

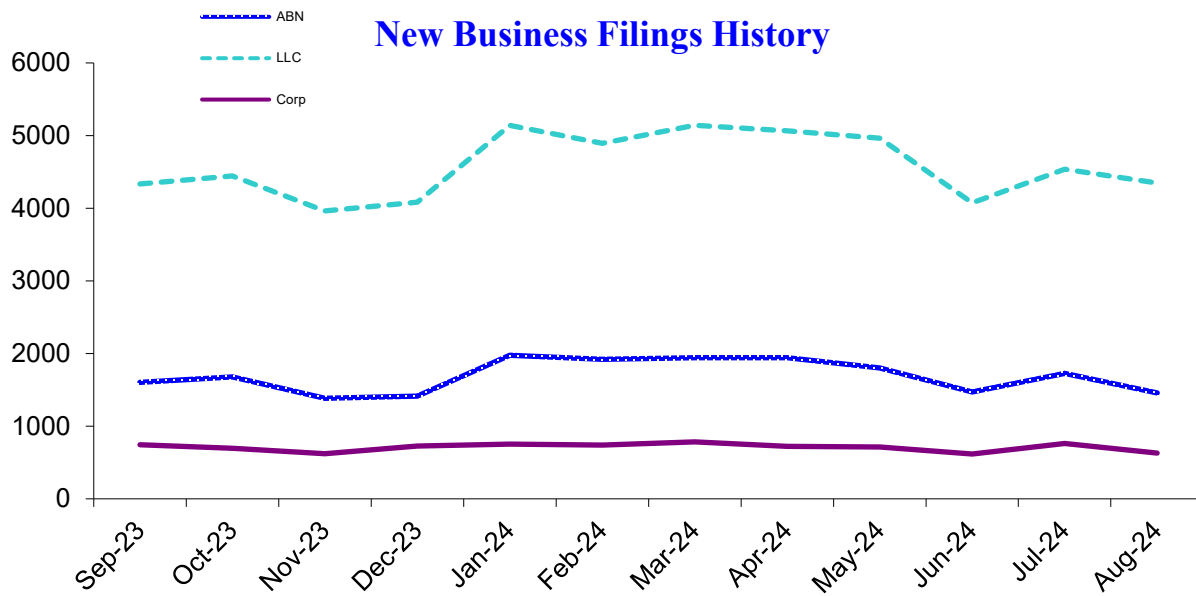


Business Report

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	1,457	1,725	1,807	-19.4%
Limited Liability Companies	4,348	4,536	4,939	-12.0%
Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	631	762	837	-24.6%
Business Registry Total	6,436	7,023	7,583	-15.1%



Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	116,926	117,431	120,079	-2.6%
Limited Liability Companies	292,587	291,525	279,683	4.6%
Corporations	114,940	115,199	116,226	-1.1%
Other	2,777	2,774	2,746	1.1%
Business Registry Total	527,230	526,929	518,734	1.6%



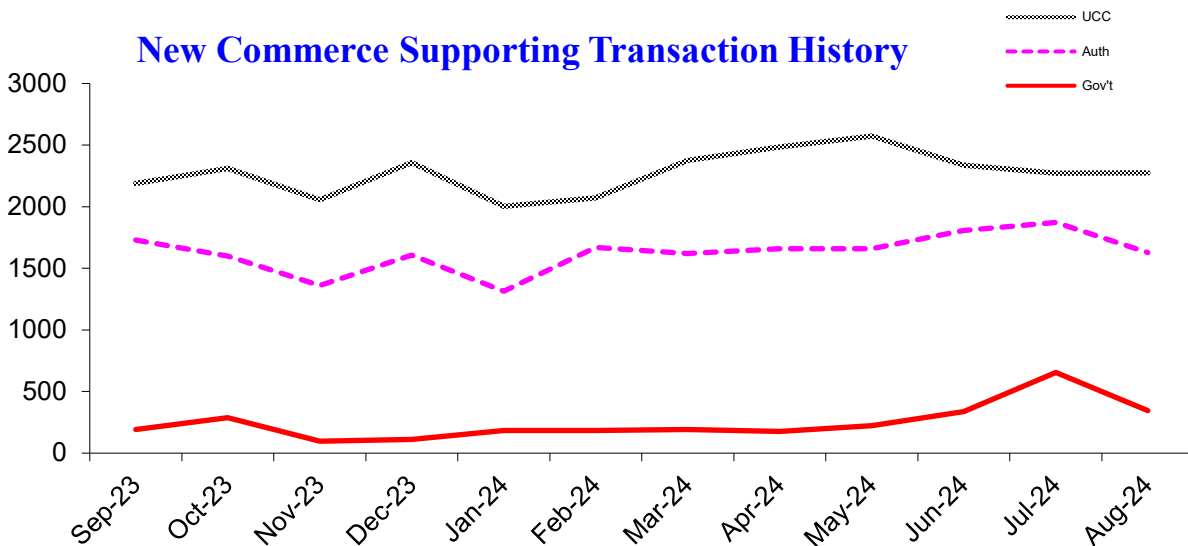
UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	2,275	2,271	2,543	-10.5%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	31	32	27	14.8%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	345	655	354	-2.5%
Secured Transactions	2,651	2,958	2,924	-9.3%
Notary Authentications for International Use	1,628	1,872	1,713	-5.0%

New Commerce Supporting Transaction History



Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	184,144	184,205	183,774	0.2%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	3,249	3,265	3,359	-3.3%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	11,662	11,728	12,249	-4.8%
Secured Transactions	199,055	199,198	199,382	-0.2%
Commissioned Notaries Public	39,173	39,316	39,595	-1.1%
Active RON Notaries	802	797	607	31.3%
Active IPEN Notaries	111	110	84	31.0%