

6/17/09 - Small Business Resource Seminar Press Release

Peoria, AZ – The City of Peoria’s Economic Development Department is sponsoring a Small Business Resource Seminar on “Business Help during Troubled Times.” The seminar will feature James H. Pipper, currently a Business Development Officer with the U.S. Small Business Administration (“SBA”), who will be presenting a diversified program that will offer a hands-on approach to getting financial assistance, especially during periods of economic transition.

Owning and operating a successful business remains a vital part of the American dream. While many owners and entrepreneurs may be experts in their chosen fields and endeavors, few have all the answers. No matter what stage your business is in, you must be well-prepared and know where to go for real help. Jim Pipper has been with the SBA for 26 years and handled a large portfolio of problem loans during his tenure, giving him a unique insight into dealing with many of the difficulties business owners currently face.

This free event will take place on **Wednesday, June 17, 2009** from 6:00-8:00 p.m. in the Pine Room at the Peoria City Hall (8401 W. Monroe Street, Peoria, AZ 85345). For more information and to register, please e-mail Debbie Pearson at Debbie.Pearson@peoriaaz.gov or call 623-773-5210. Registration for this event closes on June 16th.