



# Fast Facts for Business The 2009 Recovery Act:

#### What your business needs to know.

#### Where to find the information.

#### Who can help you.

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SBA: Changes to lending and investment programs to help small businesses

- •Enhancements to current programs
- •Fee Reductions
- •Higher Guarantees
- •New SBA programs
- Secondary market incentives









## Keep in Mind.....

### SBA is not a Direct Lender - -you must access programs through a lending Institution.

## No Grants for entrepreneurs!









### Major Components SBA program

- Elimination of Fees, <u>up to</u> 90 Percent Guarantee
- Expansion of Microloan program loans up to \$35,000 for entrepreneurs meeting criteria.











## Cont. Major Components

- Surety Bonds: Additional funding for existing program.
- Enhancements to the 504 Loan Program – debt refinancing - -new support for business expansion.

Expected to be in place very soon.









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• ARC loan program: Program not available yet

(also known as business Stabilization to provide 100 percent guarantees on deferred payment)

 Simplifies Max. level of funding to SBA licensed Small Business Investment Companies (SBICs)











## **Tax Incentives for Business**

#### Extension through 2009:

- Bonus Depreciation
- •Elect to Accelerate Recognition of AMT/R&D Credits
- •Enhanced Small Business Expensing
- •5-Year Carryback of Net Operating Losses for Small Businesses.









## Who can Help you?

**NH SBDC:** Certified business advisors located throughout NH – <u>www.nhsbdc</u>

**US SBA:** Concord, NH District Office: Wit Jones, District Director 603-225-1400

www.sba.gov/localresources/district/nh

<u>www.sba.gov</u>

IRS: <u>www.irs.gov</u>

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Manchester, NH 668-6763







## www.nh.gov/recovery/

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