Business Services & Research July 2024

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Business Services

Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Re-cap

- Our annual service provision numbers have returned to just above pre-pandemic levels and individual technical assistance still rises to the top of the list for services provided.
- The EDB provided assistance to 55 woman-owned businesses.
- The EDB sent 42 marketing emails with an average click rate of 2.5%

Business Closures & Relocations

• Our initial outreach resulted in contacting 105 businesses by phone from May 28 to June 28 and in the coming weeks we will follow up with mailed letters and a second round of phone calls. We will also define additional parameters for the next phase of outreach.

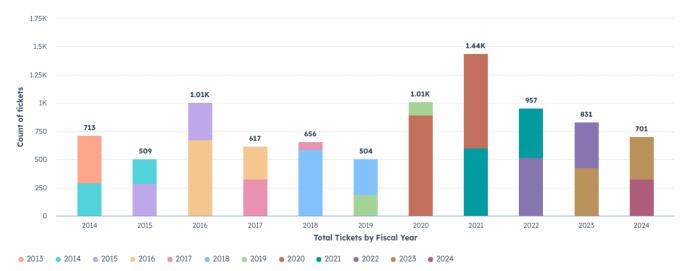


We anticipate that while this work (outreach) is to be considered on-going, that initial outreach and event will be completed by Q4 2024.

Research & Data

Welcome Jack Kampmann!

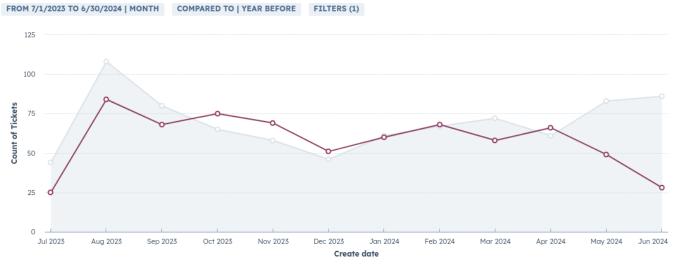
EDB Historical Data



Total Businesses Served FY24

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 FILTERS (1)

count of tickets 701



Businesses Served

Last year O Count of Tickets

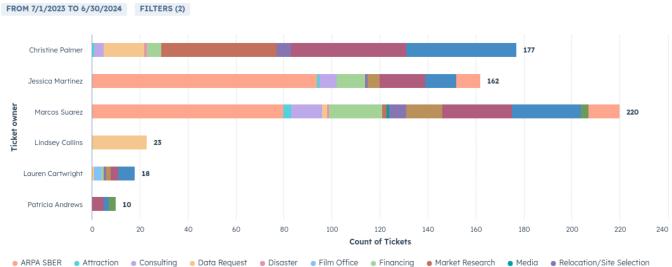
Business Assist Detail

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 FILTERS (2)

| arpa sber | ATTRACTION | broadband | consulting | data request | disaster |
|-----------------|-----------------------|------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| 115 | 5 | 9 | 87 | 52 | 2 |
| financing 51 | market research 50 | MEDIA 2 | relocation/site selection 15 | retention/expansion 23 | start up 107 |

| TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE | WORKFORCE ASSISTANCE | WORKSHOP/TRAINING |
|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 360 | 19 | 38 |

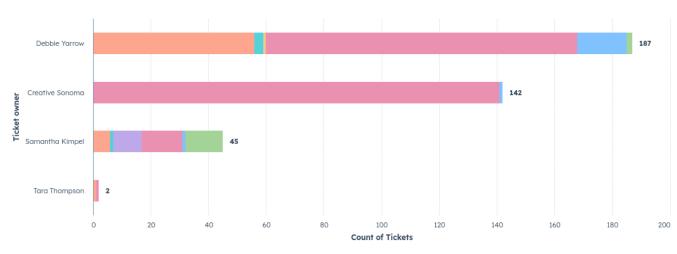
Business Services



Retention/Expansion Start Up Technical Assistance Workforce Assistance Workshop/Training

Creative Sonoma

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 FILTERS (2)

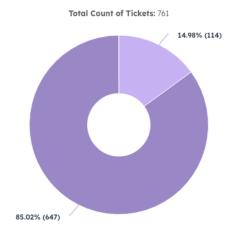


Consulting
Data Request
Financing
Retention/Expansion
Technical Assistance
Workforce Assistance
Workshop/Training

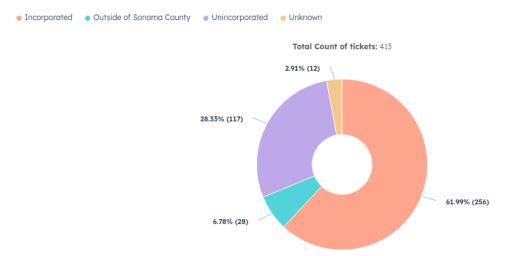
Business Type

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 FILTERS (2)

New Existing

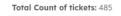


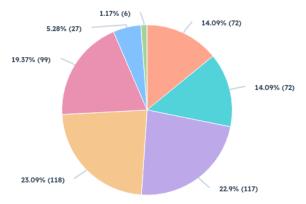
Business Location



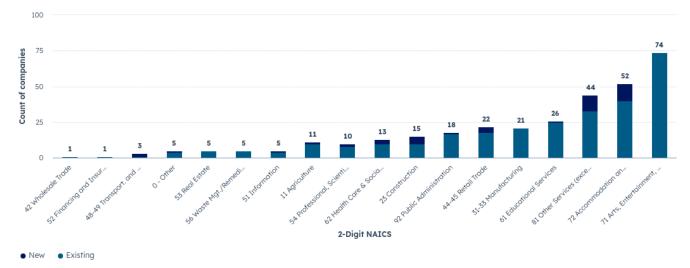
Supervisor District

• 1 • 2 • 3 • 4 • 5 • Outside of Sonoma County • Unknown





Business Industry

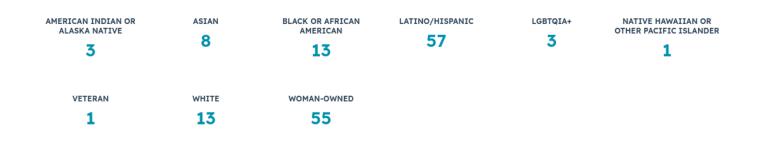


Business Industry Activity Detail

| BUSINESS ACTIVITY 🗘 | COUNT OF COMPANIES 🛛 🗘 |
|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Arts/Culture | 16 |
| Automotive | 1 |
| Beer/Cider/Spirits | 2 |
| Event Venue | 1 |
| Grocery Store/Market | 2 |
| Gym or Fitness Center | 1 |
| Healthcare/Medical | 2 |
| Hotel or Lodging | 1 |
| Report Total | 55 |

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Business Owner Demographics



Event Attendance & Presentations

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 FILTERS (2)

| Event Name | Event Status | CLOSE DATE ≑ |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| North Bay Business Journal Virtual Conference 🗷 | Event Completed (External Events) | 11/10/2021 |
| Planning for Petaluma River Park 🖄 | Event Completed (External Events) | 4/17/2024 |
| CoP for District Arts Leadership Teams 🖉 | Event Completed (External Events) | 4/8/2024 |
| CCS CoP April 2024 ⊠ | Event Completed (External Events) | 4/5/2024 |
| A Festive Thought Event 🖄 | Event Completed (External Events) | 4/5/2024 |
| SSU THAR 400 Class Presentation 🖉 | Event Completed (External Events) | 3/12/2024 |
| Art Exhibition 🖉 | Event Completed (External Events) | 2/23/2024 |
| Presentation to SCOE Leading for Impact 🖉 | Event Completed (External Events) | 3/6/2024 |

Outreach

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 FILTERS (2)

| CALL | MEETING |
|------|---------|
| 68 | 59 |

Site Visits

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 FILTERS (2)

MEETING

19

Total Marketing Contacts

ALL TIME FILTERS (1)

count of contacts 16,406

Total Email Campaigns

COUNT OF MARKETING EMAILS

42

Email Engagement Totals

FROM 7/1/2023 TO 6/30/2024 COMPARED TO | PREVIOUS 366 DAYS

| SENT | OPENED | CLICKS | CLICK RATE |
|---------|---------|---------|------------|
| 99,695 | 21,073 | 2,486 | 2.52% |
| ▼ 4.44% | ▲ 8.26% | ▼ 9.07% | ▼ 0.17% |

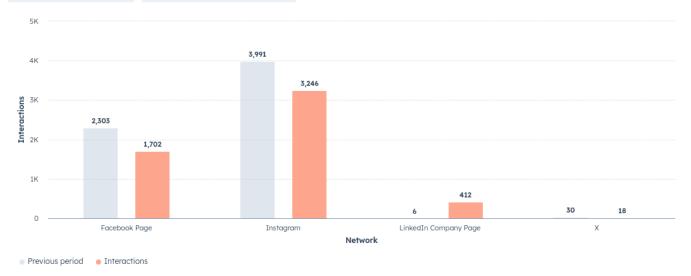
Email Activity Detail

IN THE LAST 60 DAYS

| EMAIL | SENT 🗘 | OPEN RATE | | CLICK- THROUGH RATE | UNSUBSCRIBED |
|---|--------|--------------|-------|---------------------------|--------------|
| Arts Education Alliance Summer 2024 🖉 | 450 | 44.32% | 8.24% | 18.59% | 2 |
| Sonoma County Fire Memorial Artist RFQ 🖄 | 3,503 | 20.45% | 1.44% | 7.02% | 5 |
| Creative Sonoma CURRENTS July 2024 🖉 | 3,499 | 20.08% | 2.93% | 14.59% | 4 |
| PPE Reminder Recordatorio de equipo de protección 🛽 | 2,468 | 18.18% | 0.58% | 3.19% | ~5 |
| EDB Updates June and July 2024 🖄 | 2,488 | 15.9% | 0.66% | 4.14% | 4 |

Social Media Engagement

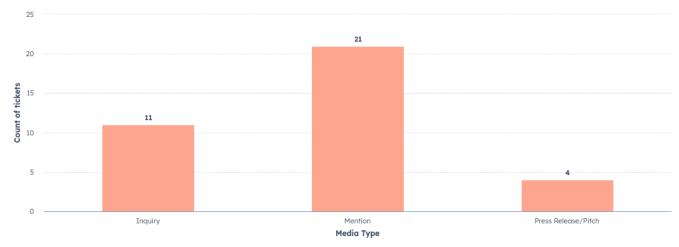
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Total Media Activity

MEDIA 32

Media Activity Detail



Count of tickets