

**CRF Small Business Grant Program**  
**Press Coverage prior to 12/20/20 Application Deadline**

Date	Link
	<p data-bbox="345 384 500 411"><a href="https://covid.sd.gov">covid.sd.gov</a></p> <p data-bbox="345 453 1393 554">This website was by hundreds of thousands of people daily to check on how many positive cases were reported. A link to the grant information and application is featured prominently at the top of the front page.</p>
09/09/20	<p data-bbox="345 600 1386 701">Today, Governor Kristi Noem laid out a framework for up to \$400 million in Coronavirus Relief Funds (CRF) to assist South Dakota’s small businesses negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.</p> <p data-bbox="345 741 898 768"><a href="https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27264">https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27264</a></p>
	<p data-bbox="345 814 898 842"><a href="https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27544">https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27544</a></p>
	<p data-bbox="345 886 898 913"><a href="https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27377">https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27377</a></p>
09/09/20	<p data-bbox="345 957 1321 1022"><a href="https://www.capjournal.com/news/noem-plans-400-million-for-small-businesses-impacted-by-covid-19/article_88f1c7e0-f2da-11ea-8ec1-279275a1b9b7.html">https://www.capjournal.com/news/noem-plans-400-million-for-small-businesses-impacted-by-covid-19/article_88f1c7e0-f2da-11ea-8ec1-279275a1b9b7.html</a></p>
09/09/20	<p data-bbox="345 1066 1386 1131"><a href="https://rapidcityjournal.com/news/local/gov-noem-announces-400-million-in-business-funding/article_e37032d1-0dcd-5081-867a-07ad4f5b2430.html">https://rapidcityjournal.com/news/local/gov-noem-announces-400-million-in-business-funding/article_e37032d1-0dcd-5081-867a-07ad4f5b2430.html</a></p>
09/10/20	<p data-bbox="345 1176 1373 1241"><a href="https://www.greateryanktonliving.com/news/p/item/29331/governor-noem-outlines-framework-for-400-million-in-cares-act-funding-for-south-dakota-small-businesses">https://www.greateryanktonliving.com/news/p/item/29331/governor-noem-outlines-framework-for-400-million-in-cares-act-funding-for-south-dakota-small-businesses</a></p>
09/14/20	<p data-bbox="345 1285 558 1312">LRC Press Release</p> <p data-bbox="345 1352 1053 1379"><a href="https://mylrc.sdlegislature.gov/api/Documents/125050.pdf">https://mylrc.sdlegislature.gov/api/Documents/125050.pdf</a></p>
09/18/20	<p data-bbox="345 1428 1386 1493"><a href="https://drgnews.com/2020/09/18/governor-noem-outlines-framework-for-100-million-in-cares-act-funding-for-community-based-healthcare-providers/">https://drgnews.com/2020/09/18/governor-noem-outlines-framework-for-100-million-in-cares-act-funding-for-community-based-healthcare-providers/</a></p>
09/21/20	<p data-bbox="345 1537 1365 1602">Governor Noem called a Special Session of the Legislature, proposing to use \$400M in CRF funds for small business grants. This was extensively covered by media.</p> <p data-bbox="345 1642 898 1669"><a href="https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27314">https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27314</a></p>
09/21/20	<p data-bbox="345 1713 1360 1740"><a href="https://stl.news/south-dakota-governor-noem-announces-special-legislative-session/">https://stl.news/south-dakota-governor-noem-announces-special-legislative-session/</a></p>
10/05/20	<p data-bbox="345 1785 898 1812"><a href="https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27364">https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27364</a></p>
10/05/20	<p data-bbox="345 1856 1349 1883"><a href="https://hubcityradio.com/noem-lays-out-ground-rules-for-spending-federal-money/">https://hubcityradio.com/noem-lays-out-ground-rules-for-spending-federal-money/</a></p>

10/06/20	<a href="https://thevalleyexpress.com/2020/10/06/rep-mills-comments-on-use-of-1-billion-for-sd-in-coronavirus-relief-funds/">https://thevalleyexpress.com/2020/10/06/rep-mills-comments-on-use-of-1-billion-for-sd-in-coronavirus-relief-funds/</a>
10/08/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/retailers-director-says-federal-money-wont-go-very-far/">https://hubcityradio.com/retailers-director-says-federal-money-wont-go-very-far/</a>
10/08/20	<a href="https://www.dailyleaderextra.com/news/local/article_330dcf38-099e-11eb-b694-c770135b9959.html">https://www.dailyleaderextra.com/news/local/article_330dcf38-099e-11eb-b694-c770135b9959.html</a>
10/08/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/money-designated-for-small-business-grants/">https://hubcityradio.com/money-designated-for-small-business-grants/</a>
10/09/20	<a href="https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27378">https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27378</a>
10/09/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/senator-says-cares-act-funding-good-compromise/">https://hubcityradio.com/senator-says-cares-act-funding-good-compromise/</a>
10/09/20	<a href="https://www.newscenter1.tv/gov-noem-announces-launch-of-small-business-healthcare-provider-relief-program1/">https://www.newscenter1.tv/gov-noem-announces-launch-of-small-business-healthcare-provider-relief-program1/</a>
10/09/20	<a href="https://dakotawarcollege.com/governor-noem-announces-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/">https://dakotawarcollege.com/governor-noem-announces-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/</a>
10/09/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/noem-announces-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/">https://hubcityradio.com/noem-announces-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/</a>
10/09/20	<a href="http://bizrepublic.com/580-million-coronavirus-economic-relief-program/">http://bizrepublic.com/580-million-coronavirus-economic-relief-program/</a>
10/13/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/cares-act-money-needs-to-be-spent-by-end-of-calendar-year/">https://hubcityradio.com/cares-act-money-needs-to-be-spent-by-end-of-calendar-year/</a>
10/13/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/hunhoff-explains-cares-act-funding-strategy/">https://hubcityradio.com/hunhoff-explains-cares-act-funding-strategy/</a>
10/16/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/some-issues-from-special-session-could-carry-over-to-2021-regular-session/">https://hubcityradio.com/some-issues-from-special-session-could-carry-over-to-2021-regular-session/</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27408">https://news.sd.gov/newsitem.aspx?id=27408</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://www.msn.com/en-us/money/smallbusiness/time-eligibility-extended-for-covid-19-grants-in-south-dakota-businesses-healthcare-providers/ar-BB1aj5VI">https://www.msn.com/en-us/money/smallbusiness/time-eligibility-extended-for-covid-19-grants-in-south-dakota-businesses-healthcare-providers/ar-BB1aj5VI</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/deadline-friday-to-apply-for-covid-19-relief-grants/">https://hubcityradio.com/deadline-friday-to-apply-for-covid-19-relief-grants/</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://www.siouxlandproud.com/news/south-dakota-news/gov-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/">https://www.siouxlandproud.com/news/south-dakota-news/gov-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://kelo.com/2020/10/22/gov-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/">https://kelo.com/2020/10/22/gov-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/</a>

10/22/20	<a href="https://www.mykxlg.com/news/local/governor-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/article_0795de50-147e-11eb-86d5-1b59a81305e4.html">https://www.mykxlg.com/news/local/governor-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/article_0795de50-147e-11eb-86d5-1b59a81305e4.html</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://statesnewstoday.com/2020/10/south-dakota-governor-noem-expands-small-business-healthcare-provider-relief-program/">https://statesnewstoday.com/2020/10/south-dakota-governor-noem-expands-small-business-healthcare-provider-relief-program/</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://stlnewsusa.livejournal.com/3053584.html">https://stlnewsusa.livejournal.com/3053584.html</a>
10/22/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/">https://hubcityradio.com/noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/</a>
10/23/20	<a href="https://www.brookingsregister.com/article/noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program">https://www.brookingsregister.com/article/noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program</a>
10/23/20	<a href="https://www.bhpioneer.com/covid-19/gov-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/article_e811134e-1557-11eb-a952-eb4136a32223.html">https://www.bhpioneer.com/covid-19/gov-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/article_e811134e-1557-11eb-a952-eb4136a32223.html</a>
10/26/20	<a href="https://hubcityradio.com/grant-program-deadline-extended-to-friday/">https://hubcityradio.com/grant-program-deadline-extended-to-friday/</a>
10/28/20	<a href="https://www.timberlakesouthdakota.com/news/october-30-deadline-apply-covid-relief-business-grants">https://www.timberlakesouthdakota.com/news/october-30-deadline-apply-covid-relief-business-grants</a>
11/01/20	<a href="https://www.westrivereagle.com/articles/governor-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/">https://www.westrivereagle.com/articles/governor-noem-expands-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program/</a>
12/08/20	<a href="https://www.kotatv.com/2020/12/08/south-dakota-continues-with-small-business-grants/">https://www.kotatv.com/2020/12/08/south-dakota-continues-with-small-business-grants/</a>
12/14/20	<a href="https://www.yanktonedc.com/yankton-news-and-info/p/item/30190/2nd-round-of-applications-being-accepted-for-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-grants">https://www.yanktonedc.com/yankton-news-and-info/p/item/30190/2nd-round-of-applications-being-accepted-for-small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-grants</a>
12/16/20	<a href="https://www.keloland.com/news/your-money-matters/only-10-of-cares-act-applicants-issued-grants-as-year-end-deadline-looms/">https://www.keloland.com/news/your-money-matters/only-10-of-cares-act-applicants-issued-grants-as-year-end-deadline-looms/</a>

## Other Businesses/Organizations promoting CRF Small Business Grant

<b>Business/Organization</b>
State of South Dakota <a href="https://covid.sd.gov/">https://covid.sd.gov/</a> <a href="https://bfm.sd.gov/covid/">https://bfm.sd.gov/covid/</a> <a href="https://sdgoed.com/covid-19/">https://sdgoed.com/covid-19/</a>
<p><b>Direct communication was sent to the following Healthcare Organizations on Oct 9, 12, 22 and Dec 4, 14 and 20.</b></p> SDAHO SDHCA Association of Community Based Providers Association of Youth Care Providers Assisted Living Association Association of Community Support Providers Avera Health Systems Sanford Health Systems Monument Health Systems Lifescape
<p><b>Direct communication was sent to the following economic development organizations on Oct 9, 12, 31 and Dec 12.</b></p> SD Retailers Association <a href="https://www.sdra.org/protection.html">https://www.sdra.org/protection.html</a> SD Chamber of Commerce SD Community Foundation Economic Development Organizations (statewide) SD GOED COVID Newsletter recipients
<a href="https://www.pedco.biz/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/SD-CARES-Grant-Proposal-for-Small-Businesses.pdf">https://www.pedco.biz/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/SD-CARES-Grant-Proposal-for-Small-Businesses.pdf</a>
<a href="https://www.sdra.org/protection.html">https://www.sdra.org/protection.html</a>
<a href="https://www.nfib.com/content/news/coronavirus-state/small-business-thanks-south-dakota-legislature-for-pandemic-funding/">https://www.nfib.com/content/news/coronavirus-state/small-business-thanks-south-dakota-legislature-for-pandemic-funding/</a>
<a href="https://www.yanktonedc.com/yankton-news-and-info/covid-19-news-&amp;-resources">https://www.yanktonedc.com/yankton-news-and-info/covid-19-news-&amp;-resources</a>
<a href="https://www.aberdeen-chamber.com/326/COVID-19-Resources">https://www.aberdeen-chamber.com/326/COVID-19-Resources</a>
<a href="https://sdbusinesshelp.com/event/small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program-taking-applications-october-13-23-2020/">https://sdbusinesshelp.com/event/small-business-and-healthcare-provider-relief-program-taking-applications-october-13-23-2020/</a>
<a href="https://www.huschblackwell.com/south-dakota-state-by-state-covid-19-guidance">https://www.huschblackwell.com/south-dakota-state-by-state-covid-19-guidance</a>

<https://gpna.com/news/new-south-dakota-grants>

<https://mitchellnow.com/news/236632-sd-businesses-can-apply-for-grants-if-affected-by-covid-19/>

<http://www.reedfund.coop/news-and-media/p/item/30207/relief-available-now-for-small-businesses-and-healthcare-providers>

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/westriverbusinesscenter/posts/>

[https://www.yankton.net/community/article\\_76477fca-1028-11eb-9f04-3f1111d95367.html](https://www.yankton.net/community/article_76477fca-1028-11eb-9f04-3f1111d95367.html)

<https://ktllp.com/governor-noem-outlines-framework-for-400-million-in-cares-act-funding-for-south-dakota-small-businesses/>

<https://www.frontierbk.com/covid-19-blog>

[https://www.sdba.com/index.php?option=com\\_dailyplanetblog&view=entry&category=latest-news&id=385:noem-outlines-framework-for-400-million-in-cares-act-funding-for-small-businesses](https://www.sdba.com/index.php?option=com_dailyplanetblog&view=entry&category=latest-news&id=385:noem-outlines-framework-for-400-million-in-cares-act-funding-for-small-businesses)

<https://sdvisit.com/covid-19-research-update-september-11>