

## Local Resources

- [St. Petersburg Chamber of Commerce](#)  
Business and visitor information with membership benefits
- [Entrepreneurial Academy](#)  
A training program for entrepreneurs through the St. Petersburg Chamber
- [Masters Academy](#)  
A seven week program deepening the understanding of commercial profitability and improving leadership capacity through the St. Petersburg Chamber
- [Small Business Development Center](#)  
A free service through the University of South Florida (USF) that offers various resources to small business
- [Small Business Administration](#)  
A guide to managing business from start to finish, including SBA loan and Stimulus Plan programs
- [SCORE](#)  
Counselors to America's Small Business funded by the Small Business Administration (SBA)
- [STAR TEC](#)  
Technology Incubator Center
- [Coalition for Homeless](#)  
Homeless support available through Pinellas County
- [Incentive Look Up Wizard](#)  
The city of St. Petersburg's Planning and Economic Development Department has unveiled a new online Incentive Lookup Wizard. It is designed to inform businesses exactly which incentive programs they may be eligible for, by simply answering a few questions
- [WorkNet Pinellas](#)  
An employee training, support, and recruitment service for business; LEAPS Employer Stimulus Program
- [Business Assistance Partnership Program](#)  
A Pinellas County initiative for small business
- [Pinellas County "Entrepreneurs"](#)  
Training and support program for entrepreneurs through Pinellas County
- [Pinellas County Business Survey](#)  
Annual data report generated by small business on the issues and small business landscape in Pinellas County
- [Pinellas County Business Development Center](#)  
Resource center for starting, growing, or planning a small business in Pinellas County
- [Virtual Entrepreneur Center](#)  
An extension of the FHTC (Florida High Tech Corridor), a database of 23 counties' business support
- [Small Business Reference](#)  
Download the complete 12-section SBR guide