



**Creating Opportunity - Building Community**

## **WANT TO EXPAND YOUR SMALL BUSINESS AND INCREASE YOUR PROFITABILITY?**

RIBBA has been working for 3 years to get access to capital for small minority businesses. And we did it! Through the **RIBBA Collateral Support Program**, we can help you work toward qualifying for a loan at our partnering bank.

### **RIBBA COLLATERAL SUPPORT PROGRAM**

**Call 401- 383-1179 for your appointment Today!**

#### **BENEFITS TO SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS**

- Up to 30% collateral enhancement from RIBBA to support an approved business loan of \$10,000 to \$50,000 from our partner bank
- Customized Web site installation and design
- Marketing services to help increase annual revenue
- Accounting services and software and installation of QuickBooks with training to meet basic bank accounting requirements
- Professional development workshops that support your business development and expansion
- Up to 10 hours of accounting, legal and IT consultation
- Ongoing business development consultation for up to 3 months
- Up to 3 months of off-site clerical support and assistance with contract preparation, bid preparation as needed

#### **WHO IS ELIGIBLE?**

- Minority small business owners in business 3 years or longer
- Business location - Broad Street, Cranston Street or Elmwood Avenue
- Five or fewer employees including the owner
- Construction, Electronics, IT, Professional, Retail, Technology, (call for other industries)
- For profit only

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