

Complimentary County, State and Federal Small Business Resources Available to You Now

Business Advocacy, Site Selection, Business and Municipal Data, Grants/Loans/Incentives

Bergen County Division of Economic Development

Under the leadership of Bergen County Executive James Tedesco, and the Bergen County Board of Commissioners, the Division of Economic Development is the liaison between business and government connecting you to an array of programs and services that help enhance and expand your operations.

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Small Business Financing, Loans, Tax Credits and Technical Assistance

New Jersey Economic Development Authority (NJEDA)

The NJEDA has a long history of supporting businesses of all sizes to grow and invest in New Jersey. We offer a broad portfolio of economic development tools such as job-based tax credits, real estate and development tax credits, community development programs, main street technical assistance, innovation economy programs, clean energy programs, and low-interest business financing (including bonds, loan participations, loan guarantees and variable/fixed-rate loans).

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Trenton, New Jersey 08625

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Employment, Hiring, Training for Workers, Job Seekers, Employers

Bergen County Job Center

The Bergen County Job Center is a full-service employment and training center that offers a variety of services, free-of-charge, for workers, job seekers and employers - including expanded virtual services.

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Financing, Training, Consulting for Business Owners and Entrepreneurs

New Jersey Small Business Development Center (SBDC)

The New Jersey Small Business Development Centers' network is committed to guiding established small business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs to create and expand their business enterprises that will, in turn, result in sustainable growth, job creation and statewide economic development and prosperity. You can register for no cost services online.

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Mahwah, NJ 07430
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Mentoring, Training, Counseling for Business Owners and Entrepreneurs

SCORE Northeast New Jersey

Free business counseling, mentoring and workshops from a top-notch volunteer team of experienced business mentors and advisors assisting small business owners and entrepreneurs that want to start or grow a business.

One Bergen County Plaza, Room 5B
Hackensack, NJ 07601
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New Jersey Business Action Center

The New Jersey Business Action Center (NJBAC) is a business-first resource that can help you get answers from government agencies, direct you to appropriate officials or contacts, facilitate meetings and follow-ups with regulatory agencies and so much more, all at no cost and strictly confidential.

Whether you are an entrepreneur, own a business on “Main Street”, are located on a corporate campus, or interested in expanding your products and services through export, we’re here for you. We are a business advocacy team within the New Jersey Department of State, dedicated to solving problems and maximizing growth opportunities.

The NJBAC be reached via our Business Helpline at 1-800-JERSEY-7 and through the live chat feature of Business.NJ.gov

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