

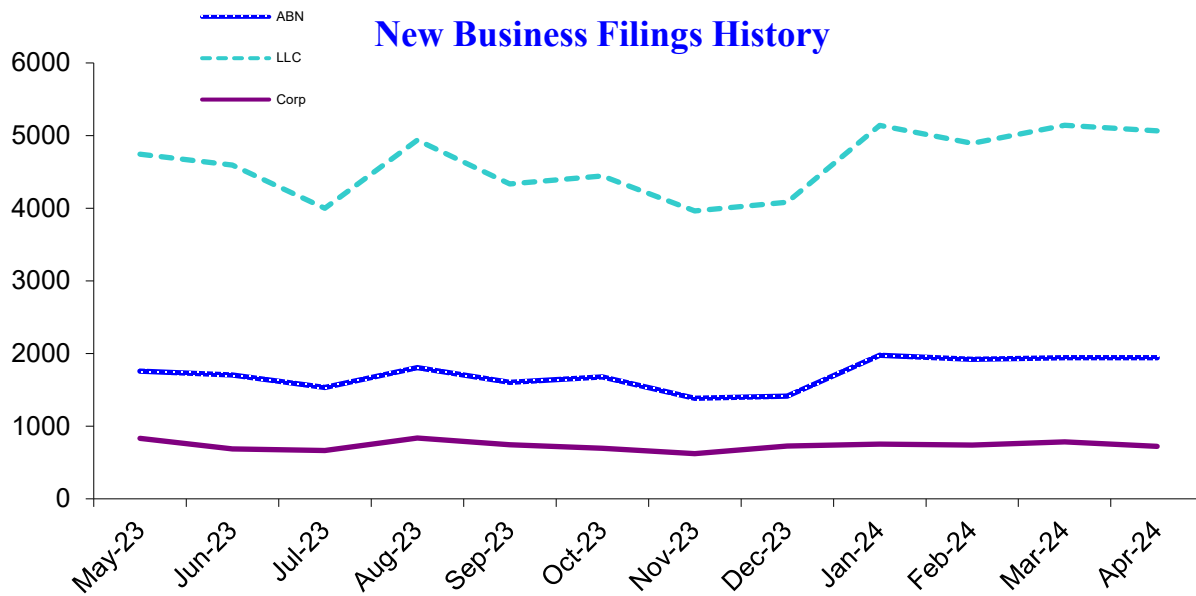


Business Report

Monthly update from Oregon's Secretary of State LaVonne Griffin-Valade

New Business Applications

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	1,943	1,941	1,867	4.1%
Limited Liability Companies	5,064	5,142	4,874	3.9%
Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	724	784	849	-14.7%
Business Registry Total	7,731	7,867	7,590	1.9%



Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	118,339	118,559	123,564	-4.2%
Limited Liability Companies	289,557	288,774	276,885	4.6%
Corporations	115,588	115,757	116,455	-0.7%
Other	2,770	2,773	2,781	-0.4%
Business Registry Total	526,254	525,863	519,685	1.3%



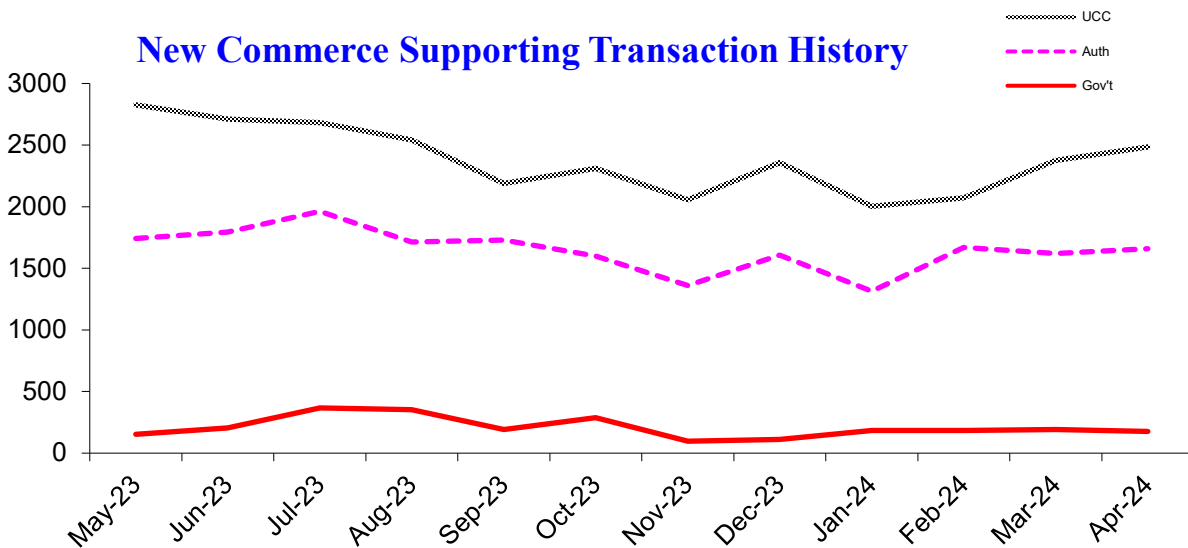
UCC & Notary Report

Monthly update from Oregon's Secretary of State LaVonne Griffin-Valade

New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	2,484	2,376	2,490	-0.2%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	65	44	29	124.1%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	175	193	207	-15.5%
Secured Transactions	2,724	2,613	2,726	-0.1%
Notary Authentications for International Use	1,658	1,621	1,586	4.5%

New Commerce Supporting Transaction History



Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	184,290	184,138	182,787	0.8%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	3,268	3,268	3,401	-3.9%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	11,876	11,971	12,851	-7.6%
Secured Transactions	199,434	199,377	199,039	0.2%
Commissioned Notaries Public	29,549	39,474	39,855	-25.9%
Active RON Notaries	719	719	519	38.5%
Active IPEN Notaries	107	105	66	59.1%