

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

**HUD OFFICE OF FAITH-BASED AND  
NEIGHBORHOOD PARTNERSHIPS**

**IMMEDIATE ATTENTION NEEDED!!!**



**HUD PARTNERSHIPS OFFICE  
“INFORMATION STATION”**

**NEWS**  
**COVID-19 UPDATE**

**PAYCHECK PROTECTION PLAN**

**NEWS:**

**A special two-week application window for businesses and non-profits with fewer than 20 employees, opens today, Wednesday, February 24, 2021 at 9am EST, through March 10, 2021.**

**The Paycheck Protection Program: Special Two-Week Window for Businesses and Non-Profits with Fewer than 20 Employees Begins today, February 24, 2021 through March 10, 2021**

For more information on the Paycheck Protection Program and **application instructions** click the link below:

<https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/paycheck-protection-program>

This special window will:

- Allow sole proprietors, independent contractors, and self-employed individuals to receive more financial support;
- Eliminate an exclusionary restriction on PPP access for small business owners with prior non-fraud felony convictions;
- Eliminate PPP access restrictions on small business owners who have struggled to make student loan payments by eliminating student loan debt delinquency as a disqualifier to participating in the PPP; and;
- Ensure access for non-citizen small business owners who are lawful U.S. residents by clarifying that they may use Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) to apply for the PPP.

**For more information click the link below:**

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**Additional information will be shared on HUD Partnerships Office “INFORMATION STATION”  
Interfaith Conference Call “Protecting Your Communities During COVID-19 held:**

**March 4, 2021, from 1:30 – 3:30 PM EST      Registration coming soon!!**