

down security grates or, at a minimum, convert them to the interior open mesh type.

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How Does ReStore Boston Work?

Restore Boston provides matching grants (up to \$7,500 per storefront) to help neighborhood business and property owners complete storefront renovation projects. Loans and grants must meet eligibility criteria. A separate signage component (\$2,000 grants) provides assistance on a non-matching basis for signage improvements. In addition to funding, ReStore Boston provides professional architectural design services at no cost to the business to ensure improvements are well planned and of the highest quality.

Getting Started

To apply to the ReStore Boston program, a building or business owner submits an application to the Office of Business Development. Once the selection committee has determined eligibility, the building or business owner meets with project management and design staff who will help the owner decide what physical improvements he or she would like to make.

The Office of Business Development (OBD) is Boston's go-to resource for small businesses. OBD provides businesses and neighborhood commercial districts access to a range of financial and technical resources in order to start or grow.

To learn more about ReStore Boston and how we can potentially help you improve your storefront, call Aaron Schleifer at 617-635-0290

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