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Bridge Forward Technology Announces Web Grant San Francisco 2026

San Francisco, CA – Bridge Forward Technology, in partnership with the Tri Counties Bank and the San Francisco Housing Development Corporation [SFHDC](#), is proud to announce the return of **Web Grant San Francisco**, a transformative program designed to empower small business owners by bringing their presence online and expanding their reach into the digital marketplace. The program is made possible through the generous support of [Tri Counties Bank](#).

Web Grant San Francisco aims to bridge the digital divide by equipping small businesses with essential tools and resources to build a professional online presence. Grant recipients will receive a comprehensive marketing package, including:

- A custom brochure-style website tailored to their business needs, built by Bailey Ave Inc.
- Professional logo design and assistance securing a domain name.
- One year of website maintenance

“Web Grant San Francisco reflects our commitment to leveling the playing field for small businesses, particularly those in underserved communities,” said Anthony Bailey, Co Founder of Bridge Forward Technology. “By equipping business owners with the tools to thrive online, we’re fostering innovation, growth, and opportunities for long-term success.”

The San Francisco Housing Development Corporation is an essential partner in this initiative, reinforcing the shared mission of supporting diverse entrepreneurs and ensuring equitable access to resources.

“Tri Counties Bank has a long history of investing in the financial success and well-being of the communities it serves,” said Rose Pereira, Vice President and Community Development Officer at Tri Counties Bank. “Web Grant San Francisco ensures that small business owners can focus on growing their businesses without the burden of the initial website costs and the first year of content upkeep.”

Applications for Web Grant San Francisco are now open, with the program targeting businesses that lack a current online presence or need support in transitioning to e-commerce. Business owners interested in applying can click the link to apply. [Web Grant San Francisco Application](#)

About Bridge Forward Technology

Bridge Forward is committed to creating opportunities for underserved communities through innovative programs that empower individuals and businesses. From fostering digital literacy to providing resources for economic development. The initiatives aim to build a brighter future for all. www.bridgeforwardtech.org/webgrant

About the San Francisco Housing Development Corporation

The San Francisco Housing Development Corporation is a nonprofit organization dedicated to expanding economic opportunity and housing stability for communities throughout the San Francisco Bay Area. Through programs focused on affordable housing development, financial education, and small business support, the organization works to strengthen neighborhoods, promote economic mobility, and help residents and entrepreneurs build long-term financial security. <https://sfhdc.org/>

About Tri Counties Bank

Established in 1975, Tri Counties Bank is a wholly-owned subsidiary of TriCo Bancshares (NASDAQ: TCBK), headquartered in Chico, California with corporate offices in Roseville, South San Francisco, and Bakersfield, with assets of nearly \$10 billion and 50 years of financial stability. Tri Counties Bank is dedicated to providing exceptional service for individuals and businesses throughout California with more than 75 locations, advanced mobile and online banking, and access to approximately 40,000 surcharge-free ATMs nationwide. As California's Local Bank, Tri Counties Bank prioritizes serving clients with local bankers and local decision-making, backed by corporate philanthropy, community engagement, employee volunteerism and investments. Recognized by various publications as among the Top Workplaces and Best Banks, Tri Counties Bank recruits and retains diverse and talented team members. Visit TriCountiesBank.com to learn more. Member FDIC. Equal Housing Lender. NMLS #458732.

About Bailey Ave Inc.

Bailey Ave Inc. is a Central Valley based technology services firm specializing in website development, digital communications, and technology solutions for small businesses, nonprofits, and community organizations. The company focuses on helping organizations establish a professional online presence through modern website design, reliable hosting, and ongoing technical support. Through its partnership with Bridge Forward Technology's Web Grant Program, Bailey Ave Inc. provides the technical development and implementation of websites awarded to grant recipients, ensuring that participating businesses launch with a professional, functional, and scalable digital platform. www.baileyave.com