

## Restore North – Phase 1 Funding: Business/Organization Grants

West Broadway Coalition is seeking to support businesses in the West Broadway Corridor by providing funds to alleviate burdens that were imposed by both the COVID-19 pandemic and the civil uprising in the Minneapolis Community. Additionally, these funds are eligible to be matching grants for the DEED Main Street Economic Revitalization Program.

To qualify, please read the following specifications:

- Must apply as a business, organization, or nonprofit organization;
- Must be a registered LLC, business, or 501(c)3 as identified on the Minneapolis SOS website;
- Have a physical location that resides in the West Broadway Corridor;
- Have copies of receipts, late fees, overdue invoices, quotes, photos, or other substantial files that showcase the need for these funds; or/and
- Have a plan to partake in “small business Saturdays”

Examples of activities that will be funded include:

- “Small Business Saturdays”
- Construction Costs
- Small Businesses
- General Operating Expenses
- Other Related Business Amenity Expenses
- DEED Main Street Economic Revitalization Program Match

When applying, one must submit the following documents:

- 1) Business EIN #
- 2) Updated W9
- 3) Current Property Value (estimated)
- 4) Relevant Files (as stated above)
- 5) Additional information as needed\*
- 6) Conflict of Interest Policy\*

The average grant size will be roughly \$25,000.00, however, this amount may vary based on the quality of the submitted application. The applications will be reviewed by a panel of carefully selected community members to score and critique the application. The overall process should conclude no later than June 3rd, 2022, and applicants will be notified of their award status by June 17th, 2022.

To Apply, please download the application and submit the file through [HERE](#).

Should you have any questions about the process, timeline, funding, or required documents, please reach out to Cara Gillaspie at [Grants@WestBroadway.org](mailto:Grants@WestBroadway.org). Additionally, we will be holding an Info Session on Tuesday, May 24th at 9:30am CT. Please register for the info session [HERE](#).

\*Additional information may include additional receipts, communication threads, invoices, or time to speak to a WBC Staff member to clearly understand the request

\*Conflict of Interest Policies must be completed by any current or previous WBC staff, board members, volunteers, or any person(s) applying on behalf of a business/organization that has relations with WBC. If an application is submitted and a Conflict-of-Interest Policy is not submitted prior to the deadline, the application will be considered incomplete. If while reviewing the application the committee deems that it is necessary, that it should hold a Conflict-of-Interest Policy the application will be deemed incomplete. WBC Staff will reach out no more than two times to applicants that need to complete this form upon receiving the application.