\$100,000 Guaranteed To Start or Grow A Small Business









Business Credit Literacy Initiative (BCLI) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit that assists entrepreneurs in starting and growing businesses.

As a Member of the Money Smart for Small Business Alliance, co-developed by the FDIC and the SBA, BCLI educates entrepreneurs and provides access to capital.

BCLI has been selected to exclusively administer the Business Credit Builder™ program designed to provide a minimum of \$100,000 for entrepreneurs to start or grow a business without the use of personal guarantees or the use of the founder's Social Security Number. Thus, no minimum personal credit scores to participate.

Business Credit Builder™ Program Description

A partially, grant-funded program developed with input from SCORE Certified Mentors nationally, the Business Credit Builder[™] Program offers entrepreneurs the capital needed to start or grow a business with the following features:

- Guarantee of at least \$100,000 of business credit/funding.
- \$0 upfront cost for the Program (however participants will be responsible to open and pay trade lines and related costs).
- Close mentoring/coaching to navigate the process to both become "business credit ready" as well as to build business credit thereafter.
- At no cost, to accelerate the business credit building process, BCLI will literally purchase and provide high dollar trade lines to be added to the participants' business credit profile.
- Obtain credit cards, loans, lines of credit, auto loans/leases, buy real estate, etc. in your company's name and EIN.
- Perfect for pre-launch, start-ups or existing businesses.

According to the SBA, there are three major benefits of building business credit:

- 1. Large credit capacity. Businesses have 10x to 100x the credit capacity of individuals.
- 2. Increase company value. As good business credit is transferrable, it increases the valuation of the business to investors and/or buyers.
- 3. Protect personal credit. This eliminates the use of personal credit and guarantees.



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