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Mississippi Small Business Resource List

The Pontotoc Chamber of Commerce / Main Street Association is committed to connecting businesses with the resources needed to be successful during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond. This resource list is compiled in collaboration with M Partner, an initiative of the McLean Institute for Public Service and Community Engagement at the University of Mississippi. The organizations below represent a range of expertise and services available to business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs in Mississippi.

To schedule an appointment with business counselors through the Mississippi Small Business Development Center call **(800) 725-7232**. Counselors at MSBDC can offer guidance on a range of topics, and also make referrals to the organizations below.

Mississippi Small Business Development Center


 (800) 725-7232

 [https://clients.mssbdc.org/reg.aspx?
mode=counsel¢er=47001&subloc=0](https://clients.mssbdc.org/reg.aspx?mode=counsel¢er=47001&subloc=0)



The Entrepreneurial and Innovation Center at Mississippi Development Authority

Access point to: Technology intensive economic development, university research, minority business assistance and certification, state and federal incentive programs, community development and asset management

 (601) 359-2493 / (601) 359-2399

 mississippi.org/services/entrepreneurs



Mississippi Main Street Association

Expertise: Economic Vitality, Design, Promotion, and Organization

 (601) 339-2042 ext. 1  www.msmainstreet.com



First Choice Bank

Expertise: PPP loans and SBA loans

 (662) 489-1631  www.firstchoice.bank



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Mississippi Secretary of State

Expertise: Process the formation of Mississippi corporations, limited liability companies, limited partnerships, and other business, non-profit entities, etc.

 (601) 359-1633


 *Mississippi Boss:* www.ms.gov/sos/onestopshop

Y'all Business: www.yallbusiness.sos.ms.gov/Home



Minority PUL Alliance

Expertise: Advocate for women and minority-owned businesses and promote job creation, entrepreneurship and access to capital


 (662) 489-1631

 minoritypulalliance.org



Three Rivers Planning and Development District

Expertise: Fosters responsible short- and long-term regional planning and aids communities with general civic, social, and economic development. The Economic Development Administration recently awarded the Three Rivers loan department with CARES Act funding for the purpose of supporting businesses through the COVID-19 pandemic with low-interest loans.


 (662) 489-2415


 www.trpdd.com



SCORE

Expertise: Mentoring, business counseling, and workshops that address a range of business-related topics


 (601) 589-0949

 <https://www.score.org/>



The Office of U.S. Representative Trent Kelly

Expertise: Constituent services, contacting federal agencies

 (202)-225-4306

 trentkelly.house.gov



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