



“Small businesses are the backbone of our community and vital to our economic recovery. *State grants are available to support Western New York small-business owners and help address COVID-related challenges.*”

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# Assemblyman Pat Burke: Small Business Recovery Grant Program provides a lifeline for our economy

The \$800 million Small Business Recovery Grant Program is accepting applications from small and micro businesses and small for-profit independent arts and cultural organizations that experienced COVID-related financial hardships.

Grants can be used to cover various costs businesses incurred during the pandemic, including:

- ✔ payroll
- ✔ insurance
- ✔ rent
- ✔ utilities
- ✔ mortgage
- ✔ pandemic-related expenditures to protect the health and safety of workers and consumers
- ✔ property and school taxes



*Assemblyman Pat Burke with Nathan Springer, owner of the Ebenezer Ale House in West Seneca.*

**Priority will be given to socially and economically disadvantaged applicants,**

such as minority- and women-owned business enterprises (MWBs), veteran-owned businesses and businesses located in communities that were economically distressed prior to the pandemic.

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