# FINANCE FRIDAYS: STRATEGIES FOR SMALL BUSINESS





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## Welcome

#### **Introductions – Tim Putnam**

Director, Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center

#### **Expert Panelists**

Brook Boehmler – Director, North Iowa Area SBDC
Amy Johnson, JD – Brown Winick Law Firm, Des Moines
Paul Mixdorf, CPA – Financial Freedom Controls, Mason City
Dennis Muyskens, CPA – Hogan Hansen, Mason City
Christopher Smith, CPA – Murphy Coe & Smith, Osage
Natalie Plagge – Clear Lake Bank & Trust, Clear Lake
Bob Klocke – First Citizens Bank, Mason City



# Agenda

- Federal Funding Updates
- State Funding Updates
- Local Funding Updates
- Unemployment for Owners
- Brown Winick Amy Johnson
  - Best Practice PPP Compliance



# The CARES Act





This loan program provides loan forgiveness for retaining employees by temporarily expanding the traditional SBA 7(a) loan program.



#### **EIDL Loan Advance**

This loan advance will provide up to \$10,000 of economic relief to businesses that are currently experiencing temporary difficulties.



#### **SBA Express Bridge Loans**

Enables small businesses who currently have a business relationship with an SBA Express Lender to access up to \$25,000 quickly.



#### **SBA Debt Relief**

The SBA is providing a financial reprieve to small businesses during the COVID-19 pandemic.



# **Local Incentives**

- Contact your local Chamber of Commerce
- Contact local Economic Development Org.
- Floyd County/Charles City MicroLoan:

   https://charlescityia.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/4 20-ccadc-cr-Emergency-Microlaon-Program Appplication.pdf
- Cerro Gordo County Small Business Relief Grant Final application due April 24
  - http://www.northiowacorridor.com/recoveryfund/



# **Iowa Workforce Development**Pandemic Unemployment Assistance

- Self-employed workers
- Independent contractors
- Non-profit employees
- Gig economy workers
- Part-time workers who do not have enough work history to be eligible for an Iowa claim
  - https://www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov/ how-self-employed-can-file-unemploymentinsurance-benefits



**Amy Johnson, JD**Brown Winick Law Firm

### **Best Practices**

### To ensure compliance with the PPP

- Once the applicant receives the loan, those funds are eligible for forgiveness based on use on qualifying expenses over the next eight weeks. In eight weeks, the recipient will need to demonstrate to the SBA and its lender how the funds were spent on qualifying expenses (i.e. payroll, rent, interest on mortgage debt and utilities).
- During these eight weeks, it is critical that recipients document accurately and in an organized manner all use of forgivable funds.
- Recipients should consider opening a separate account exclusively for PPP funds. This will assist in tracking payments to qualifying expenses.

# **Best Practices**

- Recipients will also need to provide documentation verifying the number of full-time equivalent employees on payroll as well as the dollar amounts of payroll costs, covered mortgage interest payments, covered rent payments, and covered utilities for the eight week period following the loan disbursement.
- Since non-payroll expenses cannot exceed 25% of the forgivable portion of the loan, recipients should separate and record payments to payroll versus non-payroll expenses.
- Recipients should consider implementing a system whereby any use of PPP funds includes date, time, amount, and forgivable purpose.
- Additionally, recipients should maintain records of COVID-19's overall impact on the ongoing operations of the business, which will support claims of the indispensability of the loan.



# Q & A

- Facebook Live Type questions into the comment section
- ZOOM Participants Type questions in the chat box
- Following the webinar, will receive an email that gives you an opportunity to ask additional questions and request counseling
  - Included in the email will be the links to download this PowerPoint from our website and the recording



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# **Basic Financial Statement Tutorial Video Links**

**Part 1**- Balance Sheet & Income Statements (11:18) <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r</a> t3zjRx4cU

**Part 2** - Balance Sheet & Income Statements (8:25) <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h-wS-ZAfXRw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h-wS-ZAfXRw</a>

**Part 3** – Difference between service based business & product based and Accrual vs Cash based (5:37) <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=20IOGPcdJwM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=20IOGPcdJwM</a>

**Part 4** – Cash Flow Statements and Inventory LIFO & FIFO (10:31) <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vV6FWtJ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vV6FWtJ</a> yeU



# **Additional Resources**

#### Request for Counseling with the Pappajohn SBDC Center:

https://iowasbdc.ecenterdirect.com/signup

#### Are you a small business?

https://www.sba.gov/sites/default/files/2019-08/SBA%20Table%20of%20Size%20Standards Effective%20Aug%2019%2C%202 019.pdf

Apply for Iowa Small Business Relief Grant Program & Tax Deferral <a href="https://www.iowaeconomicdevelopment.com/Business/reliefgrants">https://www.iowaeconomicdevelopment.com/Business/reliefgrants</a>

Apply for Iowa Targeted Small Business (TSB) Sole Operator Grant Fund <a href="https://www.iowaeconomicdevelopment.com/programDetails?pid=137&ppid=26">https://www.iowaeconomicdevelopment.com/programDetails?pid=137&ppid=26</a>



# **Additional Resources**

#### **SBA Disaster Loan Program PowerPoint**

http://iowasbdc.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/COVID-19-Webinar-SBA-lowa-District-Office-March-24-2020.pdf

#### **SBA Coronavirus Business**

https://www.sba.gov/page/coronavirus-covid-19-small-business-guidance-loan-resources

#### **SBA Disaster Loan Application Site**

https://disasterloan.sba.gov/apply-for-disaster-loan/index.html



# **Additional Resources**

Pappajohn Center Resources Page (Past webinar recordings and upcoming webinar schedule)

https://www.niacc.edu/pappajohn/covid-19-resources-updates/

#### **Step 1: Unemployment for Small Business/Independent contractors**

If you have not already done so, file a unemployment insurance claim application here (select COVID-19): <a href="https://www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov/file-claim-unemployment-insurance-benefits">https://www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov/file-claim-unemployment-insurance-benefits</a>.

#### **Step 2: Submit Proof of Income after initial application**

https://www.iowaworkforcedevelopment.gov/puainformation?utm medium=email&utm source=govdelivery

