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I'm a business in Coban does the city have any financial assistance or support yes the

0:00:05.520,0:00:10.080 the city offers a range of economic development grants to help your business grow and thrive

0:00:10.080,0:00:14.320 if you're a business owner in the city of Coburn or serve the Coburn community, then

0:00:14.320,0:00:19.520 you could be eligible for a grant of up to \$5,000 is amazing how do I know what grant to

0:00:19.520,0:00:25.360 apply for there are three streams of funding for business grants training and development of digital

0:00:25.360,0:00:30.800 technology and cyber security and innovation and major projects training and development grants

0:00:30.800,0:00:34.480 can help support the costs of professional development accredited training for you or

0:00:34.480,0:00:39.440 your staff and business mentoring digital technology and cyber security grants offer

0:00:39.440,0:00:44.800 you support with website design copywriting e-commerce improvements digital improvements

0:00:44.800,0:00:49.600 across your business or cyber security upgrades and finally, for those focused on innovation and

0:00:49.600,0:00:55.040 major projects, especially within the blue economy or maritime sector we offer matched funding

0:00:55.040,0:01:00.320 grant this stream is designed to boost business growth support export initiatives or kickstart

0:01:00.320,0:01:05.760 new projects, thanks for all that information how do I apply for business grant applications are

0:01:05.760,0:01:10.560 made online through Smarty Grants a secure and User friendly portal that keeps all your

0:01:10.560,0:01:16.480 documents organised, you'll need internet access and a computer tablet or smartphone to use Smarty 0:01:16.480,0:01:21.440

Grants what kind of projects have been approved for funding in the past you'll be amazed by the

0:01:21.440,0:01:26.720 type of projects we fund from a bike fitting service for a physio to a specialized training

0:01:26.720,0:01:32.320 course for a boutique gym a new website for a cookie maker and even a trade show stand for a

0:01:32.320,0:01:37.760 fishing retailer there's no project too big or too small I'm inspired how can I prepare the

0:01:37.760,0:01:43.280 best application for my business great question start your application early and don't forget to

0:01:43.280,0:01:50.240 include supporting documentation documents include quotations bank statements and letters of support

0:01:50.240,0:01:55.120 this will give your application the best chance of success you mentioned quotations what should

0:01:55.120,0:02:01.760 be included in funding requests of \$500 or more require two quotations these must include the

0:02:01.760,0:02:07.920 organization's ABN address and price for goods or services make sure you leave yourself plenty of

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time to source quotes where can I go to learn more and start my application your first stop should be

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the city's website to find out when the next round of business grants is open there are some great

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resources there along with the grant guidelines and frequently asked questions the city's business

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engagement team are here to help you on your business journey so reach out to us anytime