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SMALL BUSINESS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANT AWARDEES



Governor Gavin Newsom
Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development

Technical Assistance Program Awards are administered by
the California Office of the Small Business Advocate

CAPITAL INFUSION PROGRAM

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NETWORK

AWARD

NORCAL SBDC NETWORK

\$951,680.00

NorCal SBDC Lead Center
Access SBDC
Butte College SBDC
CalHispanic SBDC
East Bay SBDC
Marin SBDC
Mendocino SBDC
North Coast SBDC
Sacramento Valley SBDC
San Francisco SBDC
San Joaquin SBDC
San Mateo SBDC
Santa Cruz SBDC
SBDCtech at UC Berkeley Haas School of Business
SBDCtech at UC Berkeley SkyDeck
Sierra SBDC
Silicon Valley
Siskiyou SBDC
Solano-Napa SBDC
Sonoma SBDC
Special Programs SBDC

CENTRAL CA SBDC NETWORK

\$335,710.00

Central CA Lead Center, UC Merced SBDC
Cal Coastal SBDC
Cal Poly/CIE SBDC
CSU Bakersfield SBDC
Valley Community SBDC
Valley Sierra SBDC

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NETWORK

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LOS ANGELES SBDC NETWORK

\$857,860.00

Los Angeles Regional SBDC Network Lead Center
College of the Canyons SBDC
Economic Development Collaborative Ventura SBDC
El Camino College SBDC
Long Beach City College SBDC
Pacific Coast Regional SBDC
Pasadena City College SBDC
University of La Verne SBDC

OC IE SBDC NETWORK

\$590,830.00

CSU Fullerton Lead Center
CSU Fullerton International Trade Center
CSU Fullerton Traditional Center
Coachella Valley SBDC at Riverside County Office of Economic Development
Digital Media Lab at Rancho Santiago Community College District
EPIC SBDC at UC Riverside
Finance Center at Orange County Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
Inland Empire SBDC @ CSU San Bernardino

SD IV SBDC NETWORK

\$263,920.00

San Diego & Imperial SBDC Lead Center
Alliance SBDC
Connect SBDC
East County SBDC
Export SBDC at World Trade Center
Imperial Valley SBDC
International Rescue Committee SBDC
North San Diego
South San Diego
The Brink SBDC

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TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CENTERS

AWARD

3CORE, Inc.	\$25,000.00
Alchemist CDC	\$42,490.82
American Indian Chamber Education Fund PTAC	\$67,200.00
AnewAmerica Women's Business Center – Oakland	\$68,000.00
AnewAmerica Women's Business Center – San Jose	\$72,250.00
ASIAN, Inc. (San Jose MBDA Business Center)	\$317,542.58
Asociacion de Emprendedor@s	\$55,250.00
California Asian Pacific Chamber of Commerce (Sacramento MBDA Business Center & Small Business Transportation Resource Center)	\$322,300.00
California Capital APEX	\$50,113.59
California Capital WBC	\$90,000.00
California Manufacturing Technology Consulting (CMTC)	\$2,000,000.00
Caravanserai Project	\$216,221.57
Central California SBDC Network *	\$900,000.00
Chicostart	\$79,999.55
Coachella Valley Women's Business Center	\$90,000.00
Coalition for Responsible Community Development (Southeast Los Angeles BusinessSource Center)	\$163,125.00
El Pajaro Community Development Corporation	\$169,945.35
Fresno Area Hispanic Foundation	\$144,000.00
Fresno CDFI Access Plus Capital	\$398,369.55

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AWARD

Fresno Metro Black Chamber of Commerce	\$620,700.00
Fresno State Central Valley Women's Entrepreneur Center	\$84,000.00
Indian Dispute Resolution Services, Inc.	\$33,415.50
Initiating Change in Our Neighborhoods Community Development Corporation (North Valley BusinessSource Center)	\$129,346.20
Inland Empire Center for Entrepreneurship at CSU San Bernardino	\$90,000.00
Inland Empire Women's Business Center	\$90,000.00
International Rescue Committee (IRC)	\$297,500.00
Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce Foundation	\$140,000.00
Los Angeles SBDC Network *	\$3,965,571.00
Los Angeles VBOC	\$100,000.00
LTSC CDC API Small Business Program WBC	\$120,000.00
Main Street Launch	\$250,714.15
Mendocino Woman's Business Center	\$127,500.00
Mission Community Services Corporation – Kern	\$127,500.00
Mission Community Services Corporation – San Luis Obispo	\$127,500.00
New Economics For Women WBC	\$120,000.00
NorCal APEX Accelerator	\$240,000.21
NorCal SBDC Network *	\$4,399,248.60
NorCal VBOC	\$196,000.00

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Orange County Inland Empire SBDC Network *	\$2,250,000.00
Orange County Women's Business Center	\$90,000.00
Pacific Asian Consortium in Employment (PACE)	\$499,500.00
Prospera Community Development	\$187,500.00
Renaissance Bayview	\$106,250.00
Renaissance East Bay	\$89,250.00
Renaissance Entrepreneurship Center Women's Business Center	\$120,000.00
Renaissance Peninsula	\$150,000.00
San Diego & Imperial WBC	\$127,500.00
San Diego Imperial Valley SBDC Network *	\$1,620,000.00
SD Orange and Imperial APEX Accelerator	\$637,500.00
Stanislaus Equity Partners	\$105,000.00
The Center for Strategic Economic Studies and Institutional Development	\$81,990.28
Women's Business Center at JEDI	\$90,000.00
Women's Economic Ventures WBC	\$127,500.00
Yuba-Sutter Economic Development Corporation	\$31,046.20

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APEX ACCELERATORS (FORMERLY PROCUREMENT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CENTERS (PTAC))

APEX Accelerators (formerly Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTACs)) provide a wide range of government contracting help — most free of charge! All PTACs are staffed with counselors experienced in government contracting and provide a wide range of services including classes and seminars, individual counseling and easy access to bid opportunities, contract specifications, procurement histories, and other information necessary to successfully compete for government contracts. Many PTAC counselors have backgrounds in government acquisitions and virtually all receive ongoing training to keep pace with continually evolving acquisitions procedures and policies.

SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTERS (SBDC)

Small business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs can go to their local SBDCs for FREE face-to-face business consulting and at-cost training on a variety of topics. The mission of America's nationwide network of SBDCs is to help new entrepreneurs realize the dream of business ownership, and assist existing businesses to remain competitive in an ever-changing global economy.

WOMEN'S BUSINESS CENTERS (WBC)

WBCs help women succeed in business by providing training, mentoring, business development, and financing opportunities to over 145,000 women entrepreneurs each year. Small business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs can go to their local WBCs for FREE face-to-face business consulting and at-cost training on a variety of topics.

VETERANS BUSINESS OUTREACH CENTER (VBOC)

VBOC's mission is to advance the growth and commercial competitiveness of veteran owned small business enterprises through education and services focusing on business development, technology deployment and e-commerce.

OTHER TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROVIDERS

California is home to a myriad of other technical assistance providers that provide small business technical assistance to small business owners and entrepreneurs. Many of these organizations focus on providing technical assistance to women, minorities/people of color, veterans, low-wealth, communities, rural communities, and disaster-impacted communities.