

Prosper Portland is expanding its work with minority-owned businesses and startups to leverage the power of a partnership network committed to increasing the success of underrepresented entrepreneurs.



Learn more about how we can help your business thrive:  
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Building an Equitable Economy

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At Prosper Portland we maximize our impact by working with and investing in partners who specialize in programs that serve underrepresented entrepreneurs and business owners.

## Local business support

Business navigators in North, Northeast, and East Portland can help you find the resources that you need and make a plan to bring your business dreams to life.

## Someone to lean on

Receive support from someone you trust. Network business advisors see you through the challenges and celebrate your successes. Receive one-on-one advising, training, and consultation to help you create a road map for your business.

Several partners in the network provide credit-building loans, mini-micro loans, small business loans, and matched savings grants.

## Specialized assistance to grow and scale your business

Dare to dream big. Learn what you need to step into the startup world of pitch decks, angel funding, and product market fit. Our partners offer startup boot camps, business incubators, and mentoring.

## Prosper Portland Inclusive Business Resources:

- Affordable Commercial Tenanting program
- Prosperity Investment Program
- Mercatus Collective
- Financing

## We offer support with:

-  **Navigating business services**
-  **Long-term Business Advising**
-  **Peer to Peer Learning**
-  **Networking & Workshops**
-  **Financing for your business**



# No Cost/ Low Cost Network of Support

## Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon (APANO)



APANO provides multicultural outreach and assistance for small businesses. APANO's skilled staff will help you navigate available small business resources.

## Hacienda CDC



Hacienda CDC promotes the accelerated growth of minority-owned food businesses from startup to traded sector.

## Hispanic Metropolitan Chamber (HMC)



HMC provides bilingual/bi-cultural outreach, long-term one-on-one advising, and business development services.

## Immigrant and Refugee Community Organization (IRCO)



IRCO's culturally specific, multilingual services connect talented, aspiring business owners with advice and support.

## Micro Enterprise Services of Oregon (MESO)



MESO provides financing, matched savings, market research and tailored one-on-one business advising within the network.

## Native American Youth and Family Center (NAYA)



NAYA provides one-on-one and classroom business education and supports vendors through its marketplace and powwow.

## Oregon Native American Chamber (ONAC)



ONAC's One Coalition provides a statewide infrastructure of support and connection to Native American business mentors.

## Portland Incubator Experiment (PIE)



The PIE incubator for diverse founders of technology and consumer products companies shares mentor networks and lessons learned from nearly a decade of service.

## Portland State University (PSU) Business Outreach Program



The PSU Business Outreach Program provides technical assistance and one-on-one consulting services to small business owners and entrepreneurs.

## Prosper Portland



Prosper Portland provides access to technical assistance, loans and new markets to help your business grow and thrive.

## TiE Oregon



TiE Oregon provides education, connections to mentors and funding sources for concept stage technology and consumer products companies.

## Xxcelerate Fund



Women-founded and focused, this fund builds equity in entrepreneurship through education and peer support, revolving loan fund, conference and trade show support.