



Get FREE Advice To Build Your Business!

Give us a call today to schedule a free, confidential, appointment with our small business consultant.
For more information or to arrange an appointment contact::

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Are you considering starting your own business? Do you need assistance growing your existing business? Is your business facing a critical decision or issue? Could you use a trusted business advisor? Services offered through the *Open to Business Program* are available to all North St. Paul residents and businesses. Consultations with a business advisor are one-on-one, free and confidential. **There are no hidden fees or charges.** Appointments with our consultants can be scheduled at your place of business.

Put MCCD's Experts on Your Side

- Conduct business feasibility studies
- Prepare business and marketing plans
- Develop financing and cash flow projections
- Determine how much you need to borrow
- Apply for start-up financing
- Access traditional and non-traditional capital
- Evaluate financing options
- Review real estate leases
- Manage your sales and expense records
- File the paperwork to properly establish the business
- Obtain compliance with regulatory agencies' start-up operation
- Determine who your customers are and how to reach them
- Find answers to other small business-related questions

ASK ABOUT MCCD'S LOAN PROGRAMS

Obtain a Direct Small Business Loan!

- MCCD offers direct small business loans ranging from \$2000 to \$25,000
- Larger loans up to \$50,000 are available when MCCD partners with a local bank to provide financing.
- Loan repayment terms on direct loans of up to \$25,000 generally range from 3 to 5 years.

For more information on MCCD's loan programs contact:

Metropolitan Consortium for
Community Developers (MCCD)
Lee Hall at 612.789.7337 ext, 17 or
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www.mccdmn.org



The Open to Business Program is a joint venture between the North St. Paul Economic Development Authority and Metropolitan Consortium of Community Developers (MCCD) to foster small business growth and development within North Saint Paul.



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