

# IT'S RIGHT IN OUR BACKYARD



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## Special Notice to Dublin Businesses

### Introduction

The City of Dublin appreciates your business and remains committed to providing the best possible customer service during these unprecedented times. As the COVID-19 crisis continues to evolve, the City is committed to maintaining a reliable and accessible source of information and resources.

Our City has created a #DublinEats [webpage](#) that will allow residents to see the many restaurants that are open for to-go and delivery orders during the Shelter-in-Place Order. In addition, the City has created a COVID-19 [webpage](#) and a COVID-19 Business Impacts [webpage](#) to provide you with information and resources.

For more information about COVID-19 including guidelines, business planning resources, and local updates, please, visit the City's [webpage](#). Visit this page frequently for up-to-date information impacting our business community. You can also follow us on Facebook at [@DublinCOVID19](#) or on Twitter at [@DublinPIO](#).

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### Tax Filing Extensions for Businesses

- [Internal Revenue Service](#) has postponed the federal income tax filing and payment deadline to July 15, 2020.
- [California Franchise Tax Board](#) (FTB) has also postponed filing and payment deadlines to July 15, for state income tax.
- Employers experiencing a hardship as a result of COVID-19 may request up to a 60-day filing and

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Services  
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deposit extension for state payroll taxes. A written request for an extension must be received within 60 days from the original delinquent date of the payment or return. For more details, read the [Information Sheet](#). For questions, call the Employment Development Department Taxpayer Assistance Center at 1-888-745-3886 (TTY: 1-800-547-9565).

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## Potential Layoffs?

We understand this is a difficult time and we are here to help Dublin businesses get through this. If your company is facing a layoff or permanent closure, please contact the [Alameda County Workforce Development Board](#)'s Rapid Response Coordinator, Javier Contreras ([email](#) or 510-259-3831). Rapid Response teams are available to talk with you about your needs and provide services to assist impacted workers. Employers of all sizes that are considering layoffs, no matter how small, are encouraged to contact the Workforce Development Board as collecting data on the economic impact of the pandemic is important to inform future relief programs.

Employers who are considering permanent layoffs should consider participating in the State's [Unemployment Insurance Work Sharing Program](#). This program allows you to retain your workers by reducing their hours and wages no more than 60 percent and partially offsetting the wage loss with Unemployment Insurance benefits.

Employers planning a definite closure or layoffs can contact the [Alameda County Small Business Development Center](#) (ACSBDC) for help. Anything you share with SBDC is kept strictly confidential unless you give written permission to share it.

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## Resources for Impacted Businesses

**Disaster Loans/Financing Resources for Businesses:**  
[Alameda County Small Business Development Center](#) (ACSBDC): Provides a variety of resources for COVID-19 disaster relief including loans for qualifying businesses and valuable information for employers and employees.

- Download the SBDC [Small Business Survival Guide](#)
- Watch [recorded webinars](#) on a variety of topics

[U.S. Small Business Administration](#) (SBA): The Small

Business Administration is offering disaster assistance to California Small Businesses economically impacted by Coronavirus.

**CA Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank**

(IBANK): California Small Business Loan Guarantee Program and Disaster Relief Loan Guarantee Program.

**CA Treasurer's CalCAP Program**: Special Loan Program which encourages banks to make loans to small businesses that have difficulty getting financing.

**Northern California Financial Development**

**Corporation** (Nor-Cal FDC): Offers Loan Guarantee Program & Disaster Relief Loan Guarantee Program for California Small Businesses.

**Veteran Launch**: Provides SBA Small Business loans to qualified California small businesses owned by veterans, active duty military personnel and their families who are unable to obtain a bank loan.

**Non-Governmental Loans/Financing:**

**Kiva**: Crowd-sourced 0% Interest Small Business Loans

**Facebook Small Business Grants Program**: Facebook is offering \$100 million in cash grants and ad credits to help businesses. The grant application is not open yet, but you can sign up for updates from Facebook.

**Employment Benefits:**

**CA Employment Development Department** (EDD): For businesses that have employee and employer concerns.

**CA Labor and Workforce Development Agency**:

COVID-19 Resources for Workers and Employers relating to Paid Sick Leave, Disability and Unemployment Insurance, Paid Family Leave, Workplace Health, and Safety.

**Other Resources:**

**State of California**: Comprehensive website with information for the general public and employers.

**GO-Biz** (Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development): Provides links to multiple state resources.

**California Association for Micro Enterprise**

**Opportunity** (CAMEO): Recorded webinar (from 3/19/2020) on Understanding the SBA Disaster Loan Program for businesses affected by the COVID-19 epidemic.

**Small Business Majority**: Provides tips and resources for

small businesses including recorded webinars on a variety of topics.

### **Business To Business Resources:**

- [Facebook Business Hub](#)
- [Google Resources for Small Businesses](#)
- [Yelp Resource Hub for Businesses](#)
- [Open for Business Hub](#): Lists technology companies that are helping small businesses by enabling remote work throughout this period.

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### **Great American Takeout Campaign**

**#TheGreatAmericanTakeout** will take place nationwide, on Tues., 3/24/2020 to encourage the public to continue supporting local restaurants and industry employees by ordering takeout since dine-in operations were halted due to COVID-19. Businesses and diners can use the social media hashtag **#thegreatamericantakeout** to announce or encourage participation.

The City will include a link to the new [#DublinEats webpage](#) on posts, which includes a list of restaurants currently open for takeout or delivery. If you have a correction or update to the listing for your business on the [#DublinEats webpage](#), please contact Suzanne Iarla via [email](#).



The Dublin Business News Update is a monthly publication highlighting the latest news and event affecting the business community. For more information or assistance, please contact Economic Development via email, [economic.development@dublin.ca.gov](mailto:economic.development@dublin.ca.gov), or phone: (925) 833-6650.

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