

I recognize that there are many challenges facing small businesses in Connecticut. From getting access to capital, receiving technical assistance, or training your workforce, I want to work to ensure our businesses are in the best position to grow and prosper.

I would like to invite you to join me for my upcoming Small Business Federal Resources Seminar on Tuesday, June 1st at Manchester Community College.

Small Business Federal Resources Seminar

Hosted by Congressman John B. Larson

Tuesday June 1, 2010

SBM Charitable Foundation Auditorium

Manchester Community College

Great Path Rd.

Manchester, CT

Registration: 8:00AM – 8:30AM

Seminar: 8:30AM – 10:30AM

The event will provide small businesses an opportunity to connect with federal, state, and local agencies. In addition, small businesses will learn about beneficial tax credits included in the recently passed health care legislation. Listed below are examples of agencies that will discuss how their resources and programs could be useful to our business community:

- U.S. Small Business Administration
- U.S. Department of Commerce
- U.S. Department of Labor
- Internal Revenue Service
- Small Business Development Center
- Connecticut Procurement Technical Assistance Program
- Connecticut Center for Advanced Technology
- Connecticut Department of Economic and Community Development
- Connecticut Department of Insurance

Space is limited, so please RSVP by **Friday, May 28** by contacting my District office at 860-278-8888. For questions or more information, you may also contact Conor Quinn in my District office at 860-278-8888.

Small businesses represent the cornerstone of our economy, responsible for creating 80 percent of our new jobs. I look forward to working with you to build on this strength as we create jobs and economic prosperity throughout the communities of the 1st District.