

Business Resources

Starting a Business

U.S Small Business Association (SBA)

<http://www.sba.gov/category/navigation-structure/starting-managing-business/starting-business>

Southeastern Connecticut Enterprise Region – Starting a Business

<http://www.secter.org/Home/Tools/StartingaBusiness/tabid/99/Default.aspx>

For complete information on how Groton can support your start-up, call Paige Bronk, our Economic and Community Development Manager at (860)448-4095 or email him at pbronk@groton-ct.gov.

Business Support

Southeastern Connecticut Enterprise Region (seCTer) – Resources;

<http://www.secter.org/Home/Resources/tabid/82/Default.aspx>

Connecticut Economic Resource Center – Resources

<http://www.cerc.com/Content/Resources.asp>

U.S Small Business Association (SBA)

<http://www.sba.gov/advantage>

Score – A nonprofit association dedicated to the success of small businesses

<http://southeasternconnecticut.score.org/chapters/southeastern-ct-score>

Finance

SBA Loan Programs

<http://www.sba.gov/category/navigation-structure/loans-grants/small-business-loans/sba-loan-programs>

SBA – Small Business Investment Companies

<http://products.cerc.com/brinfo.nsf/All/12489AFB6EC3581685256A4800734042?OpenDocument>

Other

Licensing a business in Connecticut

<http://www.ct-clic.com/>

Communications/Public Relations

<http://www.secter.org/Default.aspx?tabid=106>

Marketing

<http://www.cerc.com/Content/Marketing.asp>

Exporting your product or service

<http://export.gov/>

Connecticut Procurement Technical Assistance Program

(Provides marketing and procurement assistance to Connecticut businesses interested in selling their goods or services to federal, state, or local governments.)

<http://ctptap.org/>