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### 2022 AAPISTRONG Restaurant Fund Application

### Eligibility Requirements

1. Is your restaurant at least 51% Asian American or Pacific Islander (AAPI) owned? (required)**\***
	1. Yes
	2. No
2. Is your restaurant based in the United States? (required)**\***
	1. Yes
	2. No
3. Is your restaurant currently in operation? (required)**\***
	1. Yes
	2. No
4. Do you own or operate a restaurant whose primary licensed business activity is "the preparation and serving of food"? (required)**\***
	1. Yes
	2. No
5. Does your restaurant operate in a maximum of three locations? (required)**\***
	1. Yes
	2. No
6. Is your restaurant a franchise?**\***
	1. Yes
	2. No

### Restaurant Overview

Restaurant Name (required)**\***

Restaurant Address

Restaurant City

Restaurant State

Restaurant Zip Code

Do you offer delivery services for your restaurant? (required)**\***

1. Yes
2. No

Is food delivery a big part of your business?**\***

1. Absolutely Yes
2. Somewhat
3. Unsure
4. Not Really
5. Absolutely Not

Do you see food delivery becoming a bigger part of your business in the future?**\***

1. Absolutely Yes
2. Somewhat
3. Unsure
4. Not Really
5. Absolutely Not

Does your restaurant have a website? (required)**\***

1. Yes
2. No

Does your restaurant have social media accounts? (required)**\***

1. Yes
2. No

**Applicant Information**

Are you filling this out on behalf of the restaurant owner?

1. Yes
2. No, I am the owner.

What is your full name?

What email can we use to reach you?

**Restaurant Owner Information**

Restaurant owner name (required)**\***

Restaurant owner ethnicity (required)**\***

How many years have you owned this restaurant? (required)**\***

**Restaurant Information**

What type of food does your restaurant serve? (required)**\***

Number of full-time employees(required)**\***

Number of part time employees (required)**\***

How many years has your business been operational? (required)**\***

**\*If your business is permanently closed you are not eligible for this opportunity.**

Is COVID-19 currently affecting your business?

1. Yes
2. Unsure
3. No

If yes, what losses have you experienced? (required)**\***

1. Reduction in sales
2. Increased cost of doing business
3. Inability to make rent or mortgage payments
4. Cancellation of group reservations/special events
5. Pay/salary cuts for staff
6. Termination of staff
7. Losses due to deposits, leases, and other down payments that will not be refunded
8. Other

Has your business experienced vandalism, discrimination, or online harassment because of your ethnicity? (required)**\***

1. Yes
2. No

If yes, please explain the situation or event that occurred at your place of business. (required)**\***

Please explain if/how your business serves your community. If your business does not volunteer in the community, please type "N/A" (required)**\***

Pick up to three areas in which you will use this grant to help your business (required)**\***

1. Rebuilding/renovation
2. Purchasing new equipment
3. Paying employees
4. Paying rent/lease
5. Purchasing product
6. Updating digital/e-commerce presence
7. Marketing
8. Technology upgrade

Please explain in further detail how you would use these funds (required)**\***

Do you think it is a good time to be a small business/restaurant owner?**\***

1. Absolutely Yes
2. Somewhat
3. Unsure
4. Not Really
5. Absolutely Not

Are you optimistic about the future of your business?**\***

1. Absolutely Yes
2. Somewhat
3. Unsure
4. Not Really
5. Absolutely Not

Are you a United States veteran?**\***

1. Yes
2. No

Upload a copy of your restaurant’s local or state business license as a food establishment (required)**\***

Is your restaurant operating as a corporation or limited liability company? (required)**\***

1. Yes
2. No

If yes, please upload your certificate of good standing (required)**\***

Upload your 2021 Profit & Loss Statement**\***

Upload a one-minute video (optional but encouraged)

Upload your menu (optional but encouraged)



By submitting this application you acknowledge that you will be added to the National ACE mailing list, of which you can unsubscribe at any time.**\***



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