Subject Line: Important information about PPP Loans

The Paycheck Protection Program is back with an additional round of loans available for small businesses, and Verity is here again to help local businesses navigate the application process.

This time around, businesses are **able to apply for PPP loans online**. Verity members are invited to use our [**PPP application portal**](https://onlineapplication.wolterskluwer.com/ola/servlet/SmartForm.html?formCode=pppq&clientID=44798VerityCreditUnion). Please note the first step is fill out a questionnaire about your business and what the loan funds will be used for. You will need to have your business TIN (EIN/SSN) in order to start the questionnaire.

While formal application dates have not been released yet, current expectations are the [**Small Business Administration**](https://www.sba.gov/) will start accepting applications the second week of January.

For businesses who are not members of Verity, we are still here to assist you. Contact me **Richard Stirgus** at **206-641-2866** to get started in establishing your membership, and we’re happy to assist with your PPP loan as well.

Verity was here for small businesses and non-profits throughout the Seattle area with the first round of PPP loans, and we’re back again to ensure that small businesses have the assistance they deserve with this important process. Our commercial loan team will walk you through the process, answer all of your questions, and be there with you through the forgiveness phase of the program. We’re small enough to provide you the personal attention you deserve from people who care about socially responsible banking, and we’re big enough to make sure the job gets done. Our local branch managers are here and available for all of your business banking needs.

Please call me with any questions you have or if we can be of assistance in any way. Or you can [visit our website](http://www.veritycu.com/ppp) for more information about the changes in this round of PPP lending.

If you need assistance with the application or loan forgiveness process, please

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I’m happy to help.

Helpful links:

* [**Verity PPP application portal**](https://onlineapplication.wolterskluwer.com/ola/servlet/SmartForm.html?formCode=pppq&clientID=44798VerityCreditUnion)
* [**PPP Forgiveness questionnaire**](https://onlineapplication.wolterskluwer.com/ola/servlet/SmartForm.html?formCode=pppforgiveness&clientID=44798VerityCreditUnion)
* [**Small Business Administration Paycheck Protection Program webpage**](https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/paycheck-protection-program)