

## Have a business or aspire to own one?

For the Step Up Loan Fund, only residents of SE Colorado Springs are eligible.

This is tentatively defined by zip codes: 80909 (below Galley Rd), 80910, 80911, and 80916.

Qualified applicants that live or operate a business in the loan fund area will benefit from a 2% reduction on the interest rate on the loan.

Apply online anytime at [www.us.accion.org](http://www.us.accion.org) or contact a loan officer to schedule an over-the-phone or in-person consultation.

Please contact either of the Accion loan officers listed below.

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Transforming  
Safety  
Colorado

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Step Up Loan Fund

Small Business Lending Program  
of Transforming Safety



- Financing up to \$50,000
- Flexible loan terms
- Reasonable interest rates

## Transforming Safety

The Transforming Safety project is investing in Southeast (SE) Colorado Springs to support community development that focuses on preventing crime in the first place by providing funding for small business lending and a community grant program. Accion has been selected as the microlending partner for the Transforming Safety Project in SE Colorado Springs.

## Accion

Accion is a Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI) partnering with the Transforming Safety project in the SE Colorado Springs area. To qualify for the Step Up Loan Fund, small business must be residents of SE Colorado Springs. This is tentatively defined by zip codes: 80909 (below Galley Rd.), 80910, 80911, and 80916. [www.us.accion.org](http://www.us.accion.org)

## Ideas

Our client businesses include:

- Manufacturing facilities;
- Retail locations;
- Franchises;
- Business expansions & acquisitions;
- Startups;
- Non-profit organizations; and
- other small businesses.

## Empower

We increase access to credit, make loans, provide training and other support services, including credit reporting and business counseling. Accion empowers people to be catalysts for positive change one small business at a time.

## Relationships

We're honored to not only partner with amazing people who want to own their own businesses, but also to play a part in helping to build a more vibrant, inclusive, and connected community.