

About JARI

JARI is a non-profit economic development organization that has been a devoted partner of the business community in Cambria and Somerset Counties since 1974.

No matter what business you're in, we're here to help you establish and grow your company in today's global economy.

Our scope of expertise and professional networks is unrivaled in the region, giving you a "one stop shop" for all your business needs. Simply put, we're here to help you succeed.

We provide areas of expertise in:

- Site Assistance
- Financing & Incentives
- Workforce Development
- Entrepreneurial Development
- Procurement Technical
- Assistance Center





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What is the Microloan Program?

JARI's Microloan Program is open to any for-profit small business in Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Indiana and Somerset Counties and can be used for equipment, inventory, working capital and a variety of other purposes.

This is a tremendous opportunity for businesses, particularly newer companies that may be putting off a small expansion or improvement project because they did not know about public financing.

What can the Microloan Program be used for?

The Microloan Program, which is funded by the U.S. Small Business Administration, is open to most small businesses and can be used for:

- Inventory
- Supplies
- Furniture
- Fixtures
- Working Capital

Receive up to \$50,000 for your project!

Following a successful application and review, companies can receive up to \$50,000. Depending on project locations, JIDC can also assist businesses with identifying additional sources of funds for larger projects. The loan term will vary based on how the money is to be used and the interest rate is based on criteria including, a company's financial condition and credit rating.

To discuss your project or for more information please contact:

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