



SMALL BUSINESS GRANT PROGRAM

Kane County is offering grants to eligible small businesses to help cover COVID-19-related expenses. Up to \$20,000 is available under the program, and expenses such as occupancy and utility costs, PPE, cleaning/disinfecting services, minor physical modifications to achieve social distancing standards, and equipment/supplies necessary to enable employees to work remotely are eligible for reimbursement.

Where do I apply?

Application materials, including instructions and required forms, are available on the county's Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) webpage (<https://www.countyofkane.org/crf>). Follow the QR code below to go directly to the page.

When are applications due?

The county has established an initial deadline of **Friday, October 2nd at 5:00 pm**. All applications and supporting documents must be submitted via the county's website.

When is the application webinar?

A special Zoom webinar for prospective small business applicants will be held on **Friday, September 18th at 10:00 am**. A link is available on the county's CRF webpage. Applicants will be able to submit questions during the webinar, and a recording of the session will be uploaded to the county's website for those who would like to view it later.

What if I have still have questions?

Email them to CRF@co.kane.il.us and we will respond as quickly as possible.

The Small Business Grant Program is a special initiative of the Kane County Board to alleviate the impact of COVID-19. It is supported by an allocation of federal funds from the U.S. Treasury under the CARES Act. All applications will be reviewed for compliance with applicable Federal guidelines. Expenses reimbursed under other COVID-19-related assistance programs are ineligible for this program.

