CHALLENGE smallbusinessNevada

As a Nevada small business owner or aspiring entrepreneur, you may never know the many federal, state and local resources available to help you or your business operation.

We want to change that! In anticipation of upcoming *National Small Business Week* (April 29 – May 5, 2018), the Nevada District Office of the U.S. Small Business Administration is challenging existing and prospective small business owners across the state to learn more about the various agencies, chambers of commerce and professional service organizations that provide education and training, business development, and procurement opportunities to Nevada small businesses. It's time to discover what these groups have to offer, get involved, and see how they can help you achieve your full business potential. Take the challenge today!

- WHAT IS THE () CHALLENGEsmallbusinessNevada? It's a simple call to action. Fill in the Challenge Form on the back of this page and identify an area where you or your business could benefit from additional help or information. Return the form to the SBA Nevada District Office and we'll send you a short list of Nevada-based resources or specialists that offer help in the area of interest, as well as general resource contacts to help you in the future. Challenge forms with instructions are being made available by the SBA Nevada District Office, Nevada Department of Business and Industry, and other participating entities.
- WHY TAKE IT? Successful business people know when to ask for help, but they might not know who to ask or what resources are available. By taking the challenge, you'll start to explore Nevada's incredible ecosystem of support for small businesses and encounter the who and what that can move your business forward.
- WILL IT IMPROVE MY BUSINESS OPERATION? That depends on you. Improvement is far more likely if you reach out to agencies, people and resources that have the expertise and experience to answer business questions, train you, advise you, and help you nurture the growth of your operation, than if you try to go it alone.
- WHEN IS IT? The challenge is now and will continue through *National Small Business Week*, which runs from April 29 to May 5, 2018.

Sponsored by the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), National Small Business Week is an annual event that seeks to highlight the impact of outstanding entrepreneurs, small business owners, and other professional organizations from all 50 states and the US territories. This year, the Nevada SBA District Office has partnered with the Nevada Department of Business and Industry to raise awareness among small businesses within the Silver State of the importance of securing pertinent information from a vast array of local, regional and statewide business resources. Join the **1 CHALLENGE** smallbusinessNevada today!





Nevada Department of Business and Industry

"Growing business in Nevada"



THE FORM

What You Need To Do:

- 1. Provide your contact information.
- 2. Check a **Resource Area of Interest** below.
- 3. Return this completed form to the SBA Nevada District Office.
- 4. After you receive our list of suggested resources, check them out online, by phone, or in person to see what they can do for you.

Contact Information:

We need your name <u>and</u> an email address or physical mailing address where we can send the suggested resource list.

Resource Area of Interest (check one):

- Marketing and Communications
- Contracting Government or Private Sector
- Access to Capital (Funding)
- Accounting and Recordkeeping
- Business Planning and Development
- Licensing and Registration

Where to Return Your Challenge Form:

By Email:

nvdo@sba.gov

By Regular Mail:

SBA Nevada District Office 300 S. Fourth Street, Suite 400 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101



By Fax:

702-388-6469

← Mark the box for the Resource Area where you could use more help or information for your business.