

# Langosta Lounge—Asbury Park, NJ



***"Our vendors, the cleaning people, the staff—they all suffered."***

Marilyn Schlossbach  
Owner, Langosta Lounge

## **New Jersey CDFI Helps Seaside Business Rebuild After Hurricane Sandy**

Superstorm Sandy destroyed Asbury Park's Langosta Lounge and the homes of the restaurant's employees. Owner Marilyn Schlossbach knew she needed to work quickly to repair damages and get staff back to work. CDFI New Jersey Community Capital (NJCC) awarded Marilyn a \$30,000 loan to restore her restaurant in time for tourist season.

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### **Impact**

- Created 75 jobs in construction and employment
- Brought business back to life after devastating natural disaster