

Small Business Loan Program with Northern Initiatives



Fremont Area Community Foundation began partnering with Northern Initiatives in 2016 to provide program-related investments to local small businesses in Newaygo County. Now, we are broadening that assistance to include the counties served by the Community Foundation's three affiliate foundations: Lake, Mecosta, and Osceola.

What is the Small Business Loan Program? Through Northern Initiatives, a regional revolving loan fund will serve businesses who may not qualify for traditional financing.

- Each loan comes with access to business services, including coaching, trainings, tools, templates, and resources
- Business loans range from \$1,000 to \$500,000 and are flexible around collateral and equity
- Interested businesses apply directly through Northern Initiatives
- Loans are available for startups, expansion, equipment, working capital, supplementing cash flow, and more

For more information about how you can access resources from Northern Initiatives, visit northerninitiatives.org. To inquire about eligibility or to apply for a loan, click "Get Started" or please contact Lucy McCraven at 989.390.8418 or lhostemccraven@northerninitiatives.org.

