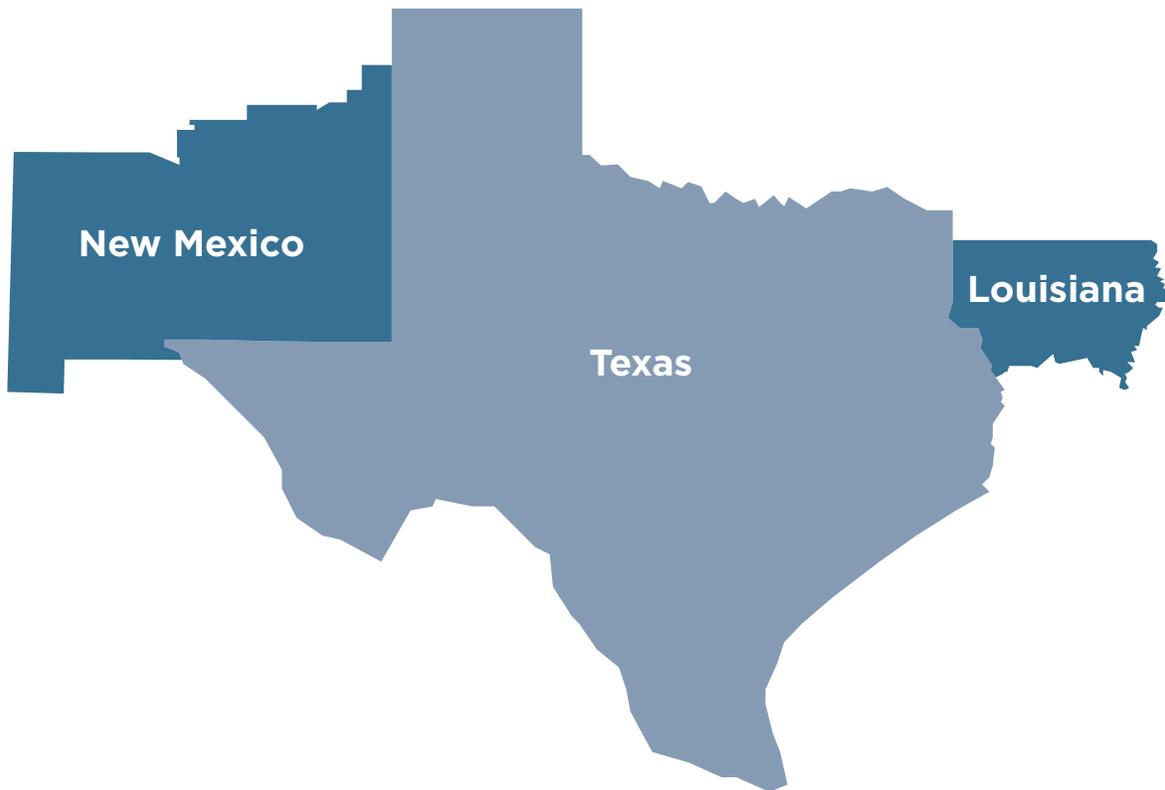


# Technical Assistance Resource Guide for Entrepreneurs in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District

## Eleventh District



The following resources provide technical assistance and/or loan packaging for small businesses. Contact the organizations listed for additional information, including local bank and nonbank financing resources. This is a partial listing, and many local community organizations also offer programs that may be helpful. Contact your local city government,

chamber of commerce, or Small Business Development Center for more information.

If you are a nonprofit organization that offers loans to small businesses and would like to be added to this Resource Guide, please send us your information at [communitydevelopment@dal.frb.org](mailto:communitydevelopment@dal.frb.org).



## Louisiana

### Louisiana Economic Development

[www.opportunitylouisiana.com/](http://www.opportunitylouisiana.com/)

### Louisiana Secretary of State—Commercial Division

[www.sos.la.gov/BusinessServices/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.sos.la.gov/BusinessServices/Pages/default.aspx)

### Louisiana's Small Business Administration (SBA) District Office

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/la/new-orleans](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/la/new-orleans)

### Louisiana Small Business Development Center Network

[www.lsbdc.org](http://www.lsbdc.org)

### WBEC South (*Women's Business Enterprise Council*)

[www.wbecsouth.org](http://www.wbecsouth.org)

## Microlenders

### LiftFund

[www.liftfund.com](http://www.liftfund.com)

### Southern Mutual Financial Services

[www.SouthernMutualHelp.org](http://www.SouthernMutualHelp.org)

### Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas\*

### Community Development Department

[www.dallasfed.org/community](http://www.dallasfed.org/community)

### Building Wealth: A Beginner's Guide to Securing Your Financial Future

[www.buildingwealth.org](http://www.buildingwealth.org)

\*The following Louisiana parishes are in the Dallas Fed's district. Louisiana's other parishes are in the Atlanta Fed's district: [frbatlanta.org](http://frbatlanta.org).

Bienville	Concordia	Lincoln	Sabine
Bossier	De Soto	Madison	Tensas
Caddo	E. Carroll	Morehouse	Union
Caldwell	Franklin	Natchitoches	Webster
Catahoula	Grant	Ouachita	W. Carroll
Claiborne	Jackson	Red River	Winn
Concordia	La Salle	Richland	



## Microlenders

### Accion

[www.accionnm.org/](http://www.accionnm.org/)

### The Loan Fund

[www.loanfund.org](http://www.loanfund.org)

### WESST

[www.wesst.org](http://www.wesst.org)

### Women's Business Council – Southwest

[www.wbcswsouthwest.org](http://www.wbcswsouthwest.org)

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\*The following New Mexico counties are in the Dallas Fed's district. New Mexico's other counties are in the Kansas City Fed's district: [www.kansascityfed.org/](http://www.kansascityfed.org/)

Catron	Grant	Otero
Chaves	Guadalupe	Quay
Curry	Hidalgo	Roosevelt
De Baca	Lea	Sierra
Dona Ana	Lincoln	Socorro
Eddy	Luna	Torrance

## New Mexico

### New Mexico Economic Development Department

[www.gonm.biz/business-resource-center/](http://www.gonm.biz/business-resource-center/)

### New Mexico Secretary of State—Business Services

[www.sos.state.nm.us/Business\\_Services/](http://www.sos.state.nm.us/Business_Services/)

### New Mexico Regulation and Licensing Department

[www.rld.state.nm.us/](http://www.rld.state.nm.us/)

### New Mexico Finance Authority—Business Loans

[www.nmfa.net/financing/business-loans/](http://www.nmfa.net/financing/business-loans/)

### New Mexico Small Business Administration (SBA) District Office

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/nm/albuquerque](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/nm/albuquerque)

### New Mexico Small Business Development Center Network

[www.nmsbdc.org](http://www.nmsbdc.org)



## Texas

### **Texas Economic Development**

[www.texaswideopenforbusiness.com/](http://www.texaswideopenforbusiness.com/)

### **Texas Secretary of State—Business and Public Filings**

[www.sos.state.tx.us/corp/index.shtml/](http://www.sos.state.tx.us/corp/index.shtml/)

### **Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts**

#### **Texas Business Advisor**

[www.cpa.state.tx.us/tba/index.html](http://www.cpa.state.tx.us/tba/index.html)

#### **Texas Franchise Tax**

[www.comptroller.texas.gov/taxinfo/franchise/](http://www.comptroller.texas.gov/taxinfo/franchise/)

### **Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation**

[www.tdlr.texas.gov/contact.htm](http://www.tdlr.texas.gov/contact.htm)

### **Texas State Securities Board—Texas Intrastate Crowdfunding**

[www.ssb.state.tx.us/Important\\_Notice/Texas\\_Intrastate\\_Crowdfunding.php](http://www.ssb.state.tx.us/Important_Notice/Texas_Intrastate_Crowdfunding.php)

### **Texas Small Business Administration (SBA)**

#### **District Offices**

Dallas / Fort Worth District Office

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/dallas-fort-worth](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/dallas-fort-worth)

El Paso District Office

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/el-paso](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/el-paso)

Lower Rio Grande Valley District Office (in Harlingen)

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/harlingen](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/harlingen)

Houston District Office

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/houston](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/houston)

Lubbock District Office

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/lubbock](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/lubbock)

San Antonio District Office

[www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/san-antonio](http://www.sba.gov/offices/district/tx/san-antonio)

### **Texas Small Business Development Center Network**

[www.sbdctexas.org](http://www.sbdctexas.org)

## Microlenders

### **BiGAustin (its market is Central Texas)**

[www.bigAustin.org/](http://www.bigAustin.org/)

### **BCL of Texas (Business and Community Lenders)**

[www.bcloftexas.org/](http://www.bcloftexas.org/)

### **Houston Business Development Inc.**

[www.hbdinc.org](http://www.hbdinc.org)

### **LiftFund**

[www.liftfund.com](http://www.liftfund.com)

### **PeopleFund**

[www.peoplefund.org/](http://www.peoplefund.org/)

### **Southern Dallas Development Corp.**

[www.sddc.org](http://www.sddc.org)

### **Texas Mezzanine Fund**

[www.tmfund.com](http://www.tmfund.com)

### **William Mann Jr. Community Development Corp**

[www.wmcdc.com](http://www.wmcdc.com)

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## Federal

### **Consumer Financial Protection Bureau**

[www.consumerfinance.gov](http://www.consumerfinance.gov)

### **Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.'s (FDIC)**

#### **Money Smart for Small Business**

[www.fdic.gov/consumers/consumer/moneysmart/business.html](http://www.fdic.gov/consumers/consumer/moneysmart/business.html)

### **Federal Reserve Community Development**

#### **Resources Promoting Small Business**

[www.fedcommunities.org/small-business](http://www.fedcommunities.org/small-business)

### **Minority Business Development**

#### **Agency Business Centers**

[www.mbda.gov/businesscenters](http://www.mbda.gov/businesscenters)

### **National Minority Supplier Development Council**

[www.nmsdc.org](http://www.nmsdc.org)

### **U.S. Small Business Administration,**

#### **Office of the National Ombudsman**

[www.sba.gov/ombudsman](http://www.sba.gov/ombudsman)

### **Women's Business Enterprise National Council**

[www.wbenc.org](http://www.wbenc.org)