



ASSETS
for ALL
ALLIANCE

STARTING A BUSINESS WORKSHEET

With a Small Business IDA you can withdraw matching funds towards:

- Computers, software & peripherals (i.e. a new accounting system)
- Vehicles
- Furniture
- Leasehold/Property Improvements
- Storefront Improvements
- Proprietary Patents & Licenses
- Equipment
- Manufacturing Equipment

If there is another use you would like us to approve, please consult your community partner and we will review your request.

Remember, you can make a withdrawal after six months of saving in the program. All money must be spent by September 15, 2004.

I. Steps to Starting a Business

- I want to start a small business because _____
_____.
- I have the following skills and experiences that will help me be successful in starting a business _____.
- The type of business I want to start is _____.
- I have the following experience with that type of business _____.
- I have talked to the following people who run small businesses like the one I want to start _____.
- My product or services will be different than others already in the market because _____.
- The target market for my business is _____.
- Before I start my business, I need to learn more about _____.
- My business will take _____ (estimate amount of time) to operate and I have _____ (estimate amount of time) to commit.

