



## **Pontiac Business Owners** Pitch your idea to a panel of industry experts

# WIN\$90,000

in Cash and Prizes | Application deadline: March 31, 2023

The Pitch'N Pontiac Competition is your chance to win cash and consulting services to grow your business.

Apply Today. It's Easy. (Applications go live March 1)

### **Important Dates**

March 31

**Application Due** 

#### April 7

**Five Finalists Announced** 

**April 24, 27 and May 2** 

Pitch Prep Workshops for Finalists

#### May 4

Pitch'N Pontiac **LIVE Competition** 

#### **Location:**

The Crofoot 1 S Saginaw St. Pontiac MI 48342

**Questions? Email:** 

info@miceed.org

- Make sure your business meets the eligibility requirments:
  - Business must be registered with the State of Michigan and City of Pontiac
  - Business must be associated with the Food, Lifestyle, Healthy Living, IT/Tech or other industries
  - Business Stage: start up existing business
  - Full list of eligibility requirements is provided online.
- 2 Option 1: Go to greatlakeswbc.org/ceed-lending to apply.
  - Make sure completed application is submitted by March 31, at 11:59 pm EST
- Option 2: Attend one of the informational sessions located at:

Pontiac Public Library | 60 E Pike St #2225, Pontiac, MI 48342

**Dates & Times:** 

March 3rd, 7th | 10 - 11am and March 16th | 6 - 7 pm

March 18th Virtual / Zoom 10 am

#### **Pitch Competition**

If you are chosen as a finalist, you will receive an email AND phone call with specific instructions about dates, locations, and times.

Please refer to greatlakeswbc.org/ceed-lending for Pitch 'N Pontiac competition updates.

1st Prize New Business — \$30,000 + Consulting Hours

1st Prize Existing Business — \$30,000 + Consulting Hours

**2nd Prize People's Choice** — \$30,000 + Consulting Hours

Organizer











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