



Restart Ashtabula County

Round 2

COVID-19 Grant Program for Small Business/Non Profit Organizations/Agricultural Businesses

The Ashtabula County Commissioners have announced a second round of funding through the RESTART ASHTABULA COUNTY grant program to provide financial aid to small businesses, non-profit organizations, and agricultural businesses that have sustained economic hardships as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Eligible small businesses and agricultural businesses are eligible for up to \$10,000. Funding for non-profit organizations will be determined on a case-by-case basis.

Application Process

Applicants are required to complete the on-line application available at www.ashtabulacounty.us/restart. Applications will be accepted starting Friday, October 23, 2020. The application period will close at 12:00 p.m. on November 30, 2020, or when funds are depleted, whichever comes first. All applications will be reviewed. Grants will be awarded until the grant funding is exhausted. Prior to the final approval of a grant application, additional information or documentation may be requested. Approved applications must complete a grant agreement before the release of funds.

All grants are considered taxable income. All documents submitted with the application may be subject to public record laws.

Your application must be accompanied with the necessary required documentation as outlined below:

Required Business Documentation

- Business must submit financial statements from January 1, 2019 to June 30, 2019 and for January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020 to demonstrate the 15 % revenue loss. (Example would be profit and loss statement from Quickbooks or other accounting software.)
- Form W-9 signed in 2020
- Proof of reimbursable business expense (receipts, invoices)

Required Non-Profit Organization Documentation

- Form W-9 signed in 2020



**The Chamber Office will be closed
11/26 & 11/27 for Thanksgiving.**



Morris Flowers and Gifts
176 Washington Street
Conneaut, OH 44030
(440) 593-1196

Michelle and Mike Brennan are co-owners of Morris Flowers and Gifts. The couple have owned and operated the flower shop since 2001.

The Brennans are invested in the community. For more than 19 years, they have lived and worked in Conneaut—fulfilling all of the floral needs of their customers for so many special occasions. Most of the time they are happy occasions—Birthdays, Anniversaries, New Baby Arrivals, Prom, Homecoming, Weddings, Retirements, Graduations, or simply “Just Because.” The Brennan’s also help to brighten days with Get Well flowers and gifts. Of course, Morris Flowers and Gifts is always available for those not-so-happy times—like when you lose someone you love. Whether you wish to send bereavement flowers, funeral sprays, or a plant arrangement, the staff at Morris Flowers and Gifts will sit down with you to make sure that your floral gift expresses your condolences in just the right way. 2020 has been a challenging and stressful year for everyone but it’s important to remember that the holidays are right around the corner. If you are invited to a family or friend’s home for Thanksgiving or Christmas dinner, what better way to show your appreciation than to send them a beautiful centerpiece or a bouquet of flowers for their table? Morris Flowers will design something amazing just for them and this is something they will truly never forget. Morris Flowers and Gifts also has an abundant supply of gifts and ornaments for that special someone.

The Brennans would like to invite you to stop by the flower and gift shop. Look around and see what they have. Chances are, you will want to pick up a nice little gift for friends, family—or even yourself!

Store hours are 9am to 5pm Monday through Friday and 9am to 2pm on Saturday. The store is closed on Sundays, but you are able to call and leave a brief, detailed message if you have a flower emergency and need to order for a funeral. Leave your phone number and someone will get back to you right away.



Halloween Activities on October 31st

Trunk or Treat at New Leaf United Methodist Church: 2pm to 4pm

Trick or Treat Hours in Conneaut: 4pm to 6pm

BE SAFE!