



Access to Capital Small Business Relief

The City of Charlotte Access to Capital program was developed as part of the Open for Business initiative. The program provides **\$30,340,000** in funding to local small businesses, acting as a lifeline during the uncertainties of operating a business during a pandemic.

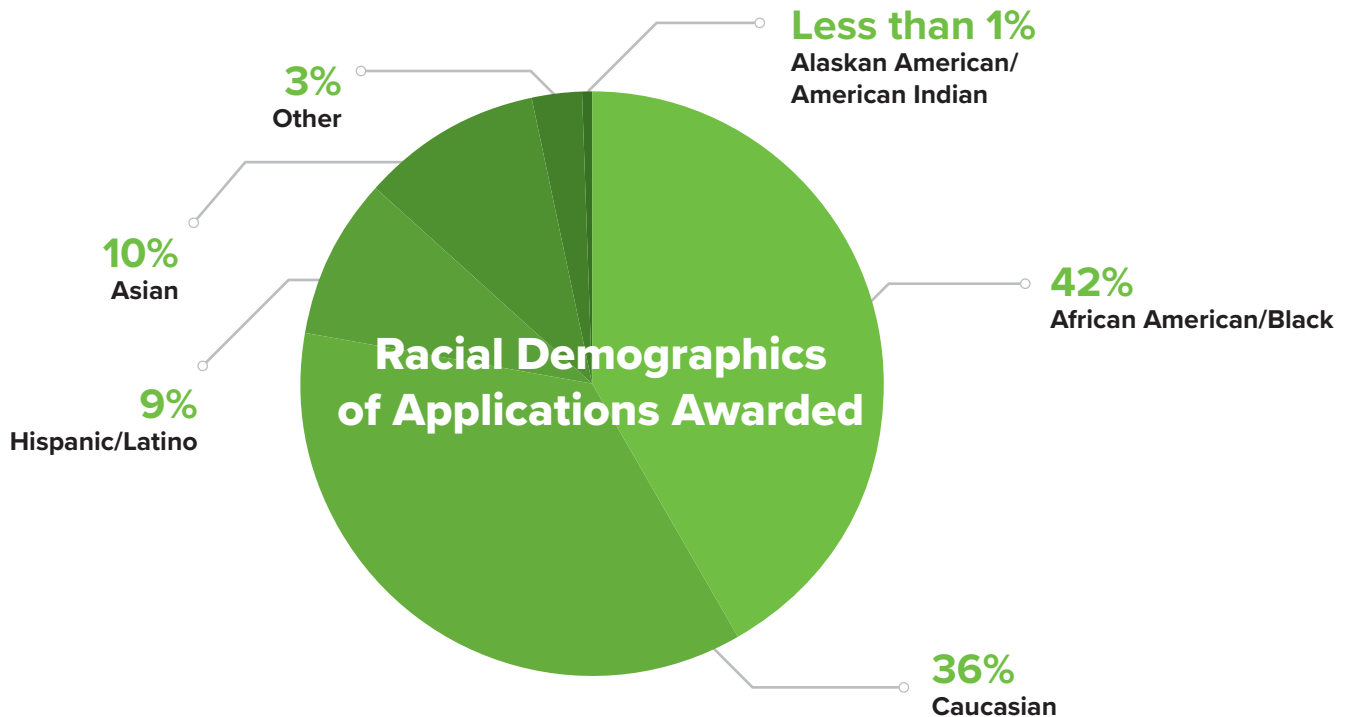
Total Applications Awarded

2,500 Awards
Total Awards Approved

2,144 Awards
Micro Businesses (71%)

356 Awards
Small Businesses (29%)

\$30.34m
Total Dollars Awarded



Total Awards Submitted

4,469
Applicants

3,821
Micro Businesses (82%)

648
Small Businesses (18%)

\$60.610M
Total Dollars Requested

Gender demographics of applications awarded:

Male	58%
Female	42%
Non-binary	Less than 1%

Years in Business applications awarded:

8+ years	49%
4-7years	24%
1-3 years	26%
Less than one year	1%



Access to Capital Food & Beverage Support

\$7.15m fund to provide grants to small businesses in the food and beverage industry

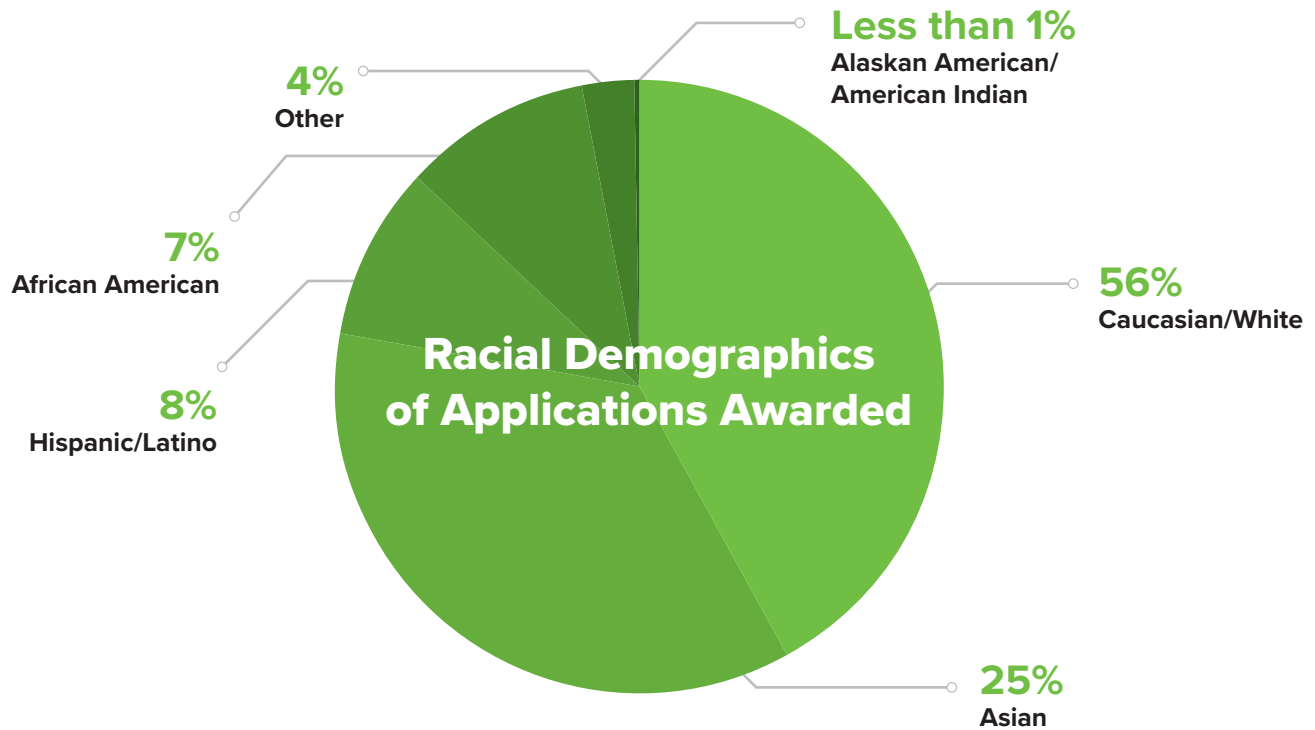
Total Applications Awarded

340 Awards
Total Awards Approved

90
Micro Businesses (13%)

250
Small Businesses (87%)

\$7.15m
Total Dollars Awarded



Total Applications Submitted

658
Applicants

217
Micro Businesses (33%)

441
Small Businesses (67%)

\$13.195M
Total Dollars Requested

Gender demographics of applications awarded:

Male	73%
Female	26%
Non-binary	1%

Years in Business applications awarded:

8+ years	44%
4-7years	25%
1-3 years	28%
Less than one year	3%