



CALIFORNIA OFFICE OF THE SMALL BUSINESS ADVOCATE LOW-WEALTH AREAS | FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024

This list is applicable to applications submitted to the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 period only.

“Low Wealth” means a city and/or county within California with a poverty rate of at least 150% of the California statewide poverty rate per the most recently updated data available from the U.S. Census Bureau’s American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates thirty days prior to the first day of the applicable application period.

Cities

Alturas
Anderson
Arcata
Arvin
Avenal
Banning
Barstow
Bell
Bell Gardens
Blue Lake
Blythe
Brawley
Calexico
California City
Calipatria
Chico
Clearlake
Coalinga
Corcoran
Crescent City
Cudahy
Davis
Delano
Desert Hot Springs
Dinuba
Dorris
Douglas
El Cajon
El Centro
Eureka
Exeter
Farmersville

Firebaugh
Ford
Fort Bragg
Fort Jones
Fowler
Fresno
Grass Valley
Guadalupe
Holtville
Huron
Isleton
Junction
Kerman
Kettleman
King
Lindsay
Loyalton
McFarland
Madera
Maricopa
Marysville
Maywood
Mendota
Merced
Montague
Mount Shasta
Needles
Orange Cove
Oroville
Parlier
Point Arena
Portola

Red Bluff
San Bernardino
San Joaquin
San Luis Obispo
Santa Cruz
Selma
Shafter
Sonora
South El Monte
Stirling
Taft
Tulelake
Victorville
Wasco
Weed
Westmorland
Willows
Woodlake
Yreka

Counties

Butte County
Fresno County
Humboldt County
Imperial County
Kern County
Madera County
Merced County
Trinity County
Tulare County