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.

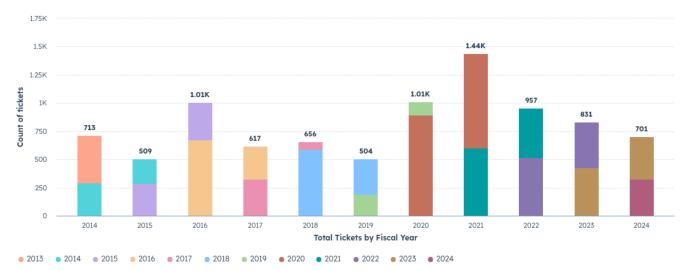


We anticipate that while this work (outreach) is to be considered on-going, that initial outreach and event will be completed by Q4 2024.

Research & Data

Welcome Jack Kampmann!

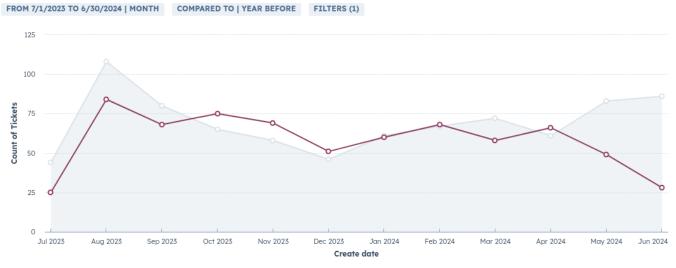
EDB Historical Data



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

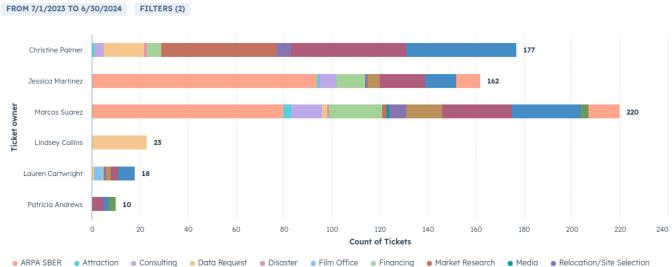
Business Assist Detail

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

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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

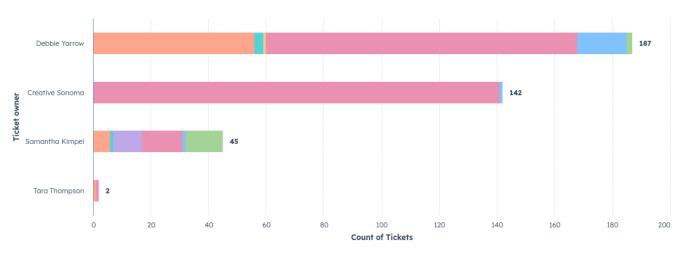
Business Services



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

Creative Sonoma

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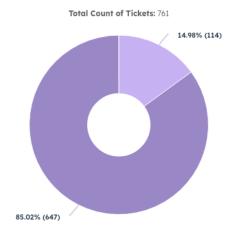


Consulting
Data Request
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Retention/Expansion
Technical Assistance
Workforce Assistance
Workshop/Training

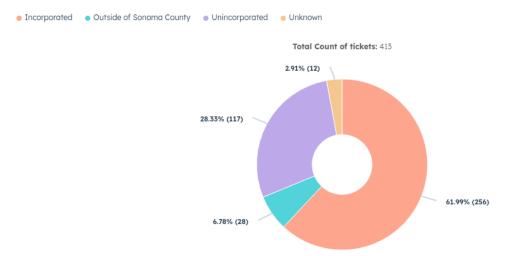
Business Type

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

New Existing

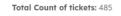


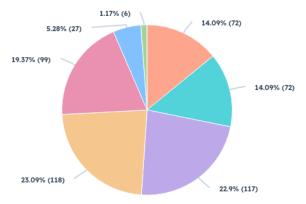
Business Location



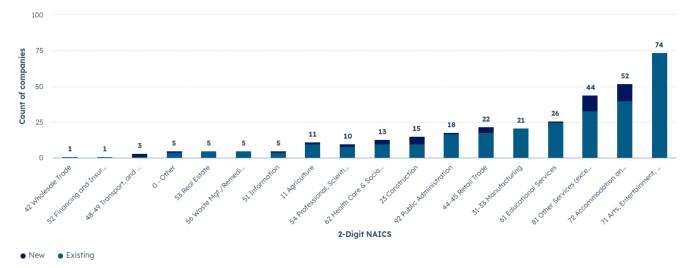
Supervisor District

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Business Industry

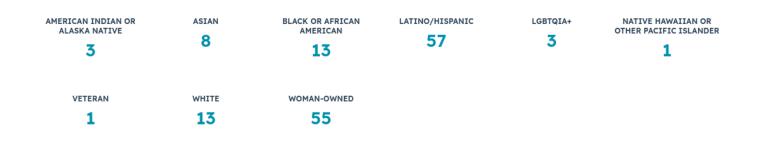


Business Industry Activity Detail

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%

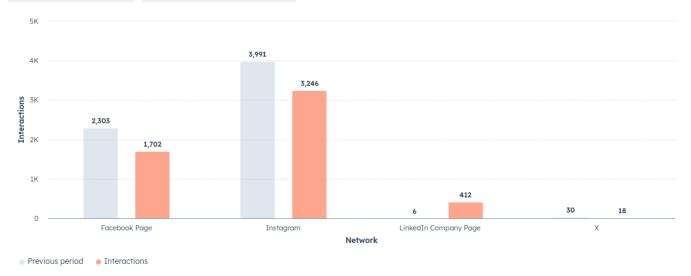
Email Activity Detail

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

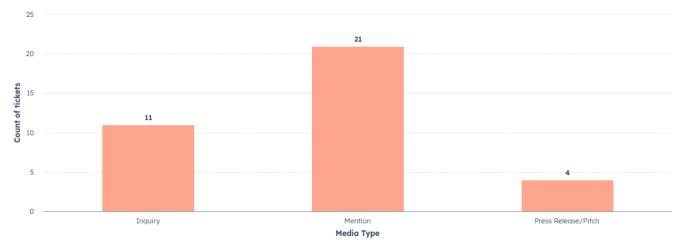
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Total Media Activity

MEDIA 32

Media Activity Detail



Count of tickets