

## Business Resources:

- Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce: <https://lawrencecc.org/index.html>
- Southern Ohio APEX Accelerators formerly known as PTAC: <https://sopoc.org/index.html>
- Lawrence County Economic Development: <https://www.ledcorp.org/>
- Small Business Development Center of OSU South Centers, covers the following counties: Adams, Fayette, Gallia, Highland, Jackson, Lawrence, Pike, Ross, Scioto, Vinton: <https://southcenters.osu.edu/small-business>
- State of Ohio - <https://ohio.gov/business/resources/business-first-stop>

## Grant Resources:

- **Understanding Grants:**
  - <https://www.grants.gov/learn-grants/grant-terminology>
  - <https://www.grants.gov/learn-grants/grants-101/the-grant-lifecycle>
  - <https://www.grants.gov/learn-grants/grant-eligibility>
- **Website Directory for Grants (some free listings, pay walls).**
  - <https://www.grantwatch.com/cat/13/small-business-grants.html>
- **Tips for building relationships with Funders:**
  - <https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/leo/Folder2/tipsfordeveloprelations.pdf?rev=03ab9d806aae45df8a488f1cc5c6a002#:~:text=Call%20to%20find%20out%20what%20could%20have%20been%20improved.&text=Ask%20about%20a%20potential%20date%20to%20resubmit%20the%20proposal.&text=Continue%20to%20touch%20base%20with,it%20of%20your%20organization's%20milestones.&text=Do%20not%20give%20in%20to%20their%20potential%20requests%20to%20alter%20your%20focus.>
- **Links to some grant programs:**
  - <https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/business-programs>
  - <https://development.ohio.gov/business/minority-business/01-minority-business>
  - <https://grants.ohio.gov/funding-opportunities>
  - <https://www.jobsohio.com/programs-services/incentives/economic-development-grant>

## Loan Resources

- SBA Business Guide: <https://www.sba.gov/business-guide/grow-your-business>
- SBA LENDER MATCH - <https://catran.sba.gov/lendermatch/form/contact.cfm>

## Tax Resources

- IRS - <https://www.irs.gov/businesses>
- Ohio Department of Taxation: <https://tax.ohio.gov/business>

## Crowdfunding Resources

- Kickstarter: <https://www.kickstarter.com/>
- Kiva: <https://www.kiva.org/>

