Congressman Phil Gingrey is partnering with the Small Business Development Center and U.S. Department of Commerce to invite you to the

Eleventh District Workshop for Area Businesses

Would your business like an increase in sales? Would you like to learn how to export your product abroad?

Then don't miss this seminar!



August 16th, 2011 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

"Established businesses that received long-term SBDC consulting experienced an average sales growth of 3.5 percent between 2008 and 2009, while other Georgia businesses experienced an average decline in sales of 20 percent."

-2010 Report from the University of Georgia and Association of Small Business Development. Centers



The Workshop will take place in the HBuilding Conference Center at GeorgiaNorthwestern Technical SchoolIA1 Maurice Culberson Drive NWRNRome, GA 30161-7603

Schedule

9:00 – 9:05: Welcome 9:05 – 10:00: New Techniques to Increase Sales 10:00 - 10:50: Finding Sources of Capital 10:50 – 11:00: Break 11:00 – 11:45: Get **Registered** To Do **Business** with the Government, 11:45 – Noon: Wrap-up and Networking

"We didn't have a whole lot of experience building a business, let alone a business this complex.Without the SBDC's Help. I don't think we'd be this far."

> -Cathy Spivey, Calyroad Creamery

This event is free and open to the public. You must RSVP to attend. Send your email to <u>Brennan.McElhone@mail.house.gov</u>

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