

Programs, Awards, and Grants for each state

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# Alabama

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Incentives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/al>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/alabama/>  
Amazing Alabama: <https://amazingalabama.com/advantages/incentives/>  
Alabama Department of Revenue: <https://revenue.alabama.gov/tax-incentives/>  
Made in Alabama: <https://www.madeinalabama.com/business-development/recruitment-and-retention/taxes-and-incentives/>  
Biggins Lacy Shapiro & Company: <https://blsstrategies.com/alabama>  
Alabama VetStart: <http://asbdc.org/alabamas-veteran-business-assistance-program/>  
V- Wise: <https://ivmf.syracuse.edu/programs/entrepreneurship/start-up/v-wise/?redirect>

## **Awards**

Chamber of Commerce, Association of Alabama: <https://alabamachambers.org/awards/>  
Minority Business Awards: <https://www.minoritybusinessawards.com/>  
Best in Business, North Alabama: <https://bestinbusinessaward.com/north-alabama>  
Mobile Small Business Awards: <https://mobilechamber.com/small-business/small-business-awards/#1496343813872-2feb5f72-f234>  
Etowah Small Business Awards: <http://www.etowahchamber.org/esbys/>

## **Grants**

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/alabama/small-business-grants>  
Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/alabama/veteran-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://alabama.grantwatch.com/>  
Alabama Small Business Development Network: <http://asbdc.org/grants-to-start-a-small-business-in-alabama/>  
Coronavirus Relief Fund: <https://crf.alabama.gov/business.aspx>  
Women's Business Assistance Program: <http://asbdc.org/womens-business-assistance-program/>  
Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-alabama/>

# Alaska

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ak>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/alaska/>

Alaska Division of Economic Development:

<https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/ded/DEV/Incentives.aspx>

Area Development: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/Alaska/AK-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>

Alaska Tax Incentives:

[http://www.employmentincentives.com/state\\_incentives/Alaska/ak\\_tax\\_incentives.htm](http://www.employmentincentives.com/state_incentives/Alaska/ak_tax_incentives.htm)

## **Awards**

Alaska Business Magazine: <https://www.akbizmag.com/2020-best-of-alaska-business-awards/>

Alaska Chamber: <https://www.alaskachamber.com/awards/>

Best of Alaska Business Awards: <https://www.akbizmag.com/2021-best-of-alaska-business-awards/>

Bill Bivin Small Business Awards: <https://www.alaskachamber.com/bill-bivin-small-business-of-the-year/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/alaska/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/alaska/veteran-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://alaska.grantwatch.com/>

FNSB CARES: <https://cares-fnsb.hub.arcgis.com/>

AK CARES Grant:

<https://www.gotostage.com/channel/08e0d95784aa42caaa4e0802448b0b15/recording/06b495a51bfb4b21ab776ff80a442196/watch>

Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-alaska/>

# Arizona

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/az>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/arizona/>  
Arizona Programs: <https://www.azcommerce.com/programs/>  
Arizona Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/arizona>  
Qualified Facility Tax Credit: <https://www.azcommerce.com/media/1543512/qf-program-summary-2019.pdf>

## **Awards**

Arizona Corporate Excellence Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/phoenix/nomination/85791/2021/arizona-corporate-excellence-awards>  
40 under 40 Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/phoenix/nomination/85594/2021/40-under-40-awards>  
Small Business Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/phoenix/nomination/85635/2021/small-business-awards-presented-by-pacific-premier-bank>  
Best Places to Work: <https://www.bizjournals.com/phoenix/nomination/85664/2021/best-places-to-work>  
Business Innovation Awards: <https://azbigmedia.com/events/2021-arizona-innovation-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/arizona/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/arizona/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://arizona.grantwatch.com/>  
Grants for Small Businesses: <https://www.azfoundation.org/Grants-Loans/Current-Grant-Opportunities>  
Emergeaz Fast Grant: <https://www.azcommerce.com/covid-19/financial-resources/emergeaz-fast-grant/>  
Uber Eats Restaurant Grant Program: <https://www.azcommerce.com/covid-19/financial-resources/uber-eats-restaurant-grant-program/>  
Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-arizona/>

# Arkansas

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ar>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/arkansas/>

Business Incentives and Credits: <https://www.dfa.arkansas.gov/excise-tax/tax-credits-special-refunds/business-incentives-and-credits/>

Job Creation Incentives: <https://www.arkansasedc.com/why-arkansas/business-climate/incentives/pages/job-creation-incentives>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/arkansas>

Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprise: <https://www.arkansasedc.com/community-resources/Minority-and-Women-Owned-Business-Enterprise-Resources>

Little Rock Women Owned Business Resources: <https://www.littlerock.gov/city-administration/city-departments/finance/minority-women-owned-business-resources/>

## **Awards**

Business of the Year: <https://www.arkansasbusiness.com/events/3/arkansas-business-of-the-year>

CFO of the Year: <https://www.arkansasbusiness.com/tickets/arkansas-business-cfo-of-the-year-awards>

Best of Business: <https://www.arkansasbusiness.com/nominations/nominate-bestofbiz>

AIA Awards: <https://www.arkansasbusiness.com/supplements/14/aia-awards>

40 Under 40: <https://www.arkansasbusiness.com/nominations/nominate-40s>

Honoring Arkansas Veterans Businesses: <https://www.sba.gov/offices/district/ar/little-rock/resources/honoring-our-arkansas-veterans>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/arkansas/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/arkansas/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://arkansas.grantwatch.com/>

Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-arkansas/>

Grants for Service and Hospitality Industries: <https://arkansasready.com/news/grant-to-aid-the-arkansas-service-and-hospitality-industries/>

# California

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ca>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/california/>  
Incentives and Financing: <https://businessportal.ca.gov/incentives/>  
Incentives, Grants, and Financing: <https://business.ca.gov/advantages/incentives-grants-and-financing/>  
California State Incentives: <https://sfchamber.com/resources/economic-development/tax-incentives/california-state-incentives/>

## **Awards**

Small Business Awards: <https://coolcalifornia.arb.ca.gov/small-business-awards>  
Corporate Livewire Prestige Awards:  
<https://www.corporatelivewire.com/awards.html?award=147>  
California Family Business Awards: <http://www.fresnostate.edu/craig/ifb/awards/index.html>  
Small Business Advocates of the Year: <https://advocacy.calchamber.com/resources/local-chambers/small-business-advocates-of-the-year/>  
Comerica Bank Womens' Business Awards Program:  
<https://www.nba.com/lakers/promotions/1920-comerica>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/arkansas/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/california/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://california.grantwatch.com/grant/194575/loans-to-california-small-businesses-in-eligible-locations-for-financial-support-during-the-coronavirus-health-crisis.html>  
California Small Business COVID-19 Relief Grant Program:  
<https://www.grants.ca.gov/grants/california-small-business-covid-19-relief-grant-program/>  
Grants to USA Agencies, Tribal Governments, Nonprofits, For-Profits, and IHEs for Programs to Address Youth Behavioral Problems: <https://california.grantwatch.com/grant/188215/grants-to-usa-agencies-tribal-governments-nonprofits-for-profits-and-ihes-for-programs-to-address-youth-behavioral-problems.html>

# Colorado

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/co>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/colorado/>

Advanced Industries Tax Credit: <https://oedit.colorado.gov/advanced-industries-investment-tax-credit>

Aviation Development Zone tax Credit: <https://oedit.colorado.gov/aviation-development-zone-tax-credit>

### **Awards**

Best Places to Work: <https://www.bizjournals.com/denver/best-places-to-work>

Top 100 Women Owned Companies 2020: <https://www.cobizmag.com/Nominate/>

Top Company Awards 2020: <https://www.cobizmag.com/Nominate/>

Best for Colorado Awards: <https://www.thealliancecenter.org/bestcolorado/>

### **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/colorado/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/colorado/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://colorado.grantwatch.com/>

Advanced Industries Export Grant: <https://oedit.colorado.gov/advanced-industries-export-grant>

Advanced Industries Collaborative Infrastructure Grant: <https://oedit.colorado.gov/advanced-industries-collaborative-infrastructure-grant>

Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-colorado/>

## **Connecticut**

### **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ct>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/connecticut/>

Small Business Tax Incentives: [https://portal.ct.gov/DECD/Content/Business-Development/06\\_Tax\\_Incentives/Tax-Credits/Small-Business-Tax-Incentives](https://portal.ct.gov/DECD/Content/Business-Development/06_Tax_Incentives/Tax-Credits/Small-Business-Tax-Incentives)

Economic Development and Incentive Program: <https://blsstrategies.com/connecticut>



Tax Abatement Program: <https://portal.ct.gov/DOH/DOH/Programs/Tax-Abatement-Program>

### **Awards**

Connecticut Entrepreneur Award: <https://ctentrepreneurawards.com/>

Best in Business Award: <http://www.senatedems.ct.gov/biba>

Family Business Award: <https://www.hartfordbusiness.com/hbj-events/family-business-awards>

Women in Business Award: <https://www.hartfordbusiness.com/hbj-events/women-in-business-awards>

Business Architecture Award: <https://aiact.org/business-architecture-awards/>

### **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/connecticut/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/connecticut/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://connecticut.grantwatch.com/>

Connecticut CARES Small Business Grant Program:

Small Business Recovery Fund: <https://www.lisc.org/connecticut-statewide/covid-19-resources/small-business-recovery-grants/>

Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/free-grant-tips-connecticut/>

# Delaware

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/de>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/delaware/>

Angel Investor Tax Incentive: <https://dsb.force.com/s/>

Delaware Economic Development Incentive Program: <https://blsstrategies.com/delaware>

Delaware Strategic Fund: <https://delcode.delaware.gov/title29/c087a/sc02/index.html>

## **Awards**

Family Owned Business Awards: <https://delawarebusinesstimes.com/foba/>

Superstars in Business: <https://www.dscc.com/superstarsinbusiness.html>

New Castle County Business Awards: <https://business.delaware.gov/events/new-castle-county-chamber-small-business-awards/>

Delaware County Small Business Awards: <https://www.delcochamber.org/smallbizawards.html>

Excellence in Business Awards: <https://www.cdcc.net/awardsforexcellence/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/delaware/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/delaware/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://delaware.grantwatch.com/>

EDGE Grants: <https://business.delaware.gov/edge-grants/>

Workforce Training Grant: [https://business.delaware.gov/wp-content/uploads/sites/118/2018/09/Division-of-Small-Business-Workforce-Training-Grant-Application-Form\\_NEW.pdf](https://business.delaware.gov/wp-content/uploads/sites/118/2018/09/Division-of-Small-Business-Workforce-Training-Grant-Application-Form_NEW.pdf)

Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-delaware/>

# Florida

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/fl>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/florida/>  
State Tax Incentives: <https://www.enterpriseflorida.com/why-florida/business-climate/incentives/>  
Financial Incentives: <https://www.flgov.com/financial-incentives/>  
Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/florida>  
State Small Business Credit Initiative: <https://www.enterpriseflorida.com/small-business/state-small-business-credit-initiative-ssbci/>  
Veteran Certification: <https://floridavets.org/benefits-services/veteran-certified-businesses/>  
Veteran Entrepreneurship Resources: <https://www.veteransflorida.org/entrepreneurship/entrepreneurship-resources/>

## **Awards**

South Florida Business of the Year: <https://www.bizjournals.com/southflorida/nomination/84872/2020/2020-business-of-the-year-awards>  
CFO of the Year: <https://www.bizjournals.com/southflorida/nomination/85480/2021/2021-cfo-awards>  
Florida Companies to Watch: <https://www.growfl.com/flctw20/nominate/>  
Miami Business Awards Program: <https://www.miamichamber.com/events/awards-programs>  
Sterling Manufacturing Business Excellence: <https://www.floridamakes.com/events/article/2021-florida-sterling-manufacturing-business-excellence-awards-nominations.stml>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/florida/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/florida/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://florida.grantwatch.com/>  
Florida High Tech Corridor Grant: <https://floridahightech.com/innovation/research/>  
Prospera Grants: <https://prosperausa.org/grants/>  
Amber Grant: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/get-an-amber-grant/apply-now/>  
Veteran Grants: <https://www.sbdc.unf.edu/resources/veterans/>

# Georgia

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ga>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/georgia/>

Incentives: <https://www.georgia.org/competitive-advantages/incentives>

Economic Development Incentive Program: <https://blsstrategies.com/georgia>

Business Incentives: <https://www.selectgeorgia.com/resources/publications/business-incentives-copy-needed/>

Women Owned Business Financing Resources: <https://www.georgia.org/women-owned-small-business-finance>

Women Owned Business Certification: <https://www.georgia.org/women-owned-small-business-certification>

Benefits for Veteran Owned Businesses: <https://thriftright.com/benefits-for-veteran-owned-georgia-businesses/>

## **Awards**

Minority Business Awards: <https://gaminoritybusinessawards.com/>

GLOBE Awards: <https://www.georgia.org/international/trade/globe-awards>

Atlanta's Best Places to Work:

<https://www.bizjournals.com/atlanta/nomination/85810/2021/atlantas-best-places-to-work>

Small Business Rock Star Award: <https://www.gachamber.com/small-business-rock-star-awards/>

Cobb Small Business of the Year: <https://www.cobbchamber.org/member-services/small-business-of-the-year.aspx>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/georgia/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/georgia/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://georgia.grantwatch.com/>

Fiserv Back2Business Grant: [https://aeoworks.org/fiserv/?utm\\_source=Master+List+-+Invest+Atlanta&utm\\_campaign=619d54b4e5-](https://aeoworks.org/fiserv/?utm_source=Master+List+-+Invest+Atlanta&utm_campaign=619d54b4e5-)

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Small Business Grants for Women in Georgia: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-georgia/>

# Hawaii

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/hi>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/hawaii/>

Tax Incentives and Credits: <https://invest.hawaii.gov/business/why-invest-in-hawaii/tax-incentives-and-credits/>

Maui Incentives: <http://www.medb.org/community-profile/business-climate/incentives/>

Employment Incentives:

[http://www.employmentincentives.com/state\\_incentives/Hawaii/hi\\_tax\\_incentives.htm](http://www.employmentincentives.com/state_incentives/Hawaii/hi_tax_incentives.htm)

Veterans Business Outreach Center of the Pacific: <https://hilo.hawaii.edu/vbc/>

Advice for Women Owned Businesses: <https://www.hawaiiibusiness.com/advice-for-women-business-owners/>

## **Awards**

Top 250: <https://www.hawaiiibusiness.com/lists-awards/>

Hawaii Green Business Program Award: <https://greenbusiness.hawaii.gov/>

The Stella Awards: <https://www.northstarmetingsgroup.com/Best-Of/The-Stella-Awards/2020-Stella-Awards>

Hawaii Business Awards: <https://www.hawaiiibusiness.com/lists-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/hawaii/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/hawaii/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://hawaii.grantwatch.com/>

Amber Grants for Women in Business: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/free-grant-tips-hawaii/>

Economic Development Grants: <https://www.mauicounty.gov/1787/OED-Grants>

# Idaho

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/id>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/idaho/>

Incentives: <https://commerce.idaho.gov/incentives-and-financing/incentives/>

Incentives: <https://www.bvep.org/doing-business-here/incentives>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/idaho>

Idaho Women Business Programs: <https://www.idahowomen.org/>

Minority/Veteran/Women Business Programs: <https://business.idaho.gov/helpful-links/minority/>

## **Awards**

Idaho Business Review Awards: <https://idahobusinessreview.com/events/award-applications/>

Boise Chamber Excellence Award: <https://www.boisechamber.org/chamber-excellence-awards.html>

Idaho Innovation Awards: <https://www.idahoinnovationawards.com/>

Idaho's Best Award: <https://www.idahosbest.com/details/>

Boise Small Business Award: <https://hawleytroxell.com/event/boise-metro-chamber-of-commerce-small-business-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/idaho/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/idaho/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://idaho.grantwatch.com/>

Rebound Cash Grants for Small Businesses: <https://harriscpas.com/idaho-rebound-cash-grants-for-small-businesses/>

Small Business Grants for Women in Idaho: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-idaho/>

# Illinois

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/il>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/illinois/>

Incentives and Tax Assistance:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/dceo/ExpandRelocate/Incentives/Pages/default.aspx>

Economic Development Incentive: <https://blsstrategies.com/illinois>

Illinois Direct Financial Incentive: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/illinois/IL-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>

Business Enterprise Program:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/cms/business/sell2/bep/pages/default.aspx>

Women's Business Enterprise Certification:

<http://www.illinoisbusinessattorney.com/articles/wbe-certification-requirements.html>

Veterans Business Program:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/cms/business/sell2/pages/veteranownedbusinesses.aspx>

Veteran Entrepreneurship:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/veterans/benefits/pages/entrepreneurship.aspx>

## **Awards**

Centennial Business Awards:

<https://www.historyillinois.org/Awards/CentennialBusinessAwards.aspx>

Family Business of the Year Award:

<https://www.luc.edu/leadershiphub/centers/familybusiness/illinoisfamilybusinessoftheyearaward/s/illinoisfamilybusinessoftheyearnominationform/>

Small Business Awards: <https://illinoisbdcattadacc.com/illinois-sbdc-dacc-small-business-awards/>

Green Business Award: <https://www.vniles.com/740/Green-Business-Award>

Hanover Park Business of the Year Award: <https://www.hpil.org/658/Business-of-the-Year-Award>

Veteran Business of the Quarter Award:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/veterans/programs/Pages/Awards.aspx>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/illinois/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/illinois/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://illinois.grantwatch.com/>

Emergency Small Business Loans and Grants:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/dceo/smallbizassistance/pages/emergencysbaintiatives.aspx>

Business Interruption Grants:

<https://www2.illinois.gov/dceo/SmallBizAssistance/pages/c19disadvantagedbusgrants.aspx>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-illinois/>

## Indiana

### **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/in>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/indiana/>

Incentives: <https://iedc.in.gov/indiana-advantages/incentives>

Indiana Business Incentives: <https://wceqp.org/washington-county-indiana-business-incentives/state-incentives>

Northeast Indiana Business Incentives: <https://neindiana.com/doing-business-here/business-climate/business-incentives>

Northwest Indiana Business Incentives: <https://www.nwiforum.org/incentives>

Veteran Owned Business Certification: <https://www.in.gov/idoa/mwbe/indiana-veteran-business-program/about-the-ivosb-program/>

Resources for Minority/Women/Veteran Owned Businesses: <https://www.indy.gov/activity/additional-resources-for-business-owners>

### **Awards**

Best of Business Award: <https://nwindianabusiness.com/bestof/>

Indiana Chamber Awards: <https://www.indianachamber.com/about/awards-program/#best-places-to-work>

Indiana Business Journal Awards: <https://www.ibj.com/nominations>

Women in Business Awards: <https://www.nawboindy.org/for-members/award-nominations/>

Century and Half Century Awards: <https://iedc.in.gov/program/century-and-half-century-awards/home>

NAWBO Awards: <https://www.nawboindy.org/for-members/award-nominations/>

### **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/indiana/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/indiana/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://indiana.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-indiana/>

COVID-19 Small Business Support: <https://www.indy.gov/activity/covid-19-small-business-support>



# Iowa

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ia>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/iowa/>

Tax Advantages and Incentives: <https://www.dsmpartnership.com/growing-business-here/business-climate/tax-advantages--incentives>

Economic Development Incentive Program: <https://blsstrategies.com/iowa>

Iowa Business Incentives: <https://www.iowafallsdevelopment.com/doing-business-here/iowa-business-incentives>

Resources for Women/Minority/Veteran/Disabled Owned Businesses:

<https://www.iasourcelink.com/guides/fund-your-business-guide/resources-for-women-minority-veteran-and-disabled-owned-businesses>

## **Awards**

Iowa Innovation Awards: <https://innovationia.com/awards/>

Grow Your Future Award: <https://www.iowafarmbureau.com/Farmer-Resources/Farm-Bureau-Leaders/Grow-Your-Future-Award>

Business Leadership Award: <https://tippie.uiowa.edu/about-tippie/oscar-c-schmidt-iowa-business-leadership-award-reception>

Torch Awards for Ethics: <https://www.bbb.org/iowa/torch-awards-for-ethics>

NOVA Awards: [https://www.amaiowa.com/en/events/nova\\_awards/](https://www.amaiowa.com/en/events/nova_awards/)

NAWBO Awards: <https://nawboiowa.org/Awards>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/iowa/small-business-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/iowa/veteran-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://iowa.grantwatch.com/>

Iowa Grants: <https://www.iowagrants.gov/outsideStorefrontList.jsp?type=Grant>

Iowa Amber Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-iowa/>

# Kansas

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ks>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/kansas/>

Business Incentives: <https://www.kansascommerce.gov/program/business-incentives-and-services/>

Business Incentives: <https://www.gotopeka.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/07/KS-Business-Incentives.pdf>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/kansas>

Disadvantaged/Minority/Women Owned Business Certification:

<https://www.kansascommerce.gov/program/business-incentives-and-services/mw-development/dmw-certification/>

## **Awards**

Small Business Celebration: <https://www.kcchamber.com/what-we-do/awards-and-recognition/business-awards>

Wichita Small Business Awards: <https://www.wichitachamber.org/awards>

Minority and Women Business Awards: <https://sarinenergy.com/kansas-department-commerce-announces-plans-minority-women-business-awards-luncheon/>

Manhattan Business Awards: <https://www.manhattan.org/421/Business-Awards>

Kansas City Regional Business Excellence Award: <https://supportkc.org/support-kansas-city-receives-regional-business-excellence-award/>

Minority and Women Owned Business Spotlight:

<https://www.kansascommerce.gov/program/business-incentives-and-services/mw-development/spotlight/spotlight-nomination/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/kansas/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/kansas/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://kansas.grantwatch.com/>

SPARK Grants: <https://www.kansascommerce.gov/covid19response/covidrelief/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-kansas/>

Grants for Veterans in Kansas: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-kansas/>

# Kentucky

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ky>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/kentucky/>

KY Business Incentives: [https://ced.ky.gov/Locating\\_Expanding/kybizince.aspx](https://ced.ky.gov/Locating_Expanding/kybizince.aspx)

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/kentucky>

Florence Business Incentives: <https://florence-ky.gov/wp-content/uploads/Economic-Development/KentuckyIncentives.pdf>

Kentucky's Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Certification:

<https://finance.ky.gov/initiatives/sdvosb/Pages/default.aspx>

Minority/Veteran/Women Owned Business Certification: <https://www.lexingtonky.gov/how-become-certified-minority-veteran-and-woman-owned-business>

## **Awards**

Small Business Awards: <https://www.commercelexington.com/small-business-awards-application.html>

Family Business Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/louisville/nomination/85485/2021/2021-family-business-awards-in-partnership-with-the-u-of-l-family-business-center>

Northeast Kentucky Small Business Awards: <http://www.nekysba.com/>

Inc.credible Awards: <https://www.greaterlouisville.com/chamber/initiatives/incredible-awards/>

Kentucky Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club Award: <https://bpw-ky.org/member-resources/awards/>

Outstanding Women of Northern Kentucky:

<http://www.nkychamber.com/leadership/outstanding-women-of-northern-kentucky/>

Martha Layne Collins Award: <https://womenleadingky.com/martha-layne-collins-leadership-award/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/kentucky/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/kentucky/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://kentucky.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants for Women in Kentucky: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-kentucky/>

Eastern Kentucky COVID-19 Relief: <https://mtassociation.org/business-support/resources-for-eky-covid-19/>

# Louisiana

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/la>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/louisiana/>

Business Incentives: <https://www.opportunitylouisiana.com/business-incentives>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/louisiana>

South Louisiana Business Incentives: <https://www.southlouisiana.org/south-louisiana-business-climate/south-louisiana-business-incentives/>

Louisiana Veterans First Initiative: <https://www.opportunitylouisiana.com/veterans-first>

Louisiana Veteran Initiative: <https://www.opportunitylouisiana.com/small-business/special-programs-for-small-business/veteran-initiative>

Small Business Resources: <https://www.opportunitylouisiana.com/small-business/grow-a-business>

Women Owned Business Certification: <https://ptac.louisiana.edu/news-events/events/20190114/women-owned-small-business-certification>

## **Awards**

Free Enterprise Awards: <https://labi.org/nominate-a-business>

Central Louisiana Chamber of Commerce Awards: <http://www.cenlachamber.org/annual-events>

Business Awards: <http://www.natchitocheschamber.com/business-awards-voting>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/louisiana/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/louisiana/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://louisiana.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-louisiana/>

Minority and Women Business Grants and Loans:  
<https://www.womenandminoritybusiness.org/blog/louisiana-grants-loans-minority-women-owned-businesses/>

# Maine

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/me>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/maine/>  
Tax Incentives: <https://www.maine.gov/decd/business-development/tax-incentives-credit>  
State Incentives: <https://techmaine.com/state-incentives>  
Economic Development and Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/maine>

## **Awards**

Family Business Awards: <https://fambusiness.org/2020-Intro-Page>  
Gulf of Maine Awards: <https://gulfofmaine.org/public/gulf-of-maine-council-on-the-marine-environment/awards/>  
The Kenney Awards: <https://www.augustamaine.com/events/annual-awards-banquet>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/maine/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/maine/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://maine.grantwatch.com/>  
Economic Recovery Grants: <https://www.maine.gov/decd/economic-recovery-grants>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-maine/>  
Maine Women's Funding: <https://www.mainewomensfund.org/funding-priorities>

# Maryland

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/md>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/maryland/>

Incentive Programs: <https://businessexpress.maryland.gov/grow/funding-and-incentives>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/maryland>

Financial Incentives for Businesses:

[https://www.mcccmd.com/uploads/1/0/1/7/101763472/md\\_financial\\_incentives\\_for\\_businesses.pdf](https://www.mcccmd.com/uploads/1/0/1/7/101763472/md_financial_incentives_for_businesses.pdf)

Verification of Veteran Status:

[https://gomdsmallbiz.maryland.gov/Documents/VSBE%20Program/Veteran\\_Verification\\_Form\\_07.2019.pdf](https://gomdsmallbiz.maryland.gov/Documents/VSBE%20Program/Veteran_Verification_Form_07.2019.pdf)

Resources for Veteran Owned Businesses: <https://veterans.maryland.gov/veteran-business-owner-resources/>

Veteran Owned Small Business Enterprise Program:

<https://gomdsmallbiz.maryland.gov/Pages/VSBE-Program.aspx>

Maryland Women's Business Center Services: <https://marylandwbc.org/services/>

## **Awards**

Chamber of Commerce Awards Program: <https://mdchamber.org/events/awards-programs/>

Maryland International Business Leadership Awards: <https://www.wtci.org/leadershipawards/>

Gaithersburg-Germantown Chamber of Commerce Award:

<https://www.ggchamber.org/membership/small-business-of-year/>

Montgomery County Service Awards:

<https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/volunteercenter/awards/>

Entrepreneur of the Year Award: <https://www.marylandcapital.org/about/entrepreneur-of-the-year>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/maryland/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/maryland/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://maryland.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-maryland/>

Kent County Grants: <https://www.kentcounty.com/business/business-support/incentives/grants>

Veteran Owned Small Business Loans: <https://commerce.maryland.gov/fund/programs-for-businesses/mpvolp>

Funding for Small, Minority and Women Owned Businesses:

<https://businessexpress.maryland.gov/grow/minority-and-women-owned>

# Massachusetts

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ma>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/massachusetts/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/massachusetts>

Business Resources and Incentives: <https://www.mass.gov/service-details/ee-business-resources-incentives>

Business Rebates and Incentives: <https://www.masssave.com/saving/business-rebates>

Diversity Certification: <https://www.mass.gov/how-to/apply-for-diversity-certification-as-a-massachusetts-based-business>

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program: <https://www.mass.gov/guides/disadvantaged-business-enterprise-program-and-utilization-of-mbe-and-wbe-firms>

## **Awards**

Best of Business Awards: <https://www.wbjournal.com/bobawards>

Sustainable Business Awards: <https://www.sbnmass.org/sustainable-business-awards>

Clean Community Awards: <https://keepmassbeautiful.org/news-events/massachusetts-clean-community-awards.html>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/massachusetts/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/massachusetts/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://massachusetts.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Recovery Program: <https://www.lisc.org/boston/covid-19/small-business-recovery-grant-program/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-massachusetts/>

Pittsfield Recovery Grants: <https://cityofpittsfield.org/covid-19-small-business-recovery-second-round-grants/index.php>

# Michigan

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/mi>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/michigan/>  
Incentives Programs: <https://www.michiganbusiness.org/services/incentives-and-taxes/>  
Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/michigan>  
Northern Michigan Business Incentives: <https://www.northernlakes.net/business-assistance/locating-here/incentives/>  
Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Business Preference:  
[https://www.michigan.gov/dtmb/0,5552,7-358-82550\\_85746\\_48677-412612--,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/dtmb/0,5552,7-358-82550_85746_48677-412612--,00.html)

## **Awards**

Best of Mich Business Awards: <https://michbusiness.com/events/the-best-of-michbusiness-awards/>  
Small Business Awards: <https://michigancelebrates.org/>  
Good for Michigan Awards: <https://goodfor.org/awards/good-for-michigan>  
Making it in Michigan Awards: [https://www.canr.msu.edu/miim/conference/award\\_winners/index](https://www.canr.msu.edu/miim/conference/award_winners/index)  
Detroit Notable Women: <https://www.crainsdetroit.com/nominate>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/michigan/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/michigan/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://michigan.grantwatch.com/>  
Small Business Survival Program: <https://www.michiganbusiness.org/about-medc/covid19/survival/>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-michigan/>



# Minnesota

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/mn>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/minnesota/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://mn.gov/deed/ed/why-mn/incentives/>

Business Financing Programs: <https://mn.gov/deed/business/financing-business/deed-programs/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/minnesota>

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program: <https://mnucp.org/>

Resources for Veteran Business Owners:

<https://mn.gov/mdva/resources/employment/veteransasbusinessowners.jsp>

## **Awards**

Small Business Week Awards: <https://www.sba.gov/content/minnesota-small-business-week-awards-0>

St. Paul Business Awards: <https://www.stpaul.gov/businesses/open-business-0/saint-paul-business-awards>

Dakota County Business Excellence Awards: <https://www.dcrchamber.com/business-excellence-awards-gala>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/minnesota/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/minnesota/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://minnesota.grantwatch.com/>

COVID-19 Funding: <https://www.mnchamber.com/blog/covid-19-funding-loans-and-grants>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-minnesota/>

# Mississippi

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ms>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/mississippi/>  
Tax Incentives: <https://mississippi.org/advantages/incentives/>  
Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/mississippi>  
Business Tax Credits: <https://www.dor.ms.gov/Pages/Business-Incentive.aspx>  
Veteran Owned Business Resources: <https://www.msrealtycourses.com/veteran-owned-businesses-the-veteran-real-estate-professional/>  
Certified Minority Business Program: [https://minority.mississippi.org/Should I Apply.aspx](https://minority.mississippi.org/Should_I_Apply.aspx)

## **Awards**

Healthiest Workplace Award: [https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/\\_static/43,0,277,733.html](https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/43,0,277,733.html)  
Gold Shovel Award: <https://mississippi.org/news-room/mississippi-wins-gold-shovel-award/>  
Small Business Awards: <https://www.supertalk.fm/sba-mississippi-announces-small-business-award-winners/>  
Top in Tech Award: <https://mscoding.org/2019/06/our-directors-win-mississippi-business-journal-2019-top-in-tech-award/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/mississippi/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/mississippi/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://mississippi.grantwatch.com/>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-mississippi/>  
Minority Business Entrepreneurship Loan Program: <https://mississippi.org/manage/wp-content/uploads/minority-business-enterprise-loan.pdf>

# Missouri

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/mo>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/missouri/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://ded.mo.gov/auto/incentives-financing/missouri-incentive-programs>

Business Incentives: <https://www.mosourcelink.com/guides/loans-grants-and-funding/missouri-business-incentives>

Employment Incentives:

[http://www.employmentincentives.com/state\\_incentives/Missouri/mo\\_tax\\_incentives.htm](http://www.employmentincentives.com/state_incentives/Missouri/mo_tax_incentives.htm)

Kansas City Women's Business Center Resources: <https://www.wbdc.org/tag/kansas-city/>

Kansas City Women's Business Certification

## **Awards**

Missouri Business Awards: <https://mochamber.com/news/2019-missouri-business-awards/>

Small Business Awards: <https://www.springfieldchamber.com/small-business-award/>

Missouri Impact! Awards: <https://www.missourienterprise.org/resources/missouri-impact-awards>

Kindness in Business Awards:

<https://www.missouribusinessalert.com/kindnessinbusinessawards/>

Chamber of Commerce Awards: <https://columbiamochamber.com/news/category/awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/missouri/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/missouri/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://missouri.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-missouri/>

Small Business Grant: <https://ded.mo.gov/content/small-business-grant-program>

# Montana

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/mt>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/montana/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/montana>

Tax Incentives: <https://mtfinanceonline.com/TaxIncentives>

Direct Financial Incentives: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/montana/MT-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>

MT Women's Business Center Resources: <https://www.prosperamt.org/womens-business-center/overview>

## **Awards**

Montana Government Service Awards: <https://montana.gov/services/awards/>

Tourism and Business Development Awards: <https://marketmt.com/News/tag/award>

Small Business Awards: <https://www.kbzk.com/news/montana-news/2019/06/24/montana-winner-of-us-small-business-administration-award-credits-staff/>

Manufacturer Award: <https://www.montanachamber.com/manufacturing/montana-moty/>

Philanthropic & Nonprofit Impact Awards: <https://www.mtnonprofit.org/philanthropic-nonprofit-impact-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/montana/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/montana/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://montana.grantwatch.com/>

Coronavirus Relief Grant: <https://commerce.mt.gov/Coronavirus-Relief>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-montana/>

# Nebraska

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ne>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/nebraska/>  
Business Incentives: <https://opportunity.nebraska.gov/why-nebraska/incentives/>  
Incentives and Tax Programs: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/nebraska/>  
Women's Business Development Center Resources: <https://www.wbdc.org/covid-19/>  
Veteran Business Certifications: <https://www.veteranownedbusiness.com/nebraska/veteran-owned-businesses-sdvosb-certifications-nebraska.php>  
Omaha Women's Business Program: <https://www.mowbcf.org/>

## **Awards**

Nebraska Business Development Center: <https://www.unomaha.edu/nebraska-business-development-center/about/business-awards/index.php>  
Nebraska Business Hall of Fame: <https://business.unl.edu/outreach/awards/nebraska-business-hall-of-fame/>  
Nebraska FBLA: <https://nebraskafbla.org/businessoftheyear/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/nebraska/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/nebraska/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://nebraska.grantwatch.com/>  
NebraskAccess: <http://nebraskaccess.ne.gov/grants.asp>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-Nebraska/>  
Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-nebraska/>

# Nevada

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/nv>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/nevada/>

Nevada Department of Business and Industry:

[https://business.nv.gov/Resource\\_Center/Access\\_to\\_Capital/Grants\\_and\\_Incentives/](https://business.nv.gov/Resource_Center/Access_to_Capital/Grants_and_Incentives/)

Nevada Governor's Office of Economic Development: <https://goed.nv.gov/programs-incentives/incentives/>

Veteran Owned Business Certifications:

<https://www.veteranownedbusiness.com/nevada/veteran-owned-businesses-sdvosb-certifications-nevada.php>

Disadvantaged Business Resources:

<https://www.nvsilverflume.gov/home/nevadaDisadvantagedBusinessResources>

Women, Minority, and Veteran Business Assistance:

[https://business.nv.gov/Resource\\_Center/Women\\_Minority\\_and\\_Veteran\\_Business\\_Assistance/](https://business.nv.gov/Resource_Center/Women_Minority_and_Veteran_Business_Assistance/)

Nevada Disadvantaged Business Resources:

<https://www.nvsilverflume.gov/home/nevadaDisadvantagedBusinessResources>

## **Awards**

Nevada Business Magazine: <https://www.nevadabusiness.com/nbawards/>

Nevada Business Family Owned Business: <https://www.nevadabusiness.com/fob/>

Vegas Chamber Business Excellence: <https://www.vegaschamber.com/business-excellence-awards/>

Women of Distinction Awards: <https://www.nawbo.org/southern-nevada/about/awards>

Nevada Family Owned Business Awards: <https://www.nevadabusiness.com/fob/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/nevada/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/nevada/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://nevada.grantwatch.com/>

Women, Minority, and Veteran Business Assistance:

[https://business.nv.gov/Resource\\_Center/Women\\_Minority\\_and\\_Veteran\\_Business\\_Assistance/](https://business.nv.gov/Resource_Center/Women_Minority_and_Veteran_Business_Assistance/)

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-nevada/>

Nevada Women's Philanthropy Grants: <https://www.nwpsnv.org/grant-process/grant-process-month-by-month/>

# New Hampshire

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/nh>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/new-hampshire/>  
Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/new-hampshire>  
Financial Incentives: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/newHampshire/NH-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>  
Tax Incentives: <https://www.nashuanh.gov/1122/Tax-Incentives>  
Center for Women & Enterprise: <http://cweonline.org/About-CWE/CWE-New-Hampshire>  
Veterans Initiative: <https://www.hcbar.org/for-the-public/veterans-initiative/>

## **Awards**

Best of Business Awards: <https://www.nhbr.com/events-awards/best-of-business-awards/>  
Business Excellence Awards: <https://www.nhbr.com/events-awards/business-excellence-awards/>  
Sustainability Awards: <https://www.nhbsr.org/programs-services/nh-sustainability-awards>  
Small Business Awards:  
[https://www.nhbankers.com/Online/Events/Event\\_Display.aspx?EventKey=SBAAWRD20&WebSiteKey=1049055b-1d26-4c68-8cf6-d320790f0830](https://www.nhbankers.com/Online/Events/Event_Display.aspx?EventKey=SBAAWRD20&WebSiteKey=1049055b-1d26-4c68-8cf6-d320790f0830)  
Outstanding Women in Business Awards: <https://www.nhbr.com/events-awards/outstanding-women-in-business/>  
Loans and Grants for Women: <https://www.ublocal.com/small-business-loans-grants-resources-women-new-hampshire/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-hampshire/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-hampshire/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://newhampshire.grantwatch.com/>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-new-hampshire/>  
State and Federal Business Grants: <https://www.biaofnh.com/business.html>  
Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-new-hampshire/>

# New Jersey

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/nj>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/new-jersey/>  
Finance Incentives: <https://business.nj.gov/pages/finance-your-business>  
Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/new-jersey>  
Business Assistance Programs: <https://www.nj.gov/state/bac/bap-03-00.shtml>  
Veterans Chamber of Commerce: <https://njveteranschamber.com/about-1>  
Women's Business Initiative: <https://www.lindabury.com/womens-business-initiative.html>  
Women's Business Enterprise: <https://business.nj.gov/pages/mwbe?locale=en>

## **Awards**

NJBIA Awards: <https://njbia.org/njbia-events/awards/>  
Business of the Year Awards: <https://njbiz.com/event/business-of-the-year/>  
Sustainable Business Awards: <http://registry.njsbdc.com/awards>  
Family Business Award: <https://www.fdu.edu/academics/centers-institutes/rothman/family-biz-year/>  
Women in Business Awards: <https://njbiz.com/introducing-2020-njbiz-best-women-business-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-jersey/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-jersey/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://newjersey.grantwatch.com/>  
Economic Development Grants: <https://njbia.org/eda-grants/>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-new-jersey/>  
Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-new-jersey/>



# New Mexico

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/nm>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/new-mexico/>

Business Incentives: <https://gonm.biz/why-new-mexico/competitive-business-climate/incentives>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/new-mexico>

Business Incentives: <https://nmpartnership.com/incentives-data/new-mexico-business-incentives/>

Veterans Programs: <https://www.legion.org/veteransbenefits/newmexico>

Women's Business Center Program: <https://www.wesst.org/business-consulting/womens-business-center-program/>

## **Awards**

Business Awards: <https://ethicsinbusinessnm.com/>

Small Business Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/albuquerque/news/2020/10/05/sba-new-mexico-honors-2020-small-business-awards.html>

Ethics in Business Awards: <https://cnmingenuity.org/program/new-mexico-ethics-in-business-awards/>

Family Business Awards: <https://nmfamilyfriendlybusiness.org/award-recipient/>

Women of Influence: <https://www.bizjournals.com/albuquerque/news/2020/01/06/meet-business-firsts-2020-women-of-influence.html>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-mexico/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-mexico/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://newmexico.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business CARES Relief Grants: <https://www.nmfinance.com/cares-continuity-grants/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-new-mexico/>

Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-new-mexico/>

# New York

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ny>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/new-york/>

Business Incentives: <https://www.tax.ny.gov/bus/business-incentives.htm>

Tax Incentives: <https://esd.ny.gov/doing-business-ny/tax-based-incentives>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/new-york>

Veterans Business Programs: <https://www.nyssbdc.org/veterans.aspx>

Veterans Business Incentives: <https://westchestercatalyst.com/programs-incentives/service-disabled-veteran-owned-business-program/>

State Minority and Women's Owned Business Programs:

<https://www1.nyc.gov/nycbusiness/description/state-minority-and-women-owned-business-enterprise-program>

## **Awards**

Best in Business Awards:

[https://www.manhattanc.org/common/news/articles/article\\_detail.cfm?QID=10621&clientID=11099&topicID=14&ThisPage=Events](https://www.manhattanc.org/common/news/articles/article_detail.cfm?QID=10621&clientID=11099&topicID=14&ThisPage=Events)

SBDC Awards: <https://www.nyssbdc.org/success/awards.html>

Best Business Awards: <https://www.ozkarahanmd.com/business-awards/>

New York Women of Excellence Awards: <https://www.nywomenexcellenceaward.com/>

NY State Senate Empire Business Award: <https://www.nysenate.gov/issues/ny-state-senate-empire-business-award>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-york/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/new-york/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://newyork.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants: <https://esd.ny.gov/covid-19-loans-and-assistance-small-businesses>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-new-york/>

# North Carolina

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/nc>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/north-carolina/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/north-carolina>

Business Incentives: <https://www.nccommerce.com/grants-incentives>

Financial Incentives: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/northCarolina/NC-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>

Veteran Business Resources:

<https://www.sba.gov/offices/district/nc/charlotte/resources/resources-veteran-business-owners>

Veteran Business Resources: <https://charlottebusinessresources.com/veterans/>

Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise Programs:

<https://raleighnc.gov/Community/content/HousingNeighborhoods/Articles/BusinessAssistanceProgram.html>

## **Awards**

Small Business Award: <https://businessnc.com/special-sections/small-business-of-the-year/>

NC Chamber Awards: <https://ncchamber.com/about/awards/>

Business Awards: <https://scbusinessawards.com/>

Sustainable Business Awards: <https://www.usgbc.org/articles/announcing-2020-carolinas-sustainable-business-awards-finalists>

Women in Business Awards: <https://nawbocharlotte.org/site/2019-nawbo-charlotte-gala-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/north-carolina/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/north-carolina/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://northcarolina.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants: <https://edpnc.com/start-or-grow-a-business/start-a-business/small-business-resources/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-north-carolina/>

Grants for Veterans: <https://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-north-carolina/>

# North Dakota

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/nd>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/north-dakota/>

Finance Incentives: <https://www.business.nd.gov/finance/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/north-dakota>

Economic Development Incentives:

<https://commerce.nd.gov/services/ServicesbyDivision/EconomicDevelopmentFinance/>

Veteran Small Business Assistance:

<https://www.sba.gov/offices/district/nd/fargo/resources/north-dakota-small-business-assistance-veterans>

Women's Business Resources: <https://www.ndwbc.com/programs>

## **Awards**

Main Street Awards: <https://www.nd.gov/living-nd/main-street-nd/main-street-awards>

Global Business Awards: <https://ndto.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/GBC-2018-Awards-Info.pdf>

Technology Awards: <https://technd.org/Technology-Awards/>

Small Business Awards: <https://armstrong.house.gov/media/blogs/2020-national-small-business-week-awards>

Women's Summit Awards: <https://www.ndwbc.com/news/2019-summit-award-winners>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/north-dakota/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/north-dakota/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://northdakota.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.sba.gov/offices/district/nd/fargo/resources/grants-north-dakota>

Department of Commerce Grants: <https://www.commerce.nd.gov/services/GrantPrograms/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-north-dakota/>

# Ohio

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/oh>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/ohio/>

Business Incentives: <https://www.jobsohio.com/why-ohio/incentives/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/ohio>

Financial Incentives: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/ohio/OH-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>

Veteran Business Certification Program: <https://das.ohio.gov/Divisions/Equal-Opportunity/Business-Certification/Veteran-Friendly-Business-Enterprise-VBE-Program>

Women's Small Business Resources: <https://www.wsbaohio.org/corona-virus-entrepreneurial-assistance>

Veteran-Friendly Business Enterprise Program: <https://das.ohio.gov/Divisions/Equal-Opportunity/Business-Certification/Veteran-Friendly-Business-Enterprise-VBE-Program>

## **Awards**

Ohio Success Awards: <http://www.ohiobusinessmag.com/ohio-success-awards/#/>

Best in Business Awards: <http://www.ohiobusinessmag.com/best-in-ohio-business-2020/>

Chamber of Commerce Awards: <https://columbus.org/members/awards/>

Family Business Awards: <https://www.familybusinesscenter.com/programs/family-business-awards/>

Columbus Smart 50 Awards: <https://www.sbnonline.com/events/smart50col/>

Women's Emerging Leader Award: <https://www.wsbaohio.org/emerging-leader-award>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/ohio/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/ohio/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://ohio.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Relief Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/ohio/small-business-grants>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-ohio/>

Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-ohio/>

# Oklahoma

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ok>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/oklahoma/>  
State Incentives: <https://www.greateroklahomacity.com/incentives/state-incentives/>  
Business Expansion Incentives: <https://www.okcommerce.gov/doing-business/business-relocation-expansion/incentives/business-expansion-incentive-program/>  
Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/oklahoma>  
Women Owned Business Certification: <https://www.okcommerce.gov/doing-business/business-services/women-owned-business-certifications/>  
Veteran Owned Business Resources: <https://www.business.com/articles/resources-veteran-owned-business/>

## **Awards**

Small Business Awards: <https://journalrecord.com/sba-awards/>  
OK Ethics Awards: <https://www.okethics.org/awards>  
Torch Awards for Ethics: <https://www.bbb.org/oklahomacity/for-businesses/torch-awards-for-ethics/about-tae/>  
Chamber Awards:  
<https://www.okcchamber.com/index.php?src=gendocs&ref=Metro50Awards&category=Events&submenu=Metro50Awards&link=Metro50Awards>  
Women of the Year Pinnacle Awards: [https://tulsaworld.com/business/meet-the-10-inspiring-women-of-the-year-pinnacle-award-winners/collection\\_9167773d-1154-5c6f-b060-1f482f52c83b.html#4](https://tulsaworld.com/business/meet-the-10-inspiring-women-of-the-year-pinnacle-award-winners/collection_9167773d-1154-5c6f-b060-1f482f52c83b.html#4)

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/oklahoma/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/oklahoma/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://oklahoma.grantwatch.com/>  
Department of Commerce Grants: <https://www.okcommerce.gov/covid19/>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-oklahoma/>  
Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-oklahoma/>

# Oregon

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/or>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/oregon/>  
Tax Incentives: <https://www.oregon4biz.com/Oregon-Business/Tax-Incentives/>  
Business Expansion Programs: <https://www.oregon4biz.com/Oregon-Business/Tax-Incentives/BEP/>  
Energy Incentives Programs: <https://www.oregon.gov/energy/Incentives/Pages/Energy-Incentive-Programs.aspx>  
Minority, Women, Veteran, and Small Business Owners resources: <https://www.oregon.gov/business/Pages/mwesb.aspx>  
Veteran Owned Business Benefits and Programs: <https://www.oregon.gov/odva/Benefits/Pages/Vet-Owned-Business.aspx>

## **Awards**

Entrepreneurship Awards: <https://www.oen.org/programs-services/oen-entrepreneurship-awards/>  
Excellence in Family Business Awards: <https://business.oregonstate.edu/faculty-and-research/centers-strategic-initiatives/center-family-enterprise/education/excellence-family-business-awards>  
Ethics in Business Awards: <https://rotarypdx.org/oregon-ethics.php>  
Business Awards: <https://www.oregonbusiness.com/100best>  
Women of Influence Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/portland/women-of-influence>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/oregon/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/oregon/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://oregon.grantwatch.com/>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.oregon4biz.com/Coronavirus-Information/ESBA/>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-oregon/>  
Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-oregon/>

# Pennsylvania

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/pa>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/pennsylvania/>

Department of Revenue Incentives:

<https://www.revenue.pa.gov/GeneralTaxInformation/IncentivesCreditsPrograms/Pages/default.aspx>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/pennsylvania>

Financial Incentives: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/pennsylvania/PA-Direct-Financial-Incentives-2014-251789.shtml>

Veteran Business Resources: <https://dced.pa.gov/paproudblog/veterans-day-9-business-resources-pennsylvanias-veterans/>

Women's Business Resources: <https://dced.pa.gov/paproudblog/6-resources-pa-women-owned-businesses-2021/>

## **Awards**

Business Awards: <https://dced.pa.gov/awards-rankings/>

Governor's Awards for Local Government Excellence: <https://dced.pa.gov/governors-awards-for-local-government-excellence/>

Excellence Awards: <https://chamberphl.com/signature-events/excellence-awards/>

40 Under 40 Awards: <https://www.cpbj.com/40-under-40-awards/>

Small Business Awards: <http://waynepikenews.com/small-businesses-awards-nominations-p3877-178.htm>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/pennsylvania/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/pennsylvania/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://pennsylvania.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Relief Grants: <https://dced.pa.gov/programs/covid-19-relief-statewide-small-business-assistance/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-pennsylvania/>

Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-pennsylvania/>

# Rhode Island

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ri>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/rhode-island/>

Economic Development Incentive Program: <https://blsstrategies.com/rhode-island>



New and Existing Business Incentives: <https://www.blumshapiro.com/insights/rhode-island-business-incentives-rhode-island-tax-credits-rhode-island-income-tax-rates-ri-corporate-tax-rates/>

Employment Incentives:

[http://www.employmentincentives.com/state\\_incentives/Rhode\\_Island/ri\\_tax\\_incentives.htm](http://www.employmentincentives.com/state_incentives/Rhode_Island/ri_tax_incentives.htm)

Veteran Owned Business Certifications:

<https://www.veteranownedbusiness.com/rhodeisland/veteran-owned-businesses-sdvosb-certifications-rhodeisland.php>

Women Owned Business Resources: <https://www.cweonline.org/About-CWE/CWE-Rhode-Island>

## **Awards**

Business Excellence Awards: <https://pbn.com/events/2020-business-excellence-awards/>

Small Business Awards: <https://www.sba.gov/about-sba/sba-newsroom/press-releases-media-advisories/sba-announces-2020-rhode-island-small-business-week-awardees>

PBN Awards: <https://pbn.com/category/people/pbn-award-winners/>

2021 Business Women Awards: <https://pbn.com/events/2021-business-women-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/rhode-island/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/rhode-island/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://rhodeisland.grantwatch.com/>

RI Grant Program: <https://commerceri.com/about-us/restore-ri/>

COVID-19 Grants for Small Businesses: <https://commerceri.com/business-funding-covid-19/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-rhode-island/>

Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-rhode-island/>

# South Carolina

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/sc>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/south-carolina/>

Business Incentives: <https://southerncarolina.org/business/incentives>

Tax Incentives: <https://www.upstatescalliance.com/site-selection/taxes-incentives/>

Department of Commerce Incentives: <https://www.sccommerce.com/incentives>

Verteran Business Programs: <https://www.scsbdc.com/vets>

Minority, Women, and Veteran Owned Business Resources:  
<https://scbos.sc.gov/minoritywomenvet>

## **Awards**

Chamber of Commerce Awards: <https://www.scchamber.net/events/awards-and-recognition>

Smart Business Awards: <https://scdhec.gov/environment/recycling-waste-reduction/smart-business-recycling-program/smart-business-awards>

Fastest Growing Business Awards:

<http://www.greenvillebusinessmag.com/2020/11/06/334623/s-c-25-fastest-growing-special-awards>

Business Awards:

<https://scbusinessawards.com/#:~:text=The%20South%20Carolina%20Business%20Awards,th e%20economy%20of%20our%20state.>

Business and Professional Women Awards: <https://www.bpwsc.com/awards1>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/south-carolina/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/south-carolina/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://southcarolina.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-south-carolina/>

Veteran Grant Award: <https://charlestonsc.score.org/invest-in-vets>

Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-south-carolina/#:~:text=Temporary%20Assistance%20for%20Needy%20Families,transportation%2C%20food%2C%20and%20more.>

# **South Dakota**

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/sd>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/south-dakota/>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/south-dakota>

Financial Incentives: <https://sdgoed.com/financing-incentives/>

Tax Incentives:

[http://www.employmentincentives.com/state\\_incentives/documents/South\\_Dakota/Incentives.pdf](http://www.employmentincentives.com/state_incentives/documents/South_Dakota/Incentives.pdf)

Veterans Small Business Certification Programs:

<https://www.veteranownedbusiness.com/southdakota/veteran-owned-businesses-sdvosb-certifications-southdakota.php>

## **Awards**

Family Business Awards: <https://fambus.org/events/awards/>

Small Business Awards: <https://www.siouxfalls.business/sba-honors-small-business-winners/>

Business Excellence Awards:

<https://sdchamber.biz/newslettersreports/venturecapitol/may2009/abexawardsinbusinessexcellencewinnersannounced/>

25 Top Women in Business: <https://www.mitchellrepublic.com/business/4986221-Prairie-Business-Magazine-announces-its-25-Top-Women-in-Business-for-2020>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/south-dakota/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/south-dakota/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://southdakota.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants: <https://covid.sd.gov/smallbusiness-healthcare-grants.aspx>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-south-dakota/>

Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-south-dakota/>

# Tennessee

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/tn>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/tennessee/>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/tennessee>

Tax Incentives: <https://www.tn.gov/revenue/for-businesses/tax-incentives.html>

State of Tennessee Programs: <http://www.growth-engine.org/business-assistance/state-of-tennessee/>

Veterans Business Resources: <https://www.tn.gov/veteran/veteran-employment/business-resources.html>

Women's Business Resources: <https://startupsavant.com/womens-business-resources-tennessee>

## **Awards**

Best in Business Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/nashville/news/2019/12/18/announcing-the-2020-best-in-business-awards.html>

Pinnacle Business Awards: <https://www.knoxvillechamber.com/pinnacle/>

Family Business Awards: <https://www.tnlegacy.com/whats-happening/family-business-awards/>

Business Awards: <https://tnecd.com/media/awards/>

Small Business Awards: <https://www.teknovention.biz/sba-announces-tennessee-small-business-award-winners-2019/>

Women of Influence Awards:

<https://www.bizjournals.com/nashville/news/2021/02/17/announcing-the-2021-women-of-influence.html>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/tennessee/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/tennessee/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://tennessee.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.tn.gov/ecd/covid-19-small-business-resources.html>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/free-grant-tips-tennessee/>

Veterans Grants: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-tennessee/>

# Texas

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/tx>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/texas/>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://gov.texas.gov/business/page/incentives>

Tax Incentives: <https://businessintexas.com/why-texas/taxes-incentives/>

Business Incentives and Programs: <https://www.midlandtxedc.com/business-and-economy/local-incentives/p/item/93/texas-business-incentives-and-programs-overview>

Women's Initiative: <https://diversity.utexas.edu/innovation/programs/womens-initiative-for-entrepreneurship-and-leadership-development/>

Veteran, Minority, & Women Owned Business Resources:

<https://gov.texas.gov/business/page/veteran-minority-women-resources>

## **Awards**

Business Excellence Awards: <https://txconsilium.org/2020-business-excellence-awards-nominations>

Treasure Business Awards: <https://www.thc.texas.gov/preserve/projects-and-programs/texas-treasure-business-award>

Ethics in Business Awards: <https://recognizegood.org/programs/ethics-in-business/>

Texas Business Hall of Fame Awards: <https://texasbusiness.org/award-recipient/>

Women's Way Business Awards: <https://atxwoman.com/womans-way/>

Veterans Employment Awards: <https://www.tvc.texas.gov/employment-services-awards/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/texas/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/texas/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://texas.grantwatch.com/>

Business Expansion Grants: <https://www.twc.texas.gov/businesses/start-expand-your-business>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-texas/>

Grants for Veterans: <https://texas.grantwatch.com/cat/38/veterans-grants.html>

# Utah

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/ut>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/utah/>

Corporate Recruitment Incentives: <https://business.utah.gov/programs-initiatives/corporate-recruitment-incentives/>

Economic Development Incentive Program: <https://blstrategies.com/utah>

Financial Incentives: <https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/utah/UT-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>

Women's Business Programs: <https://wbcutah.org/>

Veteran's Business Programs: <https://veterans.utah.gov/covid-19-business-resources/>

## **Awards**

Sustainability Awards: <https://www.utahbusiness.com/2020-green-business-awards/>

Small Business Awards: <https://slchamber.com/salt-lake-chamber-announces-small-business-award-winners/>

Innovation Awards: <https://www.utahinnovationawards.com/>

Utah District Award Winners: <https://www.sba.gov/offices/district/ut/salt-lake-city/resources/utah-district-award-winners>

Business Women of the Year: <https://www.utahbusiness.com/women-of-the-year-2019/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/utah/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/utah/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://utah.grantwatch.com/>

Impacted Business Grants: <https://business.utah.gov/utah-covid-19-impacted-businesses-grant-program/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-utah/>

Grants for Veterans: <https://utah.grantwatch.com/cat/38/veterans-grants.html>

# Vermont

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/vt>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/vermont/>

Agency of Commerce Incentives: <https://accd.vermont.gov/economic-development/funding-incentives>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/vermont>

State Incentives: <https://rutlandvt.business/incentives/state-statewide-incentives/>

Women's Business Programs:

[https://changethestoryvt.org/additional\\_resources\\_for\\_vt\\_female\\_entrepreneurs/](https://changethestoryvt.org/additional_resources_for_vt_female_entrepreneurs/)

Veteran-Owned Small Business Programs:

[https://www.dm.usda.gov/smallbus/service\\_dis\\_vet.htm](https://www.dm.usda.gov/smallbus/service_dis_vet.htm)

## **Awards**

Business Growth Awards: <http://events.vermontbiz.com/vbga/>  
Family Business Awards: [https://www.uvm.edu/business/family\\_business\\_awards](https://www.uvm.edu/business/family_business_awards)  
Best of Business Awards: <https://orleanscc.com/vermont-business-magazine-best-business-award-presented-orleans-country-club/>  
Outstanding Business of the Year Award: <https://www.vtchamber.com/deane-c-davis-outstanding-business-of-the-year-award.html>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/vermont/veteran-grants>  
Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/vermont/small-business-grants>  
Grant Watch: <https://vermont.grantwatch.com/>  
Business Grants: <https://accd.vermont.gov/economic-development/funding-incentives/vtp/business-grants>  
Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-vermont/>  
Veterans Grants: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-vermont/>

# Virginia

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/va>  
Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/virginia/>  
Business Incentives: <https://www.vedp.org/incentives>  
Economic Development Incentives Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/virginia>  
State Incentives: <https://www.yesvirginiabeach.com/Business-Environment/incentives/Pages/State-Incentives.aspx>  
Veteran Business Programs: <https://www.va.gov/osdbu/programs/>

## **Awards**

CFO Awards: <https://www.virginiabusiness.com/news/reports/virginia-cfo-awards/>  
Best Places to Work Awards: <https://www.virginiabusiness.com/article/2020-virginia-business-best-places-to-work-awards-luncheon/>  
Fantastic 50 Awards: <https://www.vachamber.com/2020/05/01/virginia-chamber-celebrates-25th-anniversary-of-fantastic-50-recognizing-small-fastest-growing-companies/>

Small Business of the Year Awards: <https://www.hrchamber.com/page/small-business-of-the-year/>

Women in Business Awards: <https://virginiamedia.events/women-in-business/>

Business Veteran of the Year Awards: <https://www.virginiasbdc.org/programs/veterans/>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/virginia/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/virginia/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://virginia.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grant: <https://www.sbsd.virginia.gov/virginia-small-business-financing-authority/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-virginia/>

# Washington

## **Programs**

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/wa>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/washington/>

Department of Revenue Incentives: <https://dor.wa.gov/taxes-rates/tax-incentives/incentive-programs>

Economic Development Incentives: <https://blsstrategies.com/washington>

Business Incentives: <https://www.tridec.org/business-incentives/>

Women-owned Business Programs: <https://www.sba.gov/business-guide/grow-your-business/women-owned-businesses>

Veterans-owned Business Programs: <https://www.sba.gov/business-guide/grow-your-business/veteran-owned-businesses>

## **Awards**

Excellence Awards: <https://www.awb.org/event/evening-of-excellence-gala/>



Diversity in Business Awards:

<https://www.bizjournals.com/washington/nomination/85512/2021/2021-diversity-in-business-awards>

Family Business Awards: <https://www.seattlebusinessmag.com/family-business-awards-0>

CFO Selection Awards: <https://www.cfoselections.com/about-us/awards>

Veterans in Business Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/washington/veterans-in-business-awards>

Women in Business Awards: <https://www.bizjournals.com/washington/women-who-mean-business>

## Grants

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/washington/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/washington/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://washington.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants: <http://startup.choosewashingtonstate.com/links/crisis/covid-19-resources/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-washington/>

Women-Owned Business Grants: <https://us.accion.org/resource/5-grants-women-owned-businesses/>

Veteran Grants: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-washington/>

## West Virginia

### Programs

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/wv>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/west-virginia/>

Business Incentives: <https://westvirginia.gov/wv-incentives/>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/west-virginia>

Direct Financial Incentives:

<https://www.areadevelopment.com/stateResources/westVirginia/WV-Direct-Financial-Incentives.shtml>

Veterans Benefits and Programs: <https://veterans.wv.gov/Benefits/Pages/default.aspx>

Women's Initiatives: <https://www.dinsmore.com/womens-initiative/>

Minority Business Programs: <https://minorityaffairs.wv.gov/Resources/Pages/default.aspx>

### Awards

Small Business Awards: <https://www.sba.gov/offices/district/wv/clarksburg/resources/sba-small-business-week-award-information>

Development Office Awards: <https://westvirginia.gov/governor-honors-26-west-virginia-businesses-exporting-to-new-markets/>

Business Hall of Fame Awards: <https://business.wvu.edu/alumni/business-hall-of-fame>

Small Business Week Awards:

<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USSBA/bulletins/29eb9fa>

Women-Owned Business Awards: <https://www.globenewswire.com/news-release/2020/09/17/2095567/0/en/West-Virginia-and-Massachusetts-Woman-Owned-Firms-Take-Top-Honors-in-Federal-Contracting.html>

<https://www.globenewswire.com/news-release/2020/09/17/2095567/0/en/West-Virginia-and-Massachusetts-Woman-Owned-Firms-Take-Top-Honors-in-Federal-Contracting.html>

## Grants

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/west-virginia/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/west-virginia/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://westvirginia.grantwatch.com/>

State Grants: <https://grants.wv.gov/en/flexible-page?pagelid=1424>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-west-virginia/>

Veteran Grants: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-west-virginia/>

Small Business Grants for Veterans: <https://www.nav.com/blog/10-small-business-grants-and-loans-for-veterans-29031/>

## Wisconsin

### Programs

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/wi>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/wisconsin/>

State and Local Incentives:

<https://www.wisconsinpublicservice.com/services/economic/incentives-local>

Tax Incentives for Businesses: <https://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/Businesses/Incentives.aspx>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/wisconsin>

Veterans Small Business Programs: <https://www.wwbic.com/veterans/>

Women's Business Initiatives:

<https://www.wwbic.com/#:~:text=Wisconsin%20Women's%20Business%20Initiative%20Corporation,on%2Done%20technical%20business%20assistance.>

### Awards

Family Business Awards: <https://familybusinessaward.com/>

Business Achievement Award: <https://www.wmc.org/wisconsin-business-achievement-award/>

Business Excellence Awards: <https://www.marketplacewisconsin.com/awards/>

Sustainable Business Awards: <https://www.wisconsinsustainability.com/awards>

Manufacturer of the Year Awards: <https://www.wimoty.com/>

Veteran Business Awards: <https://urbanmilwaukee.com/pressrelease/wisconsin-veterans-chamber-announces-veteran-business-award-winners/>

## Grants

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/wisconsin/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/wisconsin/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://wisconsin.grantwatch.com/>

Small Business Grants: <https://wisconsinsbdc.org/services/covid-19/>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-wisconsin/>

Veterans Affairs Grants: <https://dva.wi.gov/Pages/benefitsClaims/Financial-Grants.aspx>

# Wyoming

## Programs

Clean Energy Initiatives: <https://programs.dsireusa.org/system/program/wy>

Business Facilities: <https://businessfacilities.com/site-selection-directory/wyoming/>

Economic Development Incentive Programs: <https://blsstrategies.com/wyoming>

Energy Capital Incentives: <http://www.energycapitaled.com/doing-business-here/business-incentives/>

Tax Incentives:

[http://www.employmentincentives.com/state\\_incentives/Wyoming/wy\\_tax\\_incentives.htm](http://www.employmentincentives.com/state_incentives/Wyoming/wy_tax_incentives.htm)

Women's Business Programs: <https://startupsavant.com/womens-business-resources-wyoming>

Veterans Programs: <http://wyomingworkforce.org/businesses/employment/veterans/>

## Awards

Small Business Spirit Award: <https://www.sba.gov/offices/district/wy/casper/resources/small-business-spirit-wyoming-award-2019>

Small Business Week Awards: <https://www.wyomingsbdc.org/news/2020-small-business-week-award-winners-announced/>

Chamber of Commerce Awards: [https://www.thedailynewsonline.com/news/business/wyoming-county-chamber-of-commerce-announces-2020-award-winners/article\\_b222098f-3ba8-5970-89fa-8e1769325860.html](https://www.thedailynewsonline.com/news/business/wyoming-county-chamber-of-commerce-announces-2020-award-winners/article_b222098f-3ba8-5970-89fa-8e1769325860.html)

BBB Torch Awards: <https://www.uwyo.edu/ethics/bbb-torch-awards/>

Women of Influence Awards: <https://www.wyomingwomensnetwork.com/post/wyoming-women-of-influence-awards-2020>

## **Grants**

Veteran Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/wyoming/veteran-grants>

Small Business Grants: <https://www.usgrants.org/wyoming/small-business-grants>

Grant Watch: <https://wyoming.grantwatch.com/>

Grants Watch for Veterans: <https://wyoming.grantwatch.com/cat/38/veterans-grants.html>

Economic Development Agency Grants: <https://www.wyomingbusiness.org/brc>

Small Business Grants for Women: <https://ambergrantsforwomen.com/business-grants-women-wyoming/>

Grants for Veterans: <http://freegrantsforveterans.org/grants-for-veterans-in-wyoming/>