

## SMALL BUSINESS SUPPORT SERVICES RESOURCES

The **BART Small Business Support Services (SBSS) Program** wants you to have access to key resources available to you to grow your business. This roster is updated frequently so please check back to see what additional resources are posted:

### Bay Area Regional Transportation Agencies and Small Business Points of Contact:

#### **AC Transit**

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#### **Alameda County Transportation Commission (CTC)**

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## Small Business Certifications

(all links below are 'active' so please just click on them to go to the resource):

[Disadvantaged Business Enterprise \(DBE\) Certification](#)  
[California Small Business Enterprise Certification \(SBE\)](#)  
[California Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise \(DVBE\)](#)  
[Minority, Women, and LGBT Business Enterprise \(MBE, WBE, LGBTBE\) Certification](#)  
[San Francisco County Local Business Enterprise \(SF LBE\)](#)  
[Oakland Local Business Enterprise \(OAK LBE\)](#)

## The California Small Business Development Center (SBDC) Program

**The California Small Business Development Center (SBDC) Program** is the leader in providing business owners and entrepreneurs with the tools and guidance needed to become successful. Direct and personalized assistance is provided to entrepreneurs through professional consulting, supplemented by low-cost or free classes. SBDC consultants are professionals with extensive experience in assisting business owners across a wide variety of different industries and are able and available to assist with all aspects of a business's management and growth. These services are delivered throughout California via an extensive network of local Centers.

<b>Alameda</b>	<a href="#">ACSBDC.org</a>
<b>Contra Costa</b>	<a href="#">ContraCostaSBDC.org</a>
<b>Del Norte</b>	<a href="#">NorthCoastSBDC.org</a>
<b>Marin</b>	<a href="#">MarinSBDC.org</a>
<b>Mendocino</b>	<a href="#">MendoSBDC.org</a>
<b>Napa</b>	<a href="#">NapaSonomaSBDC.org</a>
<b>San Francisco</b>	<a href="#">SFSBDC.org</a>
<b>San Mateo</b>	<a href="#">SanMateoSBDC.org</a>
<b>Santa Clara</b>	<a href="#">SVSBDC.org</a>
<b>Santa Cruz</b>	<a href="#">SantaCruzSBDC.org</a>
<b>Solano</b>	<a href="#">SolanoSBDC.org</a>
<b>Sonoma</b>	<a href="#">SonomaSBDC.org</a>
<b>Humboldt</b>	<a href="#">NorthCoastSBDC.org</a>

**SCORE** is the nation's largest network of business mentors, with more than 10,000 volunteers in 300 chapters nationally. SCORE mentors help businesses get off the ground, grow, and achieve their goals through education and 1-on-1 counselling.

<b>East Bay</b>	<a href="#">EastBay.SCORE.org</a>
<b>North Bay</b>	<a href="#">NorthCoast.SCORE.org</a>
<b>Central Coast</b>	<a href="#">SantaCruz.SCORE.org</a>
<b>South Bay</b>	<a href="#">SiliconValley.SCORE.org</a>
<b>San Francisco</b>	<a href="#">SanFrancisco.SCORE.org</a>

**Women's Business Centers (WBCs)** represent a national network of over 100 educational centers throughout the United States and its territories, which exist assist women in starting and growing small businesses.

<b>San Francisco</b>	<a href="#">RenCenter.org</a>
<b>East Bay</b>	<a href="#">AnewAmerica.org</a>
<b>Mendocino</b>	<a href="#">WestCompany.org</a>
<b>South Bay</b>	<a href="#">AnewAmerica.org</a>

The Veteran's Business Outreach Center (VBOC) provides services such as business training, counseling, mentoring, and referrals for veterans owning or considering starting a business. Services are offered to veterans at no cost.

[VBOCIX.org](#)

The Northern California Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC) can help you sell to federal, state, local, or tribal government agencies. Services are provided at no cost.

[NorCalPTAC.org](https://www.norcalptac.org)

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