

CALIFORNIA VENUES GRANT PROGRAM

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The California Venues Grant Program is administered by CalOSBA through its intermediary, Lendistry, and partners of mission-based lenders and small business advisory and technical assistance providers. The Program provides competitive grants up to \$250,000 to support eligible independent live events venues that have been affected by COVID-19 in order to support their continued operation.

Applications were accepted October 29, 2021 through December 7, 2021.

For application eligibility and selection criteria, visit CAVenuesGrant.com.

Data updates can found online at business.ca.gov/about/publications



The California Office of the Small Business Advocate (CalOSBA) supports economic growth and innovation and *ensures that ALL California small businesses and innovative startups have the information, resources and direct support* they need to better navigate resources, programs and regulations. CalOSBA serves as the voice of small business, representing their views and interests across the state and advocating for equitable access to capital, markets, and networks so that all California small businesses successfully start, manage, grow and become more resilient.



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Preliminary Data Based on Selected Applications as of 12/16/2021

SELECTED APPLICANTS BY NAICS*

711211 - Sports Teams and Clubs - 0.0%

711310 - Promoters of Performing Arts, Sports, and Similar Events w/ Facilities - 44.8%

711320 - Promoters of Performing Arts, Sports, and Similar Events w/o Facilities - 19.1%

722410 - Drinking Places (Alcoholic Beverages) - 26.6%

722511 - Full Service Restaurants - 9.5%

SELECTED APPLICANTS BY DEMOGRAPHICS*

LMI - 100.0%

Rural - 95%

Women-Owned - 18.6%

Veteran-Owned - 4.9%

** Total awards are pending finalization and completed payment which occurs on a rolling basis; and these estimates are based on selected applications to date. Demographic and industry data is for for-profits only.*



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