



MIGORI COUNTY ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM

Empowering Communities, transforming lives

CALL FOR APPLICATION

MIGORI COUNTY EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM FUNDING

Migori County is pleased to announce a call for applications for the Economic Empowerment Program Funding (MCEEF). This initiative aims to support innovative projects and businesses that drive economic growth, create jobs, and improve livelihoods within the county. The Program is designed to empower entrepreneurs, SMEs, and community groups with financial support to scale their operations and contribute to the county's economic development.

1) Who Can Apply?

1. Residents of Migori County.
2. Entrepreneurs with innovative business ideas.
3. Existing businesses seeking expansion or growth opportunities.
4. Youth, women, and persons with disabilities (PWDs) are encouraged to apply.

2) Funding Categories:

1. **Startup Capital:** Funding for new business ventures.
2. **Expansion Funds:** Financial support for existing businesses looking to scale up operations.
3. **Equipment Purchase:** Assistance for purchasing machinery, tools, or equipment.
4. **Working Capital:** Support for day-to-day business operations.

3) Eligibility Criteria

1. Is a resident registered as a voter in Migori County
2. Is operating a registered business activities within Migori County
3. Has valid national identification documents ((Identity card or passport)
4. Has an active bank account
5. Is in possession of a valid Kenya revenue authority pin
6. If businesses, it must be legally registered and compliant with all local regulations.

4) Other key considerations

1. Projects should align with the county's strategic development goals
2. Projects must demonstrate potential for economic growth and job creation.
3. Applicants must provide a clear and sustainable business plan.
4. Priority will be given to projects that address local challenges and utilize local resources.
5. Women, youth and people living with disability (PLWD)-led initiatives are highly encouraged to apply

5) Application requirement.

1. Completed and duly filled application form
2. Copy of registration certificate
3. Business proposal detailing your business idea, objectives, and plans for sustainability.
4. Bank statements
5. Financial records for existing business
6. KRA pins for group leaders (Chair, Secretary, Treasurer)
7. KRA pin for the group
8. List of members with IDs, gender, age, telephone numbers and polling stations
9. Group constitution
10. Minutes of group meetings
11. Any additional documents supporting your application (e.g business registration certificate, permits, etc.)

6) How to Apply:

1. Download the application form available at the Migori County Government website <http://www.migori.go.ke> , www.migori.go.ke or pick at the sub county trade and cooperative offices
2. Fill out the form accurately and attach all required documents. Submit your complete application to the subcounty trade and cooperative offices

The applications will be addressed to the Chairperson County Economic Empowerment Committee.

7) Application Deadline:

1. All applications must be received by 27th September 2024 at 5:00pm. Late submissions will not be considered.

8) Contact Information:

For inquiries and submission of applications, please contact:

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