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Loan or Grant	Description	Amount	Length of Loan	Interest Rate	Website
Amber Grant	Grants to women owned businesses	\$10,000 Monthly Grant; \$25,000 Annual Grant	N/A	N/A	https://ambergrantsforwomen.con get-an-amber-grant/
Balboa Capital Equipment Financing	Loan specifically for acquiring equipment or machinery, with the equipment serving as collateral.	Up to \$500,000	Varies by project.	Varies	https://www.balboacapital.com/ed ipment-financing/
Biz2Credit	Biz2Credit is an online lending platform that connects small business owners with various loan options from multiple lenders.	\$25,000 -\$6 Million	Varies by project.	Varies	https://www.biz2credit.com/
CAN Capital	CAN Capital provides small business loans and merchant cash advances for businesses in need of quick financing solutions.	\$2,500 - \$250,000	6-24 Months	Varies	https://www.cancapital.com/
CDC LOANS	Credit Blind Financing for Entrepreneurs of Color	\$10,000 - \$4 Million	10-25 Years	Fixed	https://cdcloans.com/
CEED LENDING	Providing business expansion and start-up financing to small business loans in the following nine southeast Michigan counties: Wayne, Oakland, Macomb, Monroe, Jackson, Hillsdale, Lenawee, Livingston, and Washtenaw.	\$75,000	Up to 6 years	Fixed	https://www.greatlakeswbc.org/ce d-lending/
Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan Grants	Offers various grants and funding opportunities to support nonprofits and community initiatives in Southeast Michigan.	\$5,000 to \$1 Million	Varies by project.	Fixed	https://cfsem.org/for-nonprofits/
Dealstruck	Dealstruck offers term loans and lines of credit for small businesses, focusing on providing financing solutions tailored to specific needs.	Up to \$500,000	12-48 Months	Fixed	https://dealstruck.com/
Elevate Together	ELEVATE TOGETHER <sup>™</sup> powered by Round It Up America is a nonprofit initiative designed to address systemic discrimination and historical racial disparities in business growth and profitability in Black and Hispanic communities. Through a partnership with the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and the National Urban League's Entrepreneurship Centers, the initiative helps support Hispanic and Black small businesses with five or less employees. The ODP Corporation (parent company to Office Depot) is the initiative's founding partner.	\$5,000 - \$10,000	NA	NA	https://ushcc.formstack.com/form /2023_elevate_together_grants
Fundbox	Fundbox offers lines of credit and invoice financing options to help small businesses manage cash flow and bridge gaps in funding.	Up to \$150,000	Varies by project.	Varies	https://fundbox.com/
Fundera	Fundera is an online marketplace that helps small businesses compare and access different loan options from a variety of lenders.	Up to \$300,000	Varies by project.	Varies	https://www.fundera.com/
Funding Circle	Funding Circle is an online platform that connects investors with small businesses seeking business loans.	\$250,000 - \$5 Million	6 Months - 5 Years	Fixed	https://www.fundingcircle.com/us
Gust Angel Investment	Equity financing provided by individual investors, known as angel investors, in exchange for ownership or equity in the business.	Generally 20%-30% percent of Net Revenue	Varies by project.	Varies	https://gust.com/
Idea Café Small Business Grant	Offers grants to support innovative small business ideas.	\$1,000 Grant	N/A	N/A	<u>https://www.businessownersidea</u> afe.com/small_business_grants/
Kabbage Business Line of Credit	Revolving credit line for accessing funds on an as- needed basis, typically used for short-term working capital needs.	\$2,000-\$250,000	6-18 Months	2-27%	https://www.americanexpress.com en-us/business/blueprint/line-of- credit
Kickstarter Crowdfunding	Funding method involving raising small amounts of capital from a large number of individuals through online platforms.	Most Funding Campaigns Net Less than \$10,000	Varies by project.	Varies	https://www.kickstarter.com/
Lending Club - Peer-to-Peer Lending	Loan obtained through online platforms connecting borrowers directly with individual lenders.	Up to \$40,000	24-60 Months	Varies	https://www.lendingclub.com/
Merchant Cash Advance	Lump-sum advance based on future credit card sales, repaid through a percentage of daily credit card transactions.	Loans from \$300—\$250,000	15 Months	Fixed	https://squareup.com/us/en/bank g/loans



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Michigan Defense CyberSmart Program	This two-phase program has pre-qualified Michigan contractors to provide cybersecurity technical services to assist with the implementation of NIST SP 800-171 required for meeting the DFARS 252.204-7012 regulation required in all United States DoD and Homeland Security (DHS) contracts		N/A	N/A	https://bidtarget.org/pdf/Flyer_Cyb ersecurity.pdf

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Michigan Women Forward Grant Programs	Provides grants and resources to support women entrepreneurs and women-owned businesses in Michigan.	MicroLoans range from \$2,500 to \$50,000	Varies by project.	Fixed	https://miwf.org/wei/mwf- microloans/apply-for-a-loan/
Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) Business Grants	Grants and funding opportunities specifically for minority- owned businesses.	Up to \$150,000 Grant	N/A	N/A	https://www.mbda.gov/grants
NASE Growth Grants for Minority-Owned Businesses	Small grants specifically for minority-owned businesses that are NASE members.	\$4,000 Grants	N/A	N/A	https://www.nase.org/become-a- member/member- benefits/business- resources/growth-grants
National Association for the Self-Employed (NASE) Growth Grants	Provides small grants to NASE members to support business growth and development.	Variable Amounts	N/A	N/A	https://usafundingapplications.org/ v9/
Oakland County Revolving Loan Fund	The Oakland County Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) was created to provide gap financing to businesses negatively affected by COVID-19, primarily small businesses owned by minorities, women or located in an economically, disadvantaged area.	\$50,000 to \$200,000	5-10 years	Fixed at closing	https://www.oakgov.com/business/ business-development/business- loans/revolving-loan-fund-rlf
On Deck Short-Term Loan	Loan designed to be repaid over a shorter period, used to cover immediate cash flow gaps or finance small-scale projects.	Loans up to \$250,000	Up to 24 Months	Fixed	https://www.ondeck.com/business- term-loan
SBA 7(a) Loan	Government-backed loan program for general business purposes, including working capital and equipment purchase.	Up to \$1 Million	UP to 25 Years	4.5-6.5%	https://www.sba.gov/funding- programs/loans/7a-loans
SBA Microloan Program	Small loans offered by nonprofit organizations to support startups and small businesses.	Up to \$50,000	72 Months	8-13%	https://www.sba.gov/funding- programs/loans/microloans
Second Service Foundation	Offers grants to veteran-owned businesses	Grants amounts ranging from \$5,000 to \$15,000.	N/A	N/A	https://secondservicefoundation.or g/
Small Business Association of Michigan (SBAM) Grants and Resources	Any organization that has demonstrated significant experience installing and maintaining electric vehicle charging stations and have a significant presence in Michigan, and are enrolled in a Utility EV program, are eligible to apply for this grant.	\$70,000	N/A	N/A	https://www.sbam.org/charge-up- michigan-grant-program/
Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Grants	Federal grants supporting research and development of innovative technologies with commercialization potential.	Variable	N/A	N/A	https://www.sbir.gov/
The Halstead Grant	Specifically for jewelry artists and entrepreneurs	\$7,500 grant plus other benefits.	N/A	N/A	https://grant.halsteadbead.com/
The Michigan Arts and Culture Council Grants	The Michigan Arts and Culture Council (MACC) coordinates grants to arts and culture organizations, cities and municipalities, and other nonprofit organizations ensuring that every citizen and community in Michigan enjoys the civic, economic and educational benefits of arts and culture.	\$4,000-\$20,000	N/A	N/A	https://www.michiganbusiness.org/ industries/macc/macc-grants/
The Oakland County Business Finance Corporation (BFC)	Fixed assets, Building improvements, construction, renovation, acquisition and related soft costs, Land acquisition and improvements, Machinery and equipment, Refinancing	\$250,000 to \$13 Million	5,10, and 25 years	Fixed at closing, Borrower 10% Equity	https://www.oakgov.com/business/ business-development/business- loans/sba-small-business-loans- bfc
The Oakland County Economic Development Corporation (EDC)	Non-profit and manufacturing entities fixed assets financing	\$2 Million to \$10 Million	Varies by project.	Varies	https://www.oakgov.com/business/ business-development/business- loans/tax-exempt-revenue-bond- program-edc
The Pollination Project	Offers small seed grants to individuals and community groups working on social change projects.	Daily Grants of \$1,000	N/A	N/A	https://thepollinationproject.org
Wells Fargo Community Investment Grants	Grants for nonprofits and community-based organizations working on neighborhood revitalization, economic development, and job creation.	\$40,000	N/A	N/A	https://www.wellsfargo.com/about/ corporate-responsibility/community giving/