



CHAT ROOM NOTES –

DIALOGUE #9 –

THE WAY FORWARD FOR SMALL AND LATINO BUSINESSES *EL CAMINO A SEGUIR*

- 00:21:37 Hernan Aristizabal: Buenos días para todos.
- 00:22:59 Carlos Tapias: Buenos dias para todos
- 00:24:32 Alberto Calvo: Welcome everyone!! Please note your name and business and e-mail address
- 00:24:39 jorge pagan,atp tax preparer: buenos días
- 00:24:45 Frances Martinez: Buenos Dias por la mañana - Good morning to all - Frances Martinez "North Shore Latino Business Association" 781-596-8300 email: nslatinobusinessasso@comcast.net
- 00:37:19 jorge pagan,atp tax preparer: Jorge Pagan-Ramos, ATP, Tax Preparer - PR Income Tax Services at West Wareham , cell phone 508-496-2800, email:
- 00:38:00 jorge pagan,atp tax preparer: email: princometax@yahoo.com
- 00:38:44 jorge pagan,atp tax preparer: thanks to having me my third meeting , appreciate ! Jp
- 00:39:35 Angel Silvestrini: Buenos días. Good morning. Abogado Angel Silvestrini 617-8205228 info@latinxlegal.com. Un placer de estar con ustedes. A pleasure speaking with you today. Díganos sus preguntas. Let us know your questions.
- 00:41:38 Alberto Calvo: Here is the link to Partnerships for Growth that Juan Vega is talking about
- 00:41:41 Alberto Calvo: <https://www.mass.gov/news/baker-polito-administration-releases-partnerships-for-growth-economic-development-plan>
- 00:42:49 Alberto Calvo: Please post your questions on the chat for discussion later on



00:48:39 Karla Jaramillo: Good morning - Karla Jaramillo from Commonwealth Corporation <http://commcorp.org/>. Another state program available to business is called the Workforce Training Fund. For more information please go to <http://workforcetrainingfund.org/>

00:54:23 Paul Montesino: I am in the publishing business and luckily all my books, in English, Spanish, and bilingual are on sale at the Amazon.com platform.

01:05:33 Alberto Calvo: Please post your questions on the chat

01:05:47 Sergio Espinoza: Sergio M. Espinoza We Serve Safely Inc. Food Service Consultant S.Espinoza@WeServeSafely.com www.weservesafely.com Social Media: Facebook, Instagram, twitter, LinkedIn = @WeServeSafely Who we are and what we do: Food Service Consulting Firm- Restaurant start up consulting- Restaurant / Commercial kitchen design to build -Architecture, General contracting- Restaurant / Equipment dealer- License & Permitting- Food Safety Consulting- ServSafe Manager course & exam- Classes in Lynn every 2nd Tuesday (Spanish) & following Thursday (English) 33 Sutton St. Lynn, MA - Food Safety Course required by Health department

01:08:23 Alberto Calvo: Who has pivoted their business?

01:11:25 Bruce Young: Use of commercial kitchens for wholesale?

01:12:08 Alberto Calvo: Commonwealth kitchen is a very popular community kitchen in Boston

01:15:27 Bruce Young: Safe Serve certification is key

01:16:52 Sergio Espinoza: you can get a whole sale license as a home kitchen as long as you are permitted by your local government

01:17:47 John Perez: We just open a cloud kitchen in Holyoke MA, one the Gateway Cites in Western MA. Serve Safe Kitchen.

01:17:57 Sergio Espinoza: commonwealth kitchen is a great resource one of many options available. There are about 3 more shared kitchens in the area.

01:19:17 Sergio Espinoza: John, yes the place is called the kitchen door. I will put the link below

01:19:19 Sergio Espinoza: <https://www.thekitchendoor.com/kitchen-rental/the-peoples-kitchen>

01:19:29 Diana Moreno: Hello, I have a question Diana Moreno

01:21:16 Sergio Espinoza: <https://salemgnukitchen.com/>
<https://stockpotmaiden.com/> <https://www.thekitchendoor.com/kitchen-rental/fresh-food-culinary-center>



01:21:34 Sergio Espinoza: these are 3 shared kitchens in the greater boston area.

01:22:50 Juan Vega: Here is the link for the state's grant database on the website:
<https://www.mass.gov/community-compact-connector-campaign>

01:23:22 Jorge Andrade: https://www.sba.gov/sites/default/files/2020-05/PPP%20Forgiveness%20Application%20FINAL_SpanishVS_CLEAN_0-508.pdf

01:25:21 Hernan Aristizabal: Mil gracias por la invitación, debo retirarme para otra reunión en la Universidad.

01:34:47 Juan Vega: Thank you for the opportunity to participate in this important dialogue. Please contact me if you have any further questions at juan.vega@mass.gov. Gracias!!

01:34:54 alberto LUNA: Gracias debo salir de la reunion

01:35:17 jorge pagan,atp tax preparer: thanks