



West Virginia Chamber Foundation Mini-Grant Application

*The West Virginia Chamber Foundation is offering **Mini-Grants to Small Businesses** in the flood affected counties of Lewis, Upshur, Randolph and Barbour. These grants will be provided to small West Virginia businesses that demonstrate the need for financial assistance for recovery from the impact of this flood. Donation information can be found at the bottom of this page. Thank you in advance for your support of our West Virginia businesses.*

The Need

The flood event of July 2026 had a devastating effect on numerous communities throughout West Virginia. This devastation included many small businesses located in flood-impacted communities. These Mini-Grants will be awarded to small businesses to assist them in putting people back to work, restoring their services, and reopening their doors to the public.

How Does It Work?

Through a simple one-page application, businesses affected by the historic flooding can apply for mini-grants to get back in business. Initial grants of \$500 will be offered. The review committee will assess applications and you will be notified of your award after the review period. Mini-Grants can be used for any legal purpose that assists these small businesses in their rebuilding or reopening efforts, including payment of utilities, payroll, operating expenses, etc.

All grant recipients are expected to report on the expenditure of grant funds and the results of the supported project.

Who Can Apply?

Any business directly affected by the floods in Lewis, Upshur, Randolph and Barbour Counties.

Instructions

Grant applications may be mailed or e-mailed. Financial donations may also be mailed or processed electronically by reaching out to: Elizabeth House or Andrea Oxley at the following:
ehouse@wvchamber.com or aoxley@wvchamber.com or mailed to:

***The West Virginia Chamber Foundation
c/o Elizabeth House
1624 Kanawha Boulevard East
Charleston, WV 25311***

You will be notified if your request for assistance has been approved and the amount of any grant award. If you have any questions, please call the West Virginia Chamber Foundation at 304.342.1115, or email ehouse@wvchamber.com

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The West Virginia Chamber Foundation
Mini-Grants for Small Businesses
Application Form

Business Information

Business Name: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ County: _____ Zip: _____

Business Owner's Name: _____ Email: _____

FEIN: _____

Project Information

Amount Requested: \$ _____ Number of Employees Affected: _____

Brief Description of Need: *Please include a brief summary of your business' recovery needs and how fulfilling these needs will get you and your employees back to work. If you are asking for specific supplies or equipment, please include a request of a brief summary of items needed and expenses.*

Please Outline Your Budget for the intended use of the funds: