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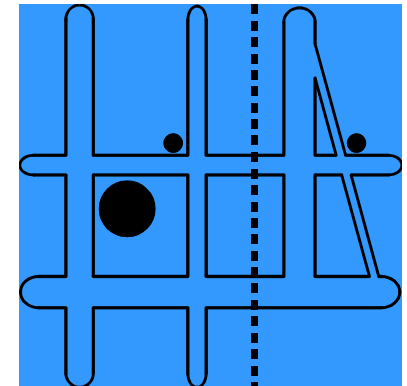
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Small Business

Incubator Program



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The ULSBRC Program (Urban League Small Business Resource Center) was created to support entrepreneurs in starting, managing and operating new business enterprises and provide jobs in distressed areas and disadvantaged communities. A three year program has been implemented by the Business Resource Center to incubate or assist small business owners in developing strong business practices. An entrepreneur may apply to the Business Resource Center and be evaluated for eligibility in the program. Upon entry, a business plan is required; however, the incubator director is available to assist the business owner in developing a business plan. Throughout the three year incubator period, the director will meet with the business owner(s) to review the business plan to determine the company's progress. Reviews will be scheduled by appointment, on a quarterly basis for the remainder of the program. The incubator is located at 106 West Palisade Avenue in the heart of downtown Englewood.

The ULSBRC staff is currently located on the lower level of 106 West Palisade Avenue. Our office provides administrative support, which includes an administrative assistant to answer the phones while the entrepreneur is not in the office, conference area facilities, mail box and technical assistance. The other services such as clerical, copier and fax area is charged on an as-needed basis for a small fee.

Our technical assistance includes counseling in developing and review of business plans, management, financial planning and assistance in marketing and/or advertising. We can also help our clients find resources for job training and low-interest business loans.

The Business Resource Center will be a three year program to incubate or assist small business owners in developing strong business practices and direct them on their path to independent business knowledge and experience.

MOVING FORWARD

We have brought to Bergen County additional office space and business training opportunities. The ULSBRC will work in partnership with neighborhood resource centers, Bergen Community College and other agencies and programs located in Bergen County.

The ULSBRC will be responsible for coordinating and providing entrepreneurial training. Based on our expertise in pulling in all the key players and making the necessary connections with our participants, this program promises success for all involved.

The purpose of the incubator program is to prepare new businesses for the demands of business realities, offering a wide variety of services to include:

Minimal rent

Shared office services such as fax, computers and secretarial services

Cooperative purchasing in the field of healthcare plans, business insurance, supplies and more

Workshops and training in the various and necessary managerial skills

On-site management consultation

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