

# ASSISTANCE DIRECTORY

(Lafayette Area Code: 337)

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*Please read program descriptions in this portfolio for program specifications and eligibility requirements.*

## DOWNTOWN ORGANIZATIONS & SERVICES

Executive Director	DDA	Cathy Webre . . . . .	291-5566
Associate Director	DDA	Jody Nederveld. . . . .	291-5566
Special Events & Marketing	DLU	David D'Aquin. . . . .	291-5566
Business Development Services	LEDA	Brett Mellington . . . . .	593-1414

## TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Government Procurement	LEDA	Henry Florsheim. . . . .	593-1400
Business Recruitment	LEDA	Erik Reutling . . . . .	593-1400
Statistical Information	LEDA	Erik Reutling . . . . .	593-1400
Business Retention & Expansion	LEDA	Henry Florsheim . . . . .	593-1400
Going Into Business Seminar	ULL - MBDC	Nathan Thornton. . . . .	262-1080
FastTrac Business Training	ULL - MBDC	Nathan Thornton. . . . .	262-1080
How To Get A Business Loan	ULL - MBDC	Nathan Thornton. . . . .	262-1080
Micro Business Marketing On The Web	ULL - MBDC	Nathan Thornton. . . . .	262-1080

## TAX INCENTIVES

Enterprise Zone	DDA	Cathy Webre/Jody Nederveld . .	291-5566
	LEDA	Brett Mellington . . . . .	593-1414
Historic Rehabilitation Tax Credits	LA - DED	Marylyn Friedkin . . . . .	225-342-9228
	LA - CD	Nicole Hobson. . . . .	225-342-8160
Restoration Tax Abatement	LEDA	Brett Mellington . . . . .	593-1414
	DDA	Cathy Webre/Jody Nederveld . .	291-5566
	LA - C&I	Ed Baker . . . . .	504-342-5402

## LOAN PROGRAMS

Downtown Facade Improvement Loan	DDA	Cathy Webre/Jody Nederveld . .	291-5566
	LNEDC	Nathan Thornton. . . . .	262-1080
New Business & Expansion Loans	LNEDC	Nathan Thornton . . . . .	262-1080
Women's Pre-Qualification Loan	ULL - SBDC	Lila Perez . . . . .	262-5344
Low Doc Loan	ULL - SBDC	Lila Perez . . . . .	262-5344
Small Business Linked Deposit Loan	ULL - SBDC	Lila Perez . . . . .	262-5344
Small Business Loan Guaranty	ULL - SBDC	Lila Perez . . . . .	262-5344
GreenLine (revolving credit line)	ULL - SBDC	Lila Perez . . . . .	262-5344
LA Capital Corp. SBA loans	LA Capital	P. André Fruge . . . . .	234-2977

DDA	Downtown Development Authority	LA - CD	LA Office of Cultural Development
DLU	Downtown Lafayette Unlimited	LA - C&I	LA Dept. of Commerce & Industry
LCCG-DCD	Lafayette Consolidated Government - Department of Community Development	LNEDC	Lafayette Neighborhoods' Economic Development Corporation
LEDA	Lafayette Economic Development Authority	LA Capital	Louisiana Capital Certified Development Company, Inc.
ULL - MBCD	ULL Micro Business Development Center		
ULL - SBDCULL	Small Business Development Center		
LA - DED	Louisiana Department of Economic Development		