

A Big Way to Support Small Businesses

Economic Development Program Plus (EDP^{Plus}) Small Business Grants

According to the Small Business Administration, there are more than 28 million small businesses in the United States, and they employ more than half of the working population. When you consider that the likes of Apple, Costco, Intel, and Nike all started as traditional small businesses, you see the clear value of building enduring relationships with today's entrepreneurs. The Economic Development Program Plus (EDP^{Plus}) is a small business grant program from FHLB Dallas available to your institution to help nurture tomorrow's industry leaders.



How It Works

EDP^{Plus} is a first-come, first-served, noncompetitive, small-business grant program from FHLB Dallas designed to maximize the benefits of an associated EDP advance. EDP^{Plus} grants are intended to provide capital to small businesses located in under-served areas or among under-served populations.

Grant recipients must qualify as a small business as defined by the Small Business Administration, and applications must satisfy all FHLB Dallas EDP^{Plus} program requirements. Members can apply for a maximum of \$80,000 in EDP^{Plus} funds annually, of which a maximum of \$20,000 may be granted to a single small business to support:

- Start-up or development of a small business
- Purchase or construction of a building
- Enhancement or expansion of business facilities
- Procurement of machinery or equipment

Applications for EDP^{Plus} must be submitted by an FHLB Dallas member institution.

BENEFITS

- Helps you build and maintain relationships with small business owners
- Positions your institution to provide associated banking services
- Maximizes the benefits of FHLB Dallas EDP advance
- Features a simple application process and efficient program administration

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