti-Displacement Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business must demonstrate a 10% revenue decline comparing pre-construction revenue with during-construction revenue (<i>using a 3- to 12-month comparison period</i>) • Alternatively, businesses left with no choice but to relocate are eligible, although the new location must be within Denver and within a half-mile radius of the business's original location.
To apply or learn more	<p>https://webportalapp.com/sp/login/2022_arpa_fund_application</p> <p>Register to access further information, including additional basic eligibility criteria for all grants</p> <p>If you have additional questions or would like support in demonstrating your revenue decline, reach out to moneil@cedsfinance.org</p>