

Economic Disaster Assistance Loan (EDAL)



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In response to the impact of the Coronavirus (COVID-19), administered through the Economic Development Authority, The City of Norfolk Department of Economic Development is offering a loan product to offset foreign supply chain disruptions to existing businesses in the City of Norfolk.

This Loan product is a solution for companies that are being impacted by inventory and foreign supply chain disruptions and are in jeopardy of ceasing business operations.



Economic Disaster Assistance Loan Guidelines

Eligibility:

Disaster Assistance Loans (or working capital loans) are available to small, for profit businesses physically located in the City of Norfolk. For profit organizational structure types include:

- Sole Proprietorships
- General Partnerships
- Limited Partnerships (LP)
- Limited Liability Partnerships (LLP)
- Corporations (Inc., Corp.)
- Limited Liability Companies (LLC)



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Ineligible entities or organizational types:

- Franchises
- Not-for-profit
- Faith-based organizations and Political Organizations
- Adult bookstores, adult video shops, other adult entertainment facilities, gambling facilities,
 blood or plasma donor centers, massage parlors, pawn shops, or tanning salons
- Business owners who are employees of the City of Norfolk, elected or appointed officials or
 officers of the City of Norfolk, employees or board members of the City of Norfolk Economic
 Development Authority are not eligible to apply to the Program

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Additional eligibility:

• Business and owner must be in good standing with the City of Norfolk, State of Virginia and Internal Revenue Service.

 No outstanding violations or citations with the City of Norfolk within one year of application.

 Business must be formed or incorporated with approved City of Norfolk business license before application is submitted.

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Additional eligibility continued:

 Norfolk businesses who export goods domestically(outside of region) or internationally and have experienced a significant decline in revenues or working capital.

• Company will need to show proof of a significant decline in sales from prior periods. Business must have suffered working capital losses due to the declared disaster, not due to a downturn in the economy or other reasons.



Economic Disaster Assistance Loan Guidelines

What is the criteria for a loan approval?

- Repayment Must be determined that the business has the ability to repay the loan.
- <u>Credit History</u>-Applicants must show previous positive pay history.
- <u>Final Approval-</u> The City of Norfolk Economic Development Authority Board of Directors must approve all loan request.



Economic Disaster Assistance Loan Terms

How much can I borrow?

- Loan amounts range from \$10,000 \$35,000.
- The interest rates are based on the six-month Libor Rate plus 2%.
 Approximately 2.77%
- Terms range from 3-5 years. Flexible amortization schedules are available.

How can I use the loan funds?

These working capital loans may be used to pay fixed debts, payroll, accounts payable, and other bills that could have been paid had the disaster not occurred. The loans are not intended to replace lost sales or profits or for expansion.



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What are the collateral requirements?

 Economic Disaster Loans do not require collateral.

 Personal Guarantee maybe required on certain loans.



Required Documentation

- Completed Online Application
- Personal Financial Statement
- Business Debt Schedule
- Most recent personal federal tax return
- Most recent business returns (if applicable)
- Articles of Incorporation and City of Norfolk Business License

- 2019 monthly profit & loss statement
- Current year to date profit and loss statement
- Signed Freedom of Information Act Disclosure/ Terms and Conditions
- Other related documents (if needed)



Economic Disaster Assistance Loan Application Information

There is no cost to apply.

• There is no obligation to take the loan if offered.

 Applicants will be asked if they have current working capital line(s) and/or business interruption insurance.



Selection Process

• Businesses will be analyzed on a first come first serve basis based on a completed submitted application.

 Administration will analyze previous financial statements to determine loan amount and term

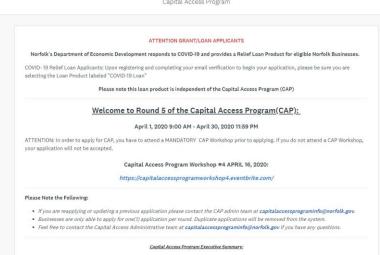
• EDA board approval is required for the Disaster Assistance Loan.



Application Details

- Application will be accepted starting: Monday, March 23rd
- Processing can take up to 30 days
- Applications will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis
- Incomplete Applications will not be considered





Online Application Link

https://capitalaccessprogram.smapply.co/prog/city of norfolk economic disaster assistance loan /



City of Norfolk Economic Disaster Assistance Loan

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Required Documentation:

- Financials:
 - o 2019 monthly profit & loss statement
 - · Current year to date profit and loss statement
- Complete copy, including all schedules, of the most recent personal and business (if applicable), Federal income tax return for each principal owning 20% percent or more
- · Business Debt Schedule
- · Personal Financial Statement of each principal owning 20% or more
- · Other Information may be requested

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For more information, please contact the Norfolk Department of Economic Development at 757-664-4338 and visit our website Norfolkdevelopment.com.

Value

\$10,000.00 to \$35,000.00

CHECK ELIGIBILITY

Open to

Organizations and individual applicants can apply.

Opens

Mar 19 2020 09:00 AM (EDT)

Deadline

Jun 1 2020 11:59 PM (EDT)

Click "Check Eligibility"

Step 1

- Register as an "Individual" if you are a sole proprietorship.
- Register as an "Organization" for all other types or for-profit organizational structures

Step 2

- Create Username & Password
- You will receive an email to verify your email address to submit a completed application

Note – For a business who has applied for the Capital Access Program in the past, please use your existing log in credentials.



Register for an applicant account

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- Click to send link to your email address
- Follow verification instructions in email

Send verification link

A Your email address has not been verified!

You will not be able to submit applications or complete certain tasks until you have verified your email address

To get started, fill out your eligibility profile

Fill out eligibility profile

• Click to begin eligibility profile questions



Eligibility Quiz

| Are you a franchise, non-profit, faith based, or political organization? |
|--|
| O Yes |
| ○ No |
| |
| Is your business an adult bookstore, adult video shop, adult entertainment facility, a gambling facility, a blood or plasma donor center, a massage parlor, a pawn shop, or a tanning salon? |
| ● Yes |
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| Clear |
| |
| Do you have any outstanding violations or citations with the City of Norfolk within the past year? |
| ○ Yes |
| ○ No |
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| Have you filed your federal and state personal and business tax returns (if applicable) for the past two years? |
| O Yes |
| ○ No |
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| Is your business currently formed or incorporated in the City of Norfolk? |
| O Yes |
| O No |
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| Have you attended the Mandatory CAP Workshop and received your certificate of completion to upload within this application? |
| O Yes |
| © No |
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 Businesses must complete and pass the "Eligibility Quiz"



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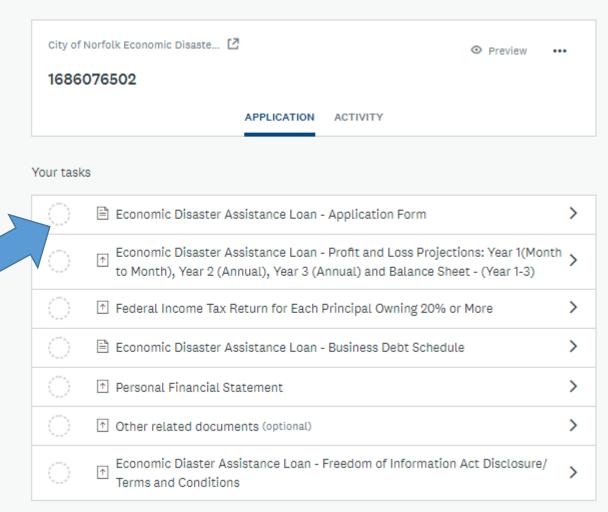
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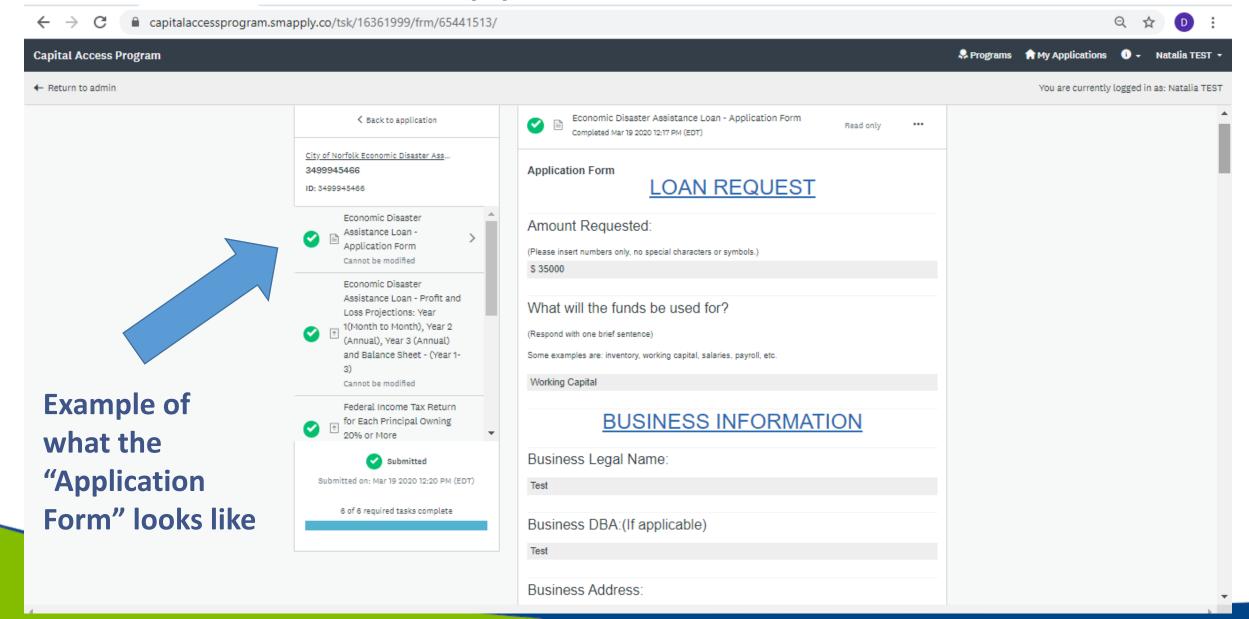
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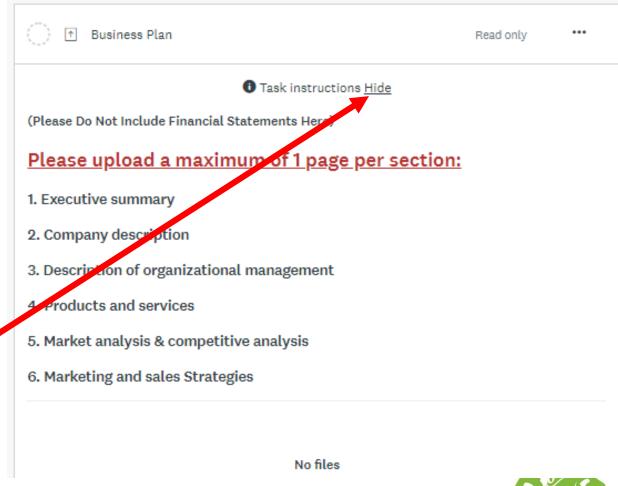


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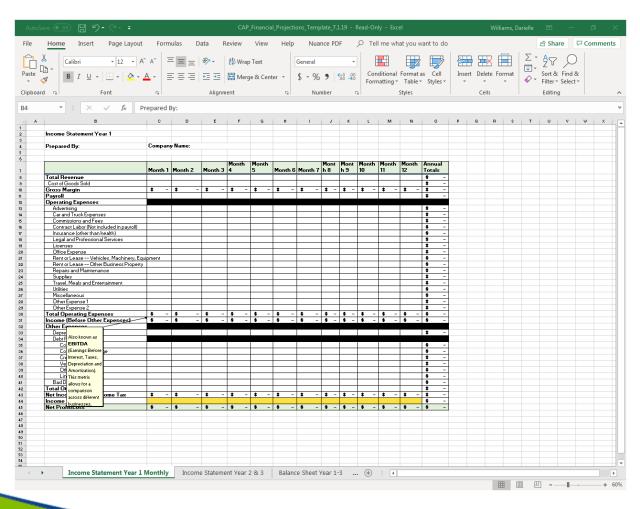


Application Instructions

- Please be sure to read <u>ALL</u> instructions within the application
- Most questions have directions for clarity
- Expand all instruction tabs,
 especially those that are uploads
- We recommend you download our templates for ease and efficeincy



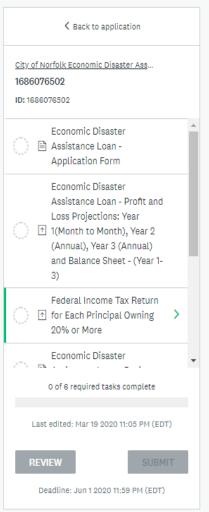
Financial Statements

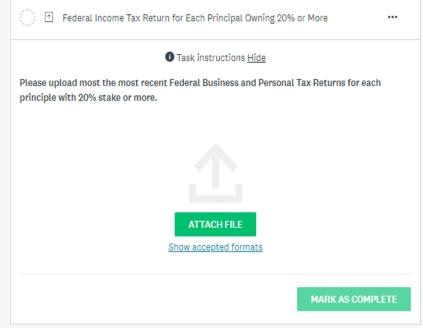


- 2019 monthly profit & loss statement
- Current year to date profit and loss statement
- A template is provided within online application
- However, applicants can upload their own statements



Federal Income Tax Return



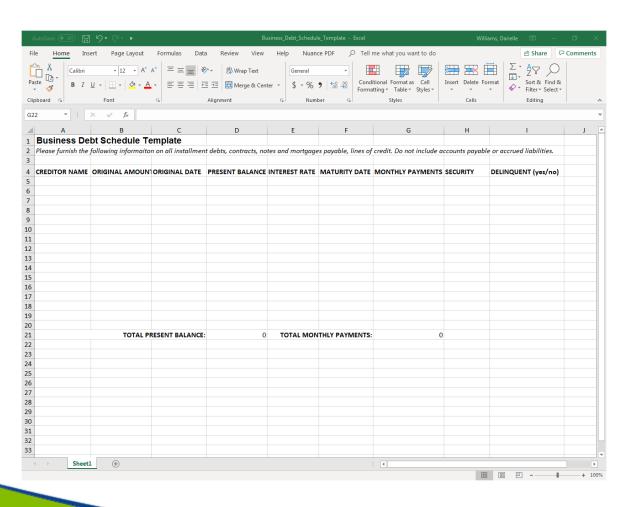


 If applicable, please upload most recent filed business return

 Each owner with 20% or more ownership must upload their personal tax return

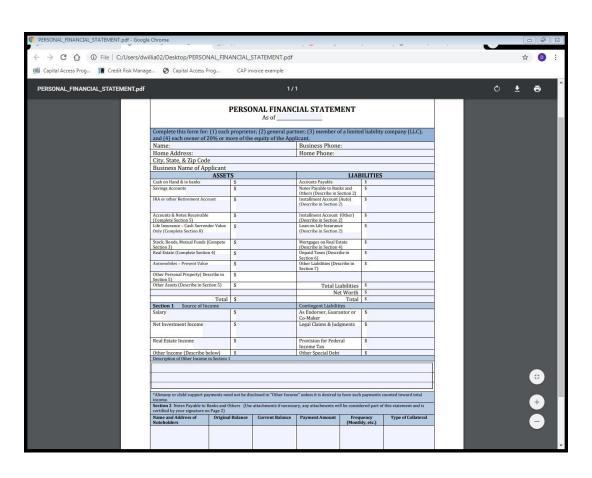


Business Debt Schedule



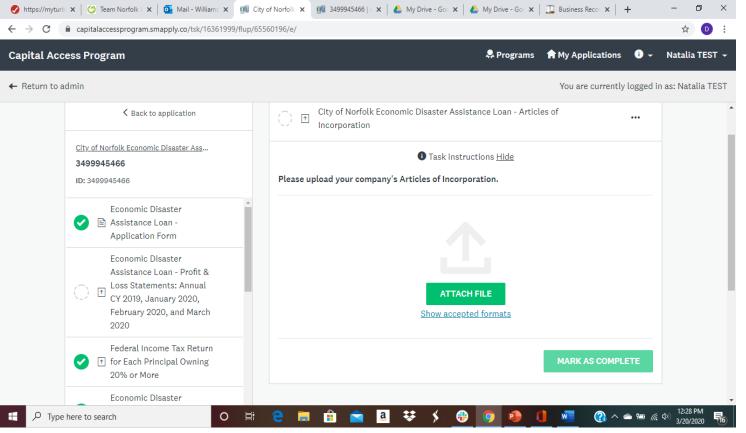
- Download
- Fill out
- Save
- Upload to Survey Monkey
- Mark as complete
- If you do not have any business debt, please put "N/A"
- Business may upload their own debt schedule

Personal Financial Statements



- Download
- Fill out
- Save
- Upload to Survey Monkey
- Mark as complete
- Or get a 6-month Financial Statement from your Primary Bank
 - Must be a 6-month F.S.
 - Upload and follow Steps above
 - Do NOT upload Bank Statements here

Business Organizational Documents



Articles of Incorporation

 City of Norfolk Business License



Signed Application

Freedom of Information Act Disclosure/Terms and Conditions

Terms and Conditions

This document must be printed, signed and uploaded for completion

I authorize the City to make inquiries as necessary to verify the accuracy of the statements made and to determine my creditworthiness.

I hereby authorize the release of any and all credit report and other information required in the processing of my application and as required during the term of my grant or loan.

I further authorize the City of Norfolk, Virginia and the Economic Development Authority of the City of Norfolk, Virginia and its successor to release such information to any entity as required in the processing of my application.

I hereby certify that the information provided in this application is true and correct and the enclosed information, including any attachments or exhibits provided here within or at a later date, is valid and accurate to the best of my knowledge. These statements are made for the purpose of obtaining a grant or a loan. I understand FALSE statements may result in forfeiture of benefits and possible prosecution.

This application does not obligate the City of Norfolk nor the Economic Development Authority of the City of Norfolk to make any grant or loan. The approval/denial decision will partly be based on the economic impact of the project on the City of Norfolk. This can but is not limited to job creation and benefit to low-moderate income residents.

By signing below the Applicant agrees to all of the foregoing.

| Company's Name: | Date: | |
|---|----------------------------------|--|
| Printed Name: | Title: | |
| Signature: | | |
| Social Security #: Tax ID #(If applicab | Tax ID <u>#</u> (If applicable): | |
| Personal Address: | ZIP: | |
| Business Address: | ZIP: | |

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