

PAYCHECK PROTECTION PROGRAM | 3508 EZ

# Your Guide to Applying for Loan Forgiveness





# We're here to help!

This How-To Apply Guide will take you through all the steps you need to take to apply for PPP Loan Forgiveness.

#### What You Need to Know

#### When to apply

Based on the wave schedule, you'll be "port enabled" and receive an email notification that you are now able to apply for Forgiveness with a link to access the portal.

#### Adding additional Users

If you need to add an additional person to assist in the completion of the Application, contact your Forgiveness Rep.

#### **Helpful Tips and Requirements**

- The Enter and Save feature allows you to enter your information, save it and return later.
- If you're unable to advance screens when selecting Next, check for required fields.
- After entering data into a field, click Tab to advance off the last field entered.
- The portal works best when launched in a Google Chrome® browser.

#### **Important Reminders**

- There are two applications available: 3508 EZ and 3508.
- You will be routed to the appropriate application based on your answers to qualifying questions.
- Once you submit the application, you cannot go back in and edit until the Northern Bank Credit Analyst. re-enables you.



# **Login and Dashboard**







You will be routed to the Dashboard



Select Marketplace from left side of Dashboard



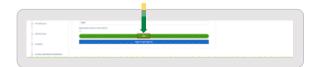
Click Apply

# **Review Business and Ownership Information and Confirm**









Review the information displayed

**Note:** If multiple entities are tied to you, all will be displayed

Click Apply with this Business

(3) Tell Us About Yourself review information on business owner

#### **Covered Period and Payroll Frequency**

In this section, you'll be required to indicate the Covered Period or Alternative Covered Period and Payroll Frequency.

Note: The side panel will provide informational text to define terms.







IF	THEN
You received the PPP Loan <i>before</i> June 5th	You can elect to use 8 weeks or 24 weeks
You received the PPP Loan <b>after</b> June 5th	You must elect 24 weeks

Select their Payroll Frequency

#### **Alternative Covered Period**



If you have a bi-weekly or more frequent period, 1 you can elect to use the Alternative Covered Period, which starts the first day of the pay period following the Disbursement Date.

IF	THEN
You do not wish to use the Alternative Payroll Covered Period	Select No
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# Application Types: Form 3508 or 3508EZ

In this section, it will be determined whether or not you are eligible to complete the EZ Form or the Standard Form.

Review the Qualification Questions

IF	THEN
You are a self-employed individual, independent contractor or sole proprietor who had no employees at the time of the Loan Application	Qualification Option 1 applies; select Yes
Qualification Option 1 doesn't apply	Select No
You did not reduce salary/wages of any employee by more than 25% and did not reduce the number of employees  Note: Ignore reductions in hours if you offered hours and employee refused	Qualification Option 2 applies; select Yes
Qualification Option 2 doesn't apply	Select No
You did not reduce salary/wages of any employee by more than 25% and you were unable to operate during the Covered Period at the same level of business activity as before 2-15-2020	Qualification Option 2 applies; select Yes
Qualification Option 3 doesn't apply	Select No

The system will determine if you are eligible for the EZ Form



You will be prompted to select the EZ Form if eligible



#### Select Yes or No

It is recommended that you utilize the EZ Form when eligible.

IF	THEN
Yes	You will proceed with the 3508 EZ Form
No	You will proceed with 3508 Standard Form

# **Payroll Costs**

In this section, we'll cover the process of entering in the Payroll related costs.



- You should enter the following information based on the Covered Period or Alternative Covered Period:
  - Total Cash Compensation paid
  - Total Amount Paid for Employee Health Insurance
  - Total Amount Paid for Employee Retirement Plans
  - Total Amount Paid for Employer State and Local Taxes
- You should then enter the total compensation paid to any owners.

Note: The owner compensation is limited; refer to the text for information.

- You should enter the total number of owners.
- Click Next

## **Employee Headcount**

In this step, you'll be prompted to enter the number of Employees at the time of Loan Application and the number of Employees at the time of Forgiveness Application.

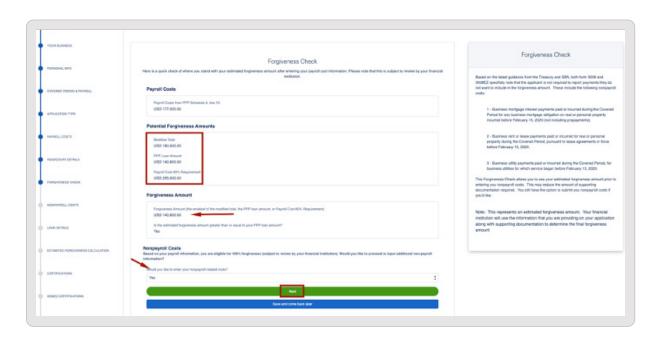
Note: This information does not impact the Forgiveness calculation.

- (1) If the Bank has the information on file from the Loan Application, the number will pre-fill
- 2 If the Bank does not have the information, you should enter the Number of Employees at time of Loan Application
- 3 You should enter the number of Employees at time of Forgiveness Application
- 4 Click Next

## Attention: All Forgiven?

IF	THEN
The amount of the payroll cost equals the PPP Loan Amount	You <b>will not</b> be prompted to enter Non-Payroll Costs You will be routed to the Forgiveness Check page
The amount of the payroll cost does not equal the PPP Loan Amount	You will be prompted to enter Non-Payroll Costs

# **Forgiveness Check**



## **Non-Payroll Costs**

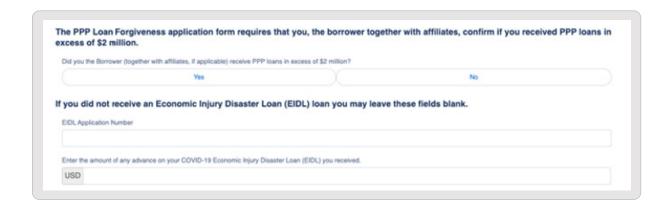
In this section, you'll be prompted to enter the Non-Payroll related expenses:

- Enter the amount used on Mortgage Interest 1
- Enter the amount used on Rent/Lease
- Enter the amount used on Utilities
- Click Next

#### **Additional Details**

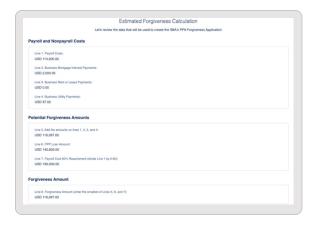
In this section, you'll be prompted to answer additional questions:

- Is the PPP loan in excess of \$2 Million?
- Did you receive any EIDL funds?



- Did you receive PPP loans in excess of \$2 Million? Select Yes or No
- 2) If you received funds via the Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL), enter the EIDL Loan Number and amount; if not continue to Step 3
- Click Next

# **Estimated Forgiveness Calculation**



Based on the information entered on previous screens, the system will calculate the Estimated Forgiveness Amount

Click Next

#### Certification



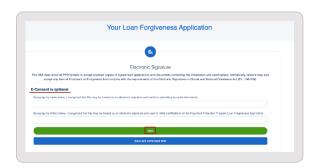
The Certification page ensures that you are supplying true and accurate information; you must certify each section

## Additional Form 3508 EZ Certification



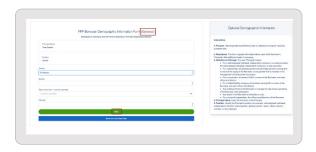
- If you used the 3508 EZ Form, you must complete Certification; Select Yes to Certify
- Click Next

## **E-Consent Electronic Signature**



- You can consent to electronic signature: Just enter name and initials to authorize the use of the electronic signature
- Click Next

# **Borrower Demographics: Optional**



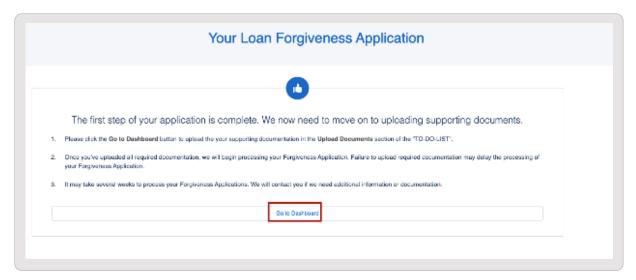
- You are then routed to the Borrower Demographic screen, which is optional
- Click Next

#### **Review and Submit**

- On the Review and Submit page, you'll have one final opportunity to review the information entered.
  - You may edit information by clicking on the Edit button for each section displayed.
  - If the information is correct, you can advance to submitting the application.

**Note:** Once the application is submitted, you cannot make any changes. (Only Northern Bank's Credit Analyst can make a change.)

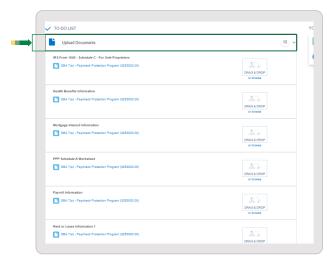
- Click Submit Application
- Click Go to Dashboard



## **Uploading Documentation**



You'll be directed to the Dashboard to upload the supporting documentation



(2) You should click on the ">" to expand the list of placeholders for the documents

#### **Placeholders**

The following are the placeholder categories:

- IRS Form 1040 Schedule C For Sole Proprietors
- Health Benefits Information
- Mortgage Interest Information
- PPP Schedule A Worksheet
- Payroll Information
- Rent or Lease Information 1
- Rent or Lease Information 2
- Retirement Information
- Utility Payment Information 1
- Utility Payment Information 2

#### **Drag and Drop or Upload**

You can Drag and Drop files into the Placeholders or click browse to search and upload files.

Files supported include Excel and Word documents, PDF and JPEG.

# We're here to help whenever you need us!

If you have questions or need help with the portal, contact your Forgiveness Rep.

