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## April 7, 2020, Town Council Meeting Comments - Submission #68702

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Thank you for your interest in Town Council's upcoming discussions. Please use the form below to submit your comments no later than 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 7. Comments received by that time will be forwarded to Council and included as part of the public record for the meeting, just as if you had come to comment in person. All listed fields are required.

#### Agenda item on which to comment\*

13: Discussion/Direction: COVID-19 Small Business Support Grant Program ▼

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#### Comment\*

Dear Town Council,

I own a new small business in Castle Rock called Carla's Barbershop located at 314 Wilcox Street Suite 201. My business, as you know, was mandated to close for at least six weeks maybe longer due to Covid-19. Small businesses have suffered, but new small businesses have also suffered tremendously. I was wondering if you would reconsider the "at least one year" qualification for those of us that have stepped out in faith believing that owning a business in the community of Castle Rock would be a privilege and an honor. I am thankful I have been able to care for the people of Castle Rock for many years now and recently branched out on my own as a new small business owner. I opened my doors in June of 2019 which places me just under the one year mark. Thank you for reconsidering to help those of us, although new, that are still an intricate part of the town of Castle Rock.

Thank you,  
Carla Gripon

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☐ Yes

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