

# Small Business Incentives Application

#### **Business Information:**

- If the business is registered with the Kansas Secretary of State's Office, what is the registered name of the business?
- If the business operates under a DBA, what is the name of the DBA?
- Physical Address of the Business
- Mailing Address of the Business
- Phone Number
- Email (please use your preferred email address for communication regarding this application)
- Website
- Business Start Date or Projected Start Date
- Legal Structure of Business (check one)

Sole ProprietorPartnershipB-CorpS-CorpC-CorpOther

Limited Liability Company Limited Liability Partnership

- Number of 30+ hrs/week W-2 Employees (including owner)
- Number of Part-time W-2 Employees (including owner)
- Is the owner an employee, but not a W-2 employee?
  Yes No
- Check all that apply to the business: Women-Owned: Business is at least 51% women-owned

Minority-Owned: Business is at least 51% minority-owned

Veteran-Owned: Business is at least 51% veteran-owned

Disabled-Owned: Business is at least 51% disabled-owned

SBA 8(a)-Certified:

https://sba.gov/federal-contracting/contracting-assistance-programs/8a-business-development-program

- Type of Business
- NAICS Code (If uncertain, look up NAICS Code at www.naics.com/search/)
- Is the business located in Topeka or Shawnee County?

Yes No

• Are the business's customers/clients primarily located in Topeka or Shawnee County?

Yes No

- What percentage of the business's customers/clients are located in Shawnee County? (If you are starting a new business, what do you expect the percentage to be?)
- What percentage of the business's customers/clients are located outside of Shawnee County? (If you are starting a new business, what do you expect the percentage to be?)
- Is the business a for-profit entity? Yes No
- Is the business a home-based business?

Yes No

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• Is the business a franchise?

(If so, please submit a copy of your franchise agreement.)

Yes No

- Is this business currently closed to the public for any reason? Yes. If yes, explain. No
- Does the business conduct government-contracting? If yes, check all that apply:

City or County contracts State contracts Federal contracts No

• Does the business import goods/services?

Yes No

• Does the business export goods/services?

Yes No

• Does the business primarily generate its revenues from property rentals, interest, or other passive income sources that do not require material engagement of the business ownership or management team?

Yes No

• Is the business a multilevel marketing business?

Yes No

Is the business membership-based?

Yes. If yes, on what basis does it include or exclude members? No

• Is the business engaged in any illegal activities or sell products associated with illegal activities?

Yes No



## **Owner Information:**

- Name of Owner applying for incentive
- Physical Address
- Mailing Address
- Phone Number
- Email
- List the name and percent of ownership for all owners of this business:

• For each owner listed, list any other company in Shawnee County in which he/she is an owner.

• Has the company submitting this application received a Small Business Incentive from GO Topeka in the last three years?

Yes No



• Has the owner(s) of this company received a Small Business Incentive from GO Topeka for any other businesses they own in Shawnee County?

Yes No

• Are any of the owners of this business, currently incarcerated, on probation or on parole?

Yes No

• Is this business, or any of the owners, involved in a bankruptcy or insolvency proceedings?

Yes No

• Is this business, or any of the owners, involved in any pending lawsuits?

Yes No

## **Demographic Information:**

Check all that apply to the owner-applicant(s):

• Gender

Male	Female	Prefer not to respond
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• Race/Ethnicity

American Indian or Alaskan Native	Asian	Black or African American
Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	White	Spanish, Hispanic or Latino
Prefer not to respond		
Military Status		

- Active Military Veteran Non-veteran Prefer not to respond
- Disability Status

Disabled Not-disabled Prefer not to respond



## **Proposal Information:**

For which incentive(s) are you applying?

Marketing

Equipment

Construction and Renovation

Architect & Design

Professional Services or Consultancy Directly Related to Commercialization

Global Markets Matching Grant

Proof of Concept (POC) Matching Grant

Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Grant Writing Assistance

Small Business Innovation Research/Small Business Technology Transfer (SBIR/STTR) Matching Grant

Please note that specific requests might require additional information, documentation and/or business site visits. Approved proposals will need to follow the plan submitted and provide documentation of payments on completed reimbursement request form before reimbursement incentives are disbursed. As part of our program management, we will request that approved applicants provide us with a brief monthly progress report while the project is underway. Any changes to proposals should be kept to a minimum and must be approved in writing in advance of usage of funds. Approval may be withdrawn if projects change in intent, scope or timeline in a way that is inconsistent with the purpose of the incentive program or change from the project proposed and reviewed by the Small Business Incentive Review Committee. We will also request that you fill out an annual survey to enable us to evaluate program performance.

By submitting this application, I certify that the information I have provided is correct to the best of my knowledge and ability and agree to the terms of the Small Business Incentive Program.

Electronic Signature:

Date:

