# COVID-19 UPDATES & INFORMATION



### **Special Notice to Dublin Businesses April 22, 2020**

### Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC) Grant Opportunity

The application period is now open for LISC's Small Business Relief Grants to help businesses with immediate financial impact due to the COVID-19 pandemic. LISC will focus these efforts on historically underserved communities-especially those enterprises owned or led by women, minorities and veterans, which often lack access to affordable capital. Applications must be completed by Tuesday, April 28th, 11:59 p.m. (EST). Read the FAQ.



Verizon, Sam's Club, U.S. Bank and other corporations have contributed to LISC's Rapid Relief and Resiliency Fund to offer these grants.

Eligible business owners can apply online.

#### **Face Coverings NOW REQUIRED In Public**

To control the spread of COVID-19, the Alameda County Health Officer issued an order on April 17, 2020 for all residents and workers to wear face coverings when conducting essential business and when around others outside of their immediate household. Combined with physical distancing and frequent handwashing, face coverings may reduce the risk of infection posed by people who are infected and without symptoms.

For more information, visit the Alameda County Public Health Department's FAQ <u>webpage</u> including FAQs in multiple languages and the Face Covering Sign for Essential Businesses (available in multiple languages).



## Reminder About State's Relief and Extensions for Filing Sales and Use Tax Returns

California business taxpayers who file a return less than \$1 Million dollars have an additional 3 months to file their return, between now and July 31, 2020. If you qualify for this extension it is automatic and you do not need to apply.

If your tax liability is \$1 million or more, you may request an extension if you are unable to file and pay timely. These requests will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis and taxpayers will be notified if their extension has been approved or denied. To request for an extension, follow the directions on CDFTA's <u>website</u>.

Eligible small business taxpayers with less than \$5 million in taxable annual sales, can also take advantage of a 12-month, interest-free, payment plan for up to \$50,000 of sales and use tax liability only. You can sign up to be notified when the online request portal becomes available via an online form on their website or by calling 1-800-400-7115.

#### We're Here for You

The City of Dublin appreciates our business community and remains committed to being your source for reliable and accessible information and resources.

In addition to the COVID-19 <u>Business Impact webpage</u>, we are now offering a COVID-19 <u>Business Resource Guide</u> (PDF updated 4/13/2020). Be sure to also visit the City's <u>COVID-19 webpage</u> with up-to-date information and resources about the pandemic.

The Economic Development Division team is available via <a href="mailto:emailt

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, or phone: (925) 833-6650.

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