



APPLICATION FOR ASSISTANCE DUE TO COVID-19 IMPACTS

In response to the economic impact of the Coronavirus, Northwest Oregon Works (NOW) has funds available for businesses in Benton, Clatsop, Columbia, Lincoln, and Tillamook to help avoid layoffs. We invite applications that propose creative lay off aversion solutions to impacts of COVID-19. Examples could be purchase of technology or remote access equipment need to support remote work, offset of employer costs associated with additional/non-traditional work shifts required to accommodate social distancing and government capacity limitations, costs associated with implementing social distancing protections, training costs, etc.

To apply, complete the application and return to Heather DeSart, Director, email: heather@onwib.org. Projects can include a company or group of companies leveraging efforts for their industry or shared need. If a cohort of companies accessing resources, the applicant below will be the recipient responsible for coordinating efforts amongst the group. **Please note that these funds cannot pay for wage-replacement. Applications will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.** Once the application is approved, funds are available immediately. Funds will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

Please provide back-up documentation to support your request and whether this will be a purchase that will require reimbursement (receipt) or it will be an initial purchase (printout from company or website).

Date:	County:
Applicant Name:	
Street Address:	City, State, Zip:
Mailing Address, if different:	City, State, Zip:
Number of Workers Impacted:	Amount Requested:
Please provide a detailed narrative describing what funds will be used for. If a group of companies are involved, list the names of all companies participating in the project.	
Is the company locally owned?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has the company been operational in the five-county area for 12 months? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	