

HELP Grants

Assistance for Tenants and Landlords

Own a restaurant, bar, or live entertainment venue and need financial help? COVID-19 has affected the entire economy, and few industries have been impacted as much as hospitality. Is your restaurant, live entertainment venue, or bar struggling to afford its rent or mortgage? Our HELP Grants (**H**ospitality **E**stablishment **L**ifeline **P**ayment) might be able to help.



Is this grant program for my business?

You can get help paying your business's rent or mortgage if:

- You're an independent operator of a for-profit restaurant, bar, or live entertainment venue
- At least one of your business's owners lives in Indiana or parent company or restaurant group is in Marion County
- Your business is subject to Food and Beverage (FAB) taxes
- Your establishment was forced to shut down or operate at reduced capacity by state or local government because of a Public Health Order
- Your business is located in Marion County and was open prior to Feb. 15, 2020
- Your business has experienced 10% profit loss due to COVID-19

How much of my businesses' rent could be paid?

Grants are available for up to \$25,000, covering unpaid rent or mortgage payments (minus interest fees and penalties) from April 1 – September 30 and rent and mortgage payments from October 1 – December 31.

How can I apply for my business?

- Apply online at response.indychamber.com/HELPgrant
- Provide lease or mortgage information, including a signed copy of the agreement or mortgage record and proof of its payment for October 2020.
- The application will include information that the property owner will complete to be a co-applicant.
- You'll also provide a Business Entity Report or book of business, establishing the business as a Marion County business, and its Indiana Secretary of State Certified Articles of Incorporation.
- You must continue to operate your business at its current location (in accordance with local public health orders) for the grant period.



Questions? Email helpgrants@indychamber.com if you need more information. We're happy to help!

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Are you a landlord of a restaurant, bar, or live entertainment venue in financial trouble? COVID-19 has affected the entire economy, and few industries have been impacted as much as hospitality. If you own a building that houses a restaurant, live entertainment venue, or bar that is struggling to pay its rent or mortgage, the HELP Grants (Hospitality Establishment Lifeline Payment) might be able to help.



Is this program for the business in my building?

Your tenants can get help paying the rent or mortgage if:

- They're an independent operator of a for-profit restaurant, bar, or live entertainment venue
- At least one of the business's owners lives in Indiana or parent company or restaurant group is in Marion County
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- As property owner and recipient of the grant funds, the website will include information you need to be a co-applicant.
- The business will provide its lease or mortgage information, including a signed copy of the agreement or mortgage record and proof of its payment for October 2020
- The business must provide a copy of its Business Entity Report or a book of business, establishing it as a Marion County business, and its Indiana Secretary of State Certified Articles of Incorporation
- Your tenant must agree to continue to operate the business at its current location (in accordance with local public health orders) for the grant period



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