



BOOST LOCAL BUSINESSES

A FEW WAYS YOU CAN LEND A HAND ON ANY BUDGET

Feeling Generous?

Shop Online

Is there a local business or restaurant in your community you've been meaning to check out? See if they are open for online shopping or delivery and place an order.

Pay in Advance

Do you normally have regular activities on your calendar (music, fitness, swimming, etc.)? See if you can buy sessions in advance to use when you need them.

Donate Directly

Many restaurants or other businesses are having fundraisers or setting up GoFundMe pages to help their business or employees.

Maintain the Payroll

If you have a house cleaner, dog walker, or anyone you pay for regular services, keep paying since it is already a budgeted expense.

Tighter Budget?

Leave a Good Review

Words of encouragement and support can be uplifting for business owners. Let them know you look forward to their return and let others know how much you appreciate the business.

Buy a Gift Card

Any amount can make a difference and help the business get through tough times.

Spread the News

Share announcements or their specials on social media or a neighborhood text chain to help drive more business there.

Alternative Options

Many stores are coming up with new ways to generate income. For example, some local sandwich shops are selling their meat by the pound cheaper than a grocery store. Do some research to see if you find any deals.