



Upcoming Industry Call Information

We will be hosting an industry call on **Thursday, June 18 at 10:00 AM.**

We will provide a couple updates and be available to answer questions. We would like to hear from you about your experiences with re-opening.

We would love to see your smiling face there!

[Link to June 18 Call Invitation](#)

Meeting ID: 835 1794 5832

Password: CHARR

or

Call in at 1-253-215-8782

Meeting ID: 835 1794 5832

Password: 514367

Revised PPP Forgiveness Application

Today, the U.S. Small Business Administration, in consultation with the Department of the Treasury, posted a revised, borrower-friendly Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loan forgiveness application implementing the PPP Flexibility Act of 2020, signed into law by President Trump on June 5, 2020. In addition to revising the full

forgiveness application, SBA also published a new EZ version of the forgiveness application that applies to borrowers that:

Are self-employed and have no employees; OR

Did not reduce the salaries or wages of their employees by more than 25%, and did not reduce the number or hours of their employees; OR

Experienced reductions in business activity as a result of health directives related to COVID-19, and did not reduce the salaries or wages of their employees by more than 25%.

The EZ application requires fewer calculations and less documentation for eligible borrowers. Details regarding the applicability of these provisions are available in the instructions to the new EZ application form.

Both applications give borrowers the option of using the original 8-week covered period (if their loan was made before June 5, 2020) or an extended 24-week covered period. These changes will result in a more efficient process and make it easier for businesses to realize full forgiveness of their PPP loan.

Click [here](#) to view the EZ Forgiveness Application.
Click [here](#) to view the Full Forgiveness Application.

Hospitality Employee Relief Fund

Funds were raised to support hospitality industry workers who had their hours reduced or were laid off due to the COVID-19 pandemic. If you know of employees who are in need and hold a TAP card, have them contact their [local CHARR affiliate](#) to collect a gift card for a local restaurant. Employees in the Anchorage area should visit the Alaska CHARR office to obtain gift cards.

TAP Update

We have resumed in-person classes in most areas in the state. Please check our [website](#) for class schedules and remember that if there is an in-person class in your area during the month, you are prohibited by law from taking an online course and are required to take an in-person class. If you take the online course when there is a class in your area, you will not receive a refund from the online course, and will be required to attend and pay for the in-person class before receiving a TAP card. If you have questions about classes in your area, please [contact](#) our office.

Alaska CHARR Membership

Have you appreciated all the resources CHARR has provided during this crisis? Consider becoming a member so that we can continue to provide you the most up-to-date information and resources in addition to our regular fantastic benefits. Contact Rory McAllister, our Membership & Gaming Manager, for more information at 907-274-8133 or rmcallister@alaskacharr.com.

Help us in the fight to #saveAKhospitality! Together, we are #alaskastrong.

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