Eligibility Guidelines:

**Small Business:** Among other factors like household income and business revenue, we review whether the applicant’s business will advance economic development in historically disinvested communities of color.

**Nonprofit:** Illinois nonprofits with 501c3, 501c4, or 501c6 status (or seeking such formation assistance) that advance race equity or economic opportunity, or primarily serve low-income or underserved people and communities.

**Social Enterprise:** regardless of entity type, eligibility factors include, but are not limited to, the social enterprise’s social mission, benefit to the community, and its allocation of income and assets to support the social mission.