

BUSINESS RESOURCES

North Versailles Township is dedicated to supporting the local small business community as they navigate the difficulties associated with owning and operating a small business. The following links and contacts have been made available to assist the local business community in a variety of ways :

1. [East Allegheny Business Association](#)
2. [SCORE](#)
Offers free business mentoring from retired business owners
411 7th Ave Suite 1450
Pittsburgh, Pa
3. [Allegheny County Office of Economic Development](#)
[Small Business Loan Program](#)
[Allegheny Target Industry Loan Program](#)
[Allegheny Recoverable Grant](#)
4. [Small Business Development Center](#) (412-648-1542)
230 S. Bouquet St, 1800 Wesley W. Posvar Hall
5. [Advancing Entrepreneurship in the Mon Valley](#)
6. [Information Technology Program](#)
7. [Greater Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce](#)
8. [Better Business Bureau of Western PA](#)
9. [United States Association for Small Business and Entrepreneurship](#)
10. [Business Owner's Toolkit](#)
11. [How to Prepare a Business Plan](#)
12. [Business Plan Software and Free Sample Plans](#)
13. [Business Plan Workshops](#)
14. [Carnegie Library Business Plan Index](#)
15. [The Family Business Consulting Group](#)
16. [Veterans Affairs' Center for Veteran Enterprise](#)
17. [The Federal Government Business Gateway](#)

18. [Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development](#)
19. [Tips for Applying for Business Loans](#)
20. [Getting Financing for Your Business Toolkit](#)
21. [Startup Financing and Community Banks](#)
22. [Franchising Basics](#)
23. [Directory of Top Franchise Opportunities](#)
24. [Franchise Opportunities](#)
25. [Regional Development Funding Corporation](#)
26. [Regional Industrial Development Corporation](#)
27. [Innovation Works](#)
28. [PA Dept. of Labor Employment Law Guide](#)
29. [How to Perform Market Research](#)
30. [Free Marketing Research Resources](#)
31. [Small Business Branding](#)
32. [E-Business Institute](#)
33. [Starting and Managing a Business](#)
34. [National Association of the Self-Employed](#)
35. [Venture Capital Open Directory](#)
36. [PA Entrepreneur's Guide 2015](#)