

YOUR GUIDE TO DETROIT'S BUSINESS SUPPORT NETWORK

The BizGrid features organizations that offer various support services to Detroit businesses. Its simple design enables you to find names and contact information for helpful organizations based on your business stage and needs. The BizGrid is available in two formats: an online directory & this printed infographic.

Online Directory

detroitbizgrid.com is an interactive tool that helps you map out a personalized course to find the organizations that can best assist you. Return to it as your needs change and grow. Detroit's community of support organizations is constantly expanding. The directory contains the most current and comprehensive list of resources.

BizGrid Buzz

Our newsletter and social media accounts are full of news and events from BizGrid partner organizations that will help support and grow your business. Sign up at: detroitbizgrid.com/buzz

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Idea, Startup, or Existing

Your business stage may determine what resources are available to you. We've identified service providers that help entrepreneurs develop an idea, launch a startup, or grow an existing business. Here is how we define the three business stages:



IDEA:

You have dreams of starting a business, but don't know where to start.



STARTUP:

Your business is 0 to 3 years old and in the early stages of growth.



EXISTING:

Your business is at least 3 years old and growing.



Si usted necesita ayuda con el BizGrid, envía un correo electrónico a Detroit Global a primary@globaldetroit.com.

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Legal, Licensing, and Permitting

The Legal, Licensing, and Permitting tab features organizations that offer legal support services for your small business. These services can guide you when you need help with

lease negotiations, zoning, getting licenses for your industry, forming an entity, preparing a contract, and drafting real estate documents, to name a few.

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
ACCESS Growth Center	/	/	
Building Safety Engineering and Environmental Department (BSEED)			
Center for Community Based Enterprise			/
Detroit Economic Growth Corporation (DEGC)			~
Detroit Health Department			
Detroit U.S. Export Assistance Center			
Eastern Market Corporation		/	
Midwest Regional U.S. Patent & Trademark Office	/	/	/
MSU Product Center Food, Ag, Bio	/	/	/
ProsperUS Detroit	1/	/	
Southwest Detroit Business Association			/
TechTown Detroit	/	/	/
Wayne State University Law School, Program for Entrepreneurship and Business Law			/

Research and Development

The Research and Development tab features organizations that can help you innovate, create, and improve your product. Use this tab

when you're ready to begin research on how to improve your product, make your product, and patent your product.

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
Center for Community Based Enterprise	~	/ /	/
Detroit Public Library	-		
Detroit SCORE	~	/ /	
Library Biz Connect	~		
Michigan eLibrary	-		
Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center			
Michigan Small Business Development Center	~		/
Midwest Regional U.S. Patent & Trademark Office	~		/
Mob Pitches	~		
MSU Product Center Food, Ag, Bio	~		/
NextEnergy			/
OMNICORPDETROIT			
Pure Michigan Business Connect			/
TechShop	<u> </u>		/
Techstars Mobility			
TechTown Detroit	~	/	/
The Iron Yard			
U.S. Small Business Administration	~	/ /	

The Workforce tab features organizations that connect you to people who can help you run your business. This tab is useful when you need guidance on finding employees and interns to hire.

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	I D E A	STARTUP	E X I S T I N G B U S I N E S S
ACCESS Growth Center	-	/	/
Center for Community Based Enterprise		/	/
Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation		/	/
Detroit Regional Chamber		/	/
Focus: HOPE		/	/
Goodwill Green W <mark>ork</mark> s, LLC		/	/
Goodwill Industries of Greater Detroit		/	/
Inforum		/	
Michigan Econom <mark>ic D</mark> evelo <mark>pme</mark> nt Corporation		/	
Michigan Women's Foundation	/	/	/
ProsperUS Detroit		/	/
SER Metro			/
TechStars Mobility		/	/
The Iron Yard		/	/

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Financial Management

The Financial Management tab features organizations that offer support in managing your business' finances. Learn how to budget, get help with filing taxes, manage your business credit, and set up a payroll system from these organizations. We all know that you need a strong idea of your finances in order to successfully run your small business. Use this tab early and often.

ORGANIZATION	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
ACCESS Growth Center			
Accounting Aid Society	/	/	
Center for Community Based Enterprise		/	
Detroit SCORE	/	/	
Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses			
LifeLine Business Consulting Services	/	/	/
Michigan Small Business Development Center	/	~	/

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
Michigan Women's Foundation			
New Detroit, Inc.	/		/
Opportunity Resource Fund			
ProsperUS Detroit		/	
TechStars Mobility		/	
TechTown Detroit		/	
U.S. Small Business Administration			

Funding

The Funding tab features organizations that can help you raise capital for your business. There are different types of financial resources including grants, loans, micro-loans, and crowd-funding resources. Financial resources vary by organization, and by stage. See the notes below to determine if you're ready for funding.

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
ACCESS Growth Center	/	/	/
Blackstone LaunchPad: Wayne State University	/	/	
Detroit Development Fund		/	/
Detroit Economic Growth Corporation (DEGC)		/	/
Detroit SOUP	/		
Eastern Market Corporation			/
Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses			/
Great Lakes WBC		/	/
Hatch Detroit		/	
Invest Detroit		/	/
Invest Michigan		/	
ioby	/		
Kiva.org	/	/	/
Local Initiatives Support Corporation		/	/

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
Michigan Economic Development Corporation			/
Michigan Women's Foundation	/	/	
Midtown Detroit, Inc.		/	
Motor City Match			/
NextEnergy			/
Opportunity Resource Fund		/	/
Patronicity			/
ProsperUS Detroit			/
Sidewalk Ventures		/	/
TechStars Mobility		/	
TechTown Detroit		/	/
U.S. Small Business Administration			/

Here are some things that you need to consider before you apply for funding:

- You have a business plan
- You have the proper licenses for your industry
- Your business has sales
- You know your credit score
- You have filed at least 3 years of personal or business taxes

- You understand your customer base
- You have a space for your business, with a signed lease, letter of intent, or deed
- You have cost estimates and understand the financial need for your project

The Space tab features organizations that connect you to real estate, co-working space, production space, and office space. This tab is useful when you're looking for a brick-and-mortar location, a place to make your product, or an affordable co-working space with office amenities.

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
ACCESS Growth Center	//	/	
An Office in Detroit		/	
Bamboo Detroit			
Detroit Creative Corridor Center (BC3)	/		
Detroit Economic Growth Corporation (BEGC)		%	V
Detroit Land Bank Authority		V	\
Detroit Public Library		V	
Detroit Regional Chamber			~
Eastern Market Corporation		/	
Entrepreneurs Hub	//	/	/
Focus: HOPE		1	/
FoodLab Detroit		/	
Grand Circus		/	
Grand River WorkPlace		/	
Grandmont Rosedale Development Corporation		/	/

ORGANIZATION	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
Green Garage		/	
Jefferson East, Inc.		/	/
LAND, Inc.			/
Live6 Alliance			/
MACC Development			/
Midtown Detroit, Inc.			\
Motor City Match		/	/
NextEnergy		/	
Osborn Neighborhood Alliance		/	
Ponyride	/	/	
Southwest Detroit Business Association			/
TechShop		/	
TechStars Mobility	/	/	
TechTown Detroit	/	/	
The Iron Yard			
Vanguard Community Development Corporation			/
Villages Community Development Corporation			/

Business Planning and Strategy

The Business Planning & Strategy tab features organizations that can help you lay the foundation for your business. Every entrepreneur needs a strategy to start their business and keep it growing! Whether you're an entrepreneur with an idea, a startup, or an established business looking to refine your strategy, this tab is for everyone.

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	E X I S T I N G B U S I N E S S
ACCESS Growth Center	/	/	/
Blackstone LaunchPad: Wayne State University	/	/	
Booker T. Washington Business Association		1	/
Build Institute		/	
Center for Community Based Enterprise		/	/
Detroit Creative Corridor Center (DC3)		/	/
Detroit Public Library		/	/
Detroit SCORE	/	/	/
Endeavor Detroit			/
Focus: HOPE		/	/
FoodLab Detroit	/	/	/
Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses			/
Grand Circus		/	/
Grand River Workplace		/	
Green Garage		/	/
Inforum		/	/
ioby	/		

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	EXISTING BUSINESS
Jefferson East, Inc.		/	/
LifeLine Business Consulting Services		/	/
MACC Development		/	
Michigan eLibrary	/	/	/
Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center			/
Michigan Small Business Development Center	/	/	/
Michigan Women's Foundation	/	/	/
Midtown Detroit, Inc.		/	
Mob Pitches	/	/	
Motor City Match	/	/	
MSU Product Center Food, Ag, Bio	/	/	
New Detroit, Inc.	/	/	
NextEnergy		/	
Osborn Neighborhood Alliance		/	
ProsperUS Detroit	/	/	
Southwest Detroit Business Association		/	/
TechStars Mobility		/	
TechTown Detroit	/		/
Villages Community Development Corporation		/	/
U.S. Small Business Administration			/

Sales and Marketing

The Sales and Marketing tab features organizations that offer resources to help you sell more of your product through marketing and networking. Use this tab when you're looking for ways to make your business more successful by getting more customers and selling more goods or services.

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ACCESS Growth Center	/	/	/
An Office in Detroit		/	/
Bamboo Detroit	/	/	/
Booker T. Washington Business Association		/	/
Center for Community Based Enterprise		/	
Central Detroit Christian CDC		/	
D2D—Detroit's Local Procurement Initiative			
Detroit Creative Corridor Center (DC3)			/
Detroit Economic Growth Corporation (DEGC)			/
Detroit Regional Chamber			/
Detroit SCORE	/		/
Detroit U.S. Export Assistance Center			/
Downtown Detroit Partnership			/
Eastern Market Corporation		/	/
Endeavor Detroit			/
FoodLab Detroit		/	/
Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses	/		/
Goodwill Green Works, LLC		/	/

O R G A N I Z A T I O N	IDEA	STARTUP	E X I S T I N G B U S I N E S S
Grandmont Rosedale Development Corporation (GRDC)			/
Great Lakes Women's Business Council		/	/
Inforum		/	/
Jefferson East, Inc.		/	/
Michigan Black Chamber of Commerce		/	/
Michigan Economic Development Corporation (мерс)		/	/
Michigan eLibrary	/	/	/
Michigan Minority Supplier Development Council		/	/
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Michigan Women's Foundation	/	/	/
Midtown Detroit, Inc.		/	/
MSU Product Center Food, Ag, Bio		/	/
NextEnergy		/	/
ProsperUS Detroit		/	/
PTAC of Michigan			/
Pure Michigan Business Connect			/
Southwest Detroit Business Association			/
TechStars Mobility		/	/
TechTown Detroit	/	/	/
U.S. Small Business Administration	/	1	/

ACCESS Growth Center

Provides business training, business development coaching, loans, and strategic referrals for entrepreneurs and small businesses including those with language or cultural barriers.













Blackstone LaunchPad

Coaching, workshops, networking, and access to funding for Wayne State students, faculty, and alumni starting new ventures in Metro Detroit.

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accessgrowthcenter.org

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hbazzi@accesscommunity.org

ADDRESS

5150 Anthony Wayne Dr. Detroit, MI 48202

PHONE (313) 577.1533

blackstonelaunchpad.wayne.edu

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Accounting Aid Society

One-on-one coaching and technical assistance customized for small business record keeping needs to become capital-ready, and grow.

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ADDRESS

7700 2nd Ave., Ste. #314 Detroit, MI 48202

(313) 556.1920

dothenumbers.org

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hello@dothenumbers.org

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Booker T. Washington Business Association

One of the oldest African American Chambers of Commerce in the nation, building strong corporate, small, and minority business partnerships and alliances through its advocacy efforts.

P.O. Box 11169

Detroit, MI 48211

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ADDRESS

(313) 875.4250

An Office in Detroit

An affordable co-working space designed to empower intrapreneurs, entrepreneurs, and the start-up community in Detroit.

ADDRESSES

2727 2nd Ave., Ste. #126 Detroit, MI 48201 AND

8679 Rosa Parks Blvd. Detroit, MI 48206

PHONE

(313) 389.6230

anofficeindetroit.com

zookeeper@anofficeindetroit.com

Build Institute

Business planning classes, advice, and mentorship to turn business ideas into reality for aspiring and experienced entrepreneurs.

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ADDRESS

2701 Bagley Ave. Detroit, MI 48216

PHONE (313) 265.3590 URL

buildinstitute.org

EMAIL

hello@buildinstitute.org

Bamboo Detroit

Provides a creative, affordable, collaborative, and flexible workspace in downtown Detroit for its growing entrepreneurial community.

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ADDRESS

1442 Brush St.

Detroit, MI 48226

(313) 288.2298

bamboodetroit.com

info@bamboodetroit.com

Building Safety Engineering and Environmental Department (BSEED)

Provides permits and informs Detroit businesses about local laws for construction, licensing, zoning, environmental affairs, and more.

ADDRESS

2 Woodward Ave., Ste. #401 Detroit, MI 48226

PHONE

(313) 224.2733

detroitmi.gov/BSEED

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Center for Community Based Enterprise

Supports and connects entrepreneurs, community institutions, and resources to develop sustainable, community-based enterprises (CBEs).

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Detroit Development Fund

Provides capital and technical assistance to entrepreneurs and small businesses who can't get resources from traditional lenders.

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4605 Cass Ave., Ste. #201 Detroit, MI 49201

PHONE (313) 429.5053 URL c2be.org EMAIL

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ADDRESS

277 Gratiot Ave., #300 Detroit, MI 48226

PHONE (313) 784.9547 URL detroitdevelopmentfund.com EMAIL

vholsey@detroitdevelopmentfund.com

Central Detroit Christian Community

Faith-based organization in central Detroit that hosts ProsperUs classes, provides ad-hoc marketing and sales advice, and

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Development Corporation

referral services.

ADDRESS

8840 2nd Ave. Detroit, MI 48202

(313) 873.0064

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centraldetroitchristian.org

EMAIL

kramon@detcdc.org

Detroit's leading economic development agency providing assistance with small business development, business attraction, real estate, financial incentives and connections to resources in Detroit.

Detroit Economic Growth Corporation (DEGC)

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ADDRESS

ADDRESS

Detroit, MI 48226

500 Griswold St., Ste. #2200 Detroit, MI 48226

PHONE (313) 963.2940 URL degc.org

URL

descmiworks.com

EMAIL

contact@degc.org

D2D—Detroit's Local Procurement Initiative

Connects Detroit companies with local suppliers through local procurement and supply chain opportunities to build a community of strong businesses and economic success.

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Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation

Administers employee wage incentives, provides skills testing, recruiting and screening assistance, and employee training via MichiganWorks!

PHONE

(313) 664.5566

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ADDRESS

500 Griswold St., Ste. #2200 Detroit, MI 48226

PHONE (313) 963.2940

d2dbusiness.org

EMAIL d2d@degc.org







Detroit Health Department

Provides public health services, including local permitting and inspections for businesses in the food industry.

SERVICES

bsd@detempsol.org

EMAIL



ADDRESS

485 W. Milwaukee Ave. Detroit, MI 48202

PHONE (313) 664.1478

Detroit Creative Corridor Center (DC3)

Strengthens Detroit's creative economy by providing creative

businesses and designers with education, exposure, connections to

resources, and advocating policies to advance the creative economy.

URL Detroitc3.com EMAIL

Info@detroitc3.com

ADDRESS

3245 E. Jefferson Ave., Ste. #100 Detroit, MI 48207

440 E. Congress St., 4th Floor

(313) 876.4000

PHONE

URL

detroitmi.gov/health

dhealth@detroitmi.gov

Detroit Land Bank Authority

Connects Detroiters to vacant space. Current programs include auction, side lot, community partnership, and demolition.

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Detroit SOUP

Community dinners where residents and entrepreneurs pitch projects to an audience, awarding micro-grants based on majority vote.

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500 Griswold St.

Ste. #1200 PHONE Detroit, MI 48226

(844) BUY.DLBA

buildingdetroit.org

EMAIL

communityrelations@detroitlandbank.org

ADDRESS

1401 Vermont, Ste. #195 Detroit, MI 48216

detroitsoup.com

EMAIL

info@detroitsoup.com

Detroit Public Library

Provides technology, literacy and career resources, individual consults, meeting space, and other business resources.

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Detroit U.S. Export Assistance Center

A federal government agency providing U.S. export sales assistance, market information, due diligence and partner identification.

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ADDRESS

1766 Oakman Blvd. Detroit, MI 48238

(313) 481.1814

PHONE

detroitpubliclibrary.org

EMAIL

alotharp@detroitpubliclibrary.org

ADDRESS

211 W. Fort St., Ste. #1310 Detroit, MI 48226

(313) 226.3006

PHONE

URL export.gov EMAIL

sara.coulter@trade.gov

Detroit Regional Chamber

Member-based business support organization offering networking, data, business attraction, programs, and events for metro Detroitarea entrepreneurs and businesses.

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Downtown Detroit Partnership

Creates economic strength in Downtown Detroit through development and support of programs, cleanup, safety, and retail attraction services.

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ADDRESS

1 Woodward Ave., Ste. #1900 Detroit, MI 48226

PHONE (313) 964.1000

detroitchamber.com

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members@detroitchamber.com

ADDRESS

600 Renaissance Center, Ste. #1740 Detroit, MI 48243

PHONE (313) 566.8250 URL downtowndetroit.org EMAIL

info@downtowndetroit.org

Detroit SCORE

Provides business tools and templates, workshops and events, and free business mentoring via a network of experienced volunteer executives.

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Eastern Market Corporation

Micro-grants, façade improvement, food production space, stall rentals, and other opportunities for small businesses in the food industry.

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477 Michigan Ave., Ste. #515 Detroit, MI 48226

(313) 883.9300 ext. 226

URL detroit.score.org

detscore@sbcglobal.net

ADDRESS 2934 Russell St.

Detroit, MI 48207

PHONE (313) 833.9300

URL

easternmarket.com

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admin@easternmarket.com

Endeavor Detroit

Helps high-impact entrepreneurs scale their businesses through mentorship from a network of world-class business leaders.







Global Detroit

Connects foreign language speakers to existing resources and services to retain and empower immigrant entrepreneurs in Detroit.

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ADDRESS

1570 Woodward Ave. Detroit, MI 48226

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endeavordetroit.org

ADDRESS

1401 Vermont, Ste. #195 Detroit, MI 48216

PHONE (313) 516.9681 URL globaldetroit.com **EMATL**

primary@globaldetroit.com

Entrepreneurs Hub

Co-working space offering an affordable, flexible, and active work environment, networking, educational resources, and meet-

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ing/event space.



ADDRESS

1400 Woodbridge St., 4th Floor

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drkeith@thegrandinnovation.com

Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses

A program that coaches entrepreneurs in negotiation, marketing, employee management, and support to develop a strategic growth plan.

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Detroit, MI 48207

(313) 887.0293

entrepreneurshub.space

440 Burroughs St., Ste. #205 Detroit, MI 48202

PHONE (313) 758.6041 URL 10ksbdetroit.com EMAIL

10ksb@wayne.edu

Focus: HOPE

Hosts ProsperUs business development class, workforce training, and community support to bridge the racial divide in Southeast Michigan.

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Goodwill Green Works, LLC

Provides green partnership opportunities for organizations and entrepreneurs for recycling and/or reuse of materials.

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ADDRESS

1355 Oakman Blvd. Detroit, MI 48238

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focushope.edu

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6421 Lynch Rd.

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Detroit, MI 48234

(313) 499.3100

goodwillsgreenworks.org

FoodLab Detroit

A community of food entrepreneurs with a network for education, technical assistance, equipment, suppliers, and other business resources.

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Goodwill Industries of Greater Detroit

Delivers job training, employment coaching, and a variety of services including cleaning, assembly, and asset recovery.

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ADDRESS

4444 Second Ave. Detroit, MI 48201

(313) 799.3468

foodlabdetroit.com

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ADDRESS

3111 Grand River Ave. Detroit, MI 48208

(313) 557.4818

goodwilldetroit.org

Grand Circus

Provides 10-week coding bootcamps, operates a Google for Entrepreneur tech hubs, offers co-working space, and community events.

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Green Garage

A co-working and makerspace community supporting the development and growth of triple bottom line businesses.

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1570 Woodward Ave. Detroit, MI 48226

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grandcircus.co

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4444 Second Ave. Detroit, MI 48201

Hatch Detroit

Detroit's neighborhoods.

PHONE (313) 444.4054

A business plan contest awarding \$50K to entrepreneurs

opening brick and mortar retail businesses in

URL greengaragedetroit.com **EMATL**

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Grand River WorkPlace

A co-working incubator and pop-up retail space that also provides frequent entrepreneurial trainings and programs for small business growth.

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19120 Grand River Ave. Detroit, MI 48223

(313) 387.4732

ext. 120

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grandriverworkplace.com

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workplace@grandmontrosedale.com

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645 Griswold, Ste. #2600 Detroit, MI 48226

(248) 766.6485

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URL hatchdetroit.com **EMATL**

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Grandmont Rosedale Development Corporation

Community-based organization providing space, market data, and site selection support for Detroit's Grandmont Rosedale business district.





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19800 Grand River Ave. Detroit, MI 48223

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grandmontrosedale.com

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Great Lakes Women's Business Council

Business development training, supplier certification, networking, and capital assistance programs for women and minority-owned businesses.





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ADDRESS

33109 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia, MI 48150

(734) 677.1400

greatlakeswbc.org

info@greatlakeswbc.org

Inforum

A business association providing strategic connections, professional development, and entrepreneurial training for women.

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ADDRESS

400 Renaissance Center, Ste. #2155 Detroit, MI 48243

PHONE (877) 633.3500

inforummichigan.org

tshea@inforummichigan.org

Invest Detroit

Financing and funding tools for business expansion, real estate development, and job creation to revitalize underserved Detroit communities.

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ADDRESS

600 Rennaissance Center, Ste. #1710 Detroit, MI 48243

(313) 259.6368

investdetroit.com

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Invest Michigan

Funding for innovative, early stage Michigan-based high-tech startups to grow into viable businesses.

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Commercial real estate developer, with services including project and construction management, small business site selection, and more.

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4401 Conner St. Detroit, MI 48215

LAND, Inc.

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ioby

A crowd-resourcing platform that connects entrepreneurs with funding and tools (volunteers, mentors, etc.) to improve Detroit neighborhoods.

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LibraryBiz Connect

Offers information for entrepreneurs including market research, state and governmental support, and a business workshop calendar.

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440 Burroughs St. Detroit, MI 48202

PHONE (313) 960.4774 URL

ioby.org

EMAIL detroit@ioby.org

librarybizconnect.org librarybizconnect@gmail.com

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Jefferson East, Inc.

Provides resources including site selection, marketing, clean-up, maintenance, and security for businesses in Detroit's lower east side.

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LifeLine Business Consulting Services

Business planning and management firm serving small and medium-sized companies with an emphasis on minority and women-owned businesses.

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ADDRESS

14628 E. Jefferson Ave. Detroit, MI 48215

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ADDRESS

1400 Woodbridge St., 4th Floor Detroit, MI 48207

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Kiva.org

Online platform that provides 0% interest, crowd-funded loans for small businesses in Metro Detroit.

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ADDRESS

2701 Bagley Ave. Detroit, MI 48216

(313) 265.3590

buildinstitute.org/kiva-zip

kiva@buildinstitute.org

Live6 Alliance

Provides commercial real estate development, business attraction and retention, and funding tools to inclusively revive Northwest Detroit.

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ADDRESS

16647 Livernois Ave. Detroit, MI 48221

(313) 610.6004

live6detroit.org

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info@live6detroit.org

Local Initiatives Support Corporation

Connects residents to the resources needed to transform neighborhoods with funding for business operations, equipment purchase and real estate acquisition, expansion and improvement.





Michigan eLibrary (MEL)

Provides digital informational resources for entrepreneurs including legal forms, industry reports, demographic and market data, and a general resource center.









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660 Woodward Ave. Detroit, MI 48226

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detroit-lisc.org

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abatiste@lisc.org

ADDRESS

702 W. Kalamazoo St. Lansing, MI 48915

PHONE (517) 373.1580

mel.org/business

contact@mel.org

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MACC Development

Christian community developer that supports innovative programs in Detroit's 48214 zip code with small business technical support and space.

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Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center

Operational assessments, process improvement training, website assistance, and market strategy for established manufacturers.

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Michigan Black Chamber of Commerce

Michigan's first statewide Black chamber of commerce that serves

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members through advocacy, capital access, chamber resources, training, and contracting.

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Michigan Minority Supplier Development Council

Provides procurement and growth opportunities, financial support, training, and certification assistance to minority-owned businesses.

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100 River Pl., Ste. #300 Detroit, MI 48207

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minoritysupplier.org

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Michigan Economic Development Corporation

The State of Michigan's economic development organization offering support services and partner connections, talent development, access to capital, and incentive programs for statewide business growth.

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Michigan Small Business Development Center

Provides free and confidential business counseling, secondary market research, and business training to start-ups and existing businesses.

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Michigan Women's Foundation

Supports the launch and growth of woman-owned businesses with microloans, coaching, resource connections, and an annual pitch competition.

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Motor City Match

Quarterly competition that pairs entrepreneurs with space, grants, and pre-development assistance to grow their business in Detroit.

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Midtown Detroit, Inc.

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MSU Product Center Food, Ag, Bio

Develops and commercializes food, agricultural products, and

businesses through connection to MSU's research and tech-

ext. 226

Provides Six Segment Series classes to grow and sustain businesses of all industries with annual revenues of \$1M

or less, and that have been open for 5 years or less.

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Midwest Regional U.S. Patent & Trademark Office

Provides general information on intellectual property through workshops, trainings, conferences, and roundtables.

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Mob Pitches

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Hosts collaborative events where small businesses pitch their company to an audience for coaching and creative problem-solving

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535 Griswold St., Ste. #2500

Provides co-working space, R&D support, access to funding, and business consulting to grow advanced energy companies and technologies.

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OMNICORPDETROIT

Member-based hacker space with welding and carpentry equipment, and audio and photography studios.

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Opportunity Resource Fund

Provides loans and technical support for small businesses who have been denied credit by other sources. Applicants must meet social criteria (found on website) and benefit the community.

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7700 2nd Ave., Ste. #608 Detroit, MI 48202

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Osborn Neighborhood Alliance

Helps entrepreneurs and small businesses start and become sustainable in order to create economic stability in Detroit's Osborn area.

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Patronicity

Civic crowdfunding platform that democratizes capital for community development through crowdfunding and crowdgranting.

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Ponyride

Provides workshops and lectures, low-rent work, studio, and pop up space, and shared resources for socially conscious entrepreneurs and artists.

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Procurement Technical Assistance Center of Michigan

Provides support services and training to help Michigan businesses identify, apply for, and secure government contracts.

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ProperUS Detroit

Provides training, support, and loans for entrepreneurs, businesses, and community-based organizations in distressed Detroit neighborhoods.

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Connects local and global purchasers to suppliers of Michigan goods

and services through facilitated connections, joint-venture matches, supply chain assistance, lead generation, and market analysis.

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SER Metro-Detroit

Manages workforce development in Detroit by providing employers with opportunities for job fairs and/or connections to the types of employees that they seek for their businesses.





Techstars Mobility

A global business accelerator community that focuses on growing mobility and transportation companies in Detroit.

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Sidewalk Ventures

Works with local entrepreneurs to raise growth capital from commu-

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nity-based investors.

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TechTown Detroit

Helps both tech and neighborhood businesses develop, launch and grow through one-on-one support, workshops and events, and connections to an extensive service provider network.

Programs include: DTX Launch Detroit, Junction440 co-working, Retail Boot Camp, SWOT City and TechTown Business Incubation Center.

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Southwest Detroit Business Association

Facilitates business growth, real estate matching, access to funding, façade improvements, assists with licensing, permitting, zoning, and review of site plans for businesses in Southwest Detroit.

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The Iron Yard

Provides technology education for adults looking to develop their professional skillsets and gain employment in the growing tech sector.

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TechShop Detroit

Membership-based workshop and prototyping studio providing access to tools, equipment, design software, fabrication/prototyping space, and skill-based instruction.

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U.S. Small Business Administration

Provides counseling, training, access to capital, government contracting opportunities and certification programs, and disaster assistance to help businesses get started, grow, and stay in business.

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Vanguard Community Development Corporation

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Serves entrepreneurs in Detroit's North End, with resource referrals, marketing support, matching grants, shared equipment, and office space.

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Villages Community Development Corporation

Promotes business development in the Villages of Detroit through attraction and support, research, incentives, and city requirements.

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Wayne State University Law School, Program for Entrepreneurship and Business Law



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Offers early-stage legal assistance to participating local startups, and creates forums for entrepreneurs to receive general legal guidance.

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