



**Nemaha County  
SPARK  
Economic Development Grant Program**

GRANT PROGRAM FOR SMALL BUSINESSES IN NEMAHA COUNTY  
FUNDED THROUGH THE STATE OF KANSAS AND ADMINISTERED THROUGH THE NEMAHA COUNTY  
COMMISSION

<b>USES</b>	COVID-related expenses such as setup cost of remote work, additional sanitation, overtime due to COVID, support for economic hardship due to COVID (temporary closure, significant loss of revenue)										
<b>ELIGIBILITY</b> Employees < 50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Economic Hardship due to COVID-19</li> <li>Small Business, located in Nemaha County, ≥50% owned by Kansan</li> <li>Business must still be in operation</li> </ul>										
<b>Is this a loan?</b>	No, this is a grant which will not have to be paid back. This grant will be taxable.										
<b>AMOUNT</b>	<p>Minimum Award: \$320.00* Maximum Award: up to the amount of lost net income per eligible Business</p> <table style="width: 100%; text-align: center; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 25%;"><b>\$200</b></td> <td style="width: 10%;"></td> <td style="width: 25%;"><b>\$120*</b></td> <td style="width: 10%;"></td> <td style="width: 25%;"><b>\$60*</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td>per business</td> <td>+</td> <td>per full-time employee</td> <td>+</td> <td>per part-time employee</td> </tr> </table> <p>*: Employee \$ amount <b>can fluctuate up/down</b> depending on how many eligible Small Businesses apply for the program. The number of employees cannot exceed the number of Nemaha County assigned employees submitted to the State. 1099 Contractors will not be counted as employees.</p>	<b>\$200</b>		<b>\$120*</b>		<b>\$60*</b>	per business	+	per full-time employee	+	per part-time employee
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<b>ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS</b>	Business must sign the provided Memorandum of Agreement and attest that information submitted is correct and is in alignment with the approved uses identified above. Provide proof of business name and address, and W-9										
<b>APPLY</b>	<p>Request application: <a href="mailto:nemaha.spark.grant@gmail.com">nemaha.spark.grant@gmail.com</a></p> <p>Or in person: Seneca Area Chamber of Commerce (Kylee Luckeroth) Sabetha Chamber of Commerce (Gina Murchinson)</p>										
<b>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>	<p>For additional information regarding this program, as well as other programs and announcements that may be in effect, Visit: <a href="http://www.Seneca-Kansas.com/NmSparkGrant">www.Seneca-Kansas.com/NmSparkGrant</a> • Email: &gt;&gt;<a href="mailto:nemaha.spark.grant@gmail.com">nemaha.spark.grant@gmail.com</a>&lt;&lt; • Call: &gt;&gt; 785-336-1313 &lt;&lt;</p>										