

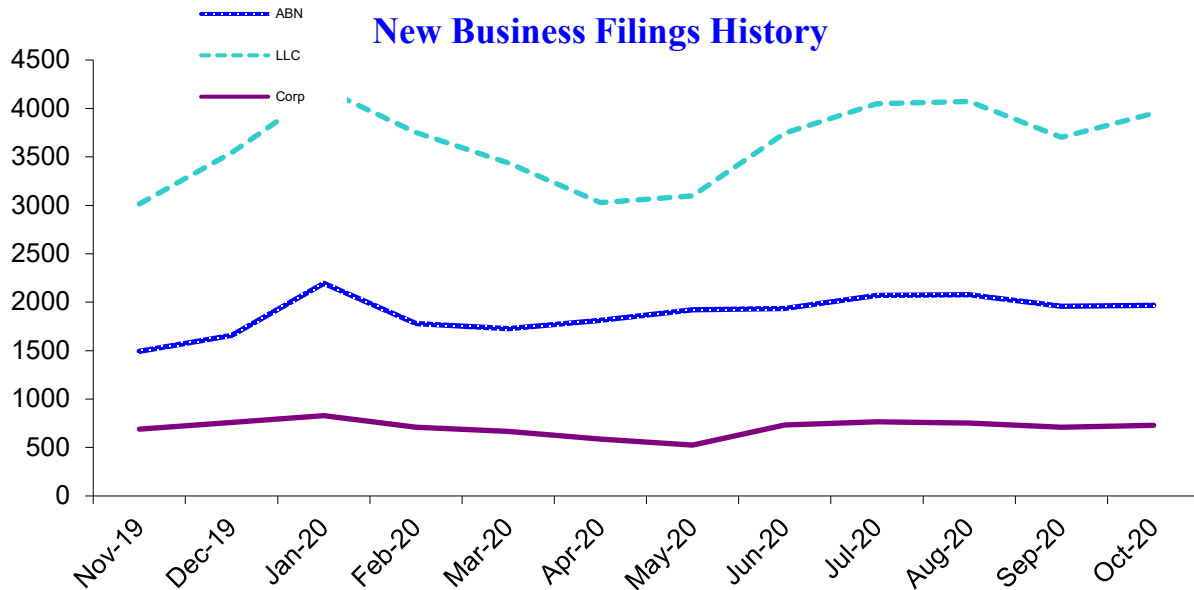


Business Report

Monthly update from Oregon's Secretary of State Bev Clarno

New Business Applications

| Business Type | Latest Month | Previous Month | 12 Months Ago | Change Year Ago |
|---|--------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Assumed Business Names | 1,967 | 1,958 | 1,848 | 6.4% |
| Limited Liability Companies | 3,951 | 3,702 | 3,581 | 10.3% |
| New Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional) | 729 | 709 | 773 | -5.7% |
| Business Registry Total | 6,647 | 6,369 | 6,202 | 7.2% |



Active Business Filings

| Business Type | Latest Month | Previous Month | 12 Months Ago | Change Year Ago |
|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Assumed Business Names | 128,190 | 128,190 | 127,503 | 0.5% |
| Limited Liability Companies | 228,395 | 228,395 | 215,326 | 6.1% |
| Oregon Corporations | 116,035 | 116,035 | 116,779 | -0.6% |
| Other | 2,836 | 2,836 | 2,897 | -2.1% |
| Business Registry Total | 475,456 | 475,456 | 462,505 | 2.8% |



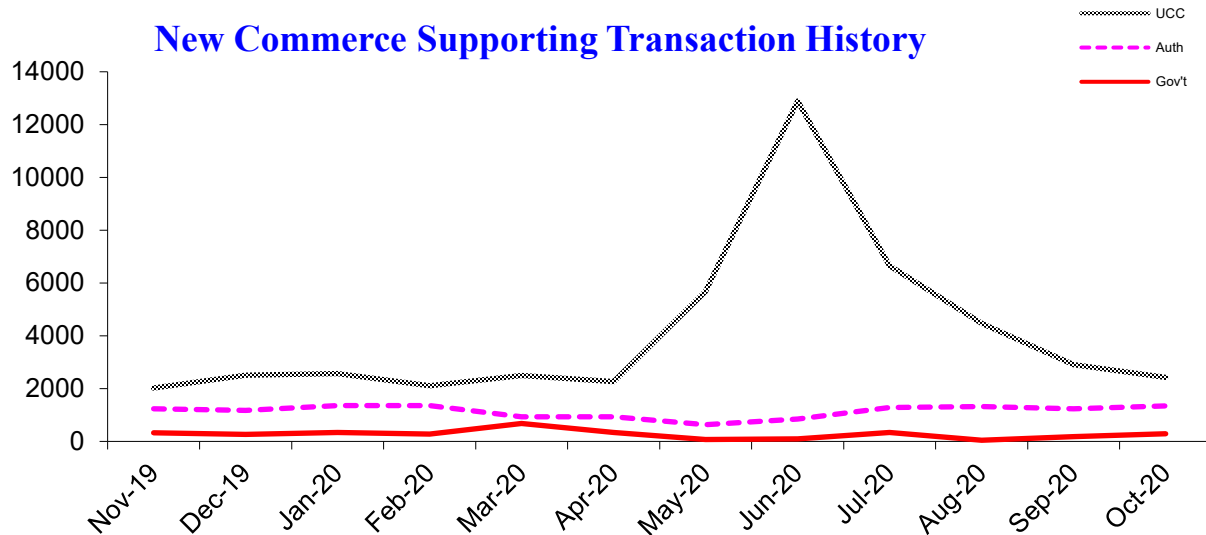
UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

| Filing Transaction Type | Latest Month | Previous Month | 12 Months Ago | Change Year Ago |
|---|--------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Uniform Commercial Code | 2,424 | 2,908 | 2,688 | -9.8% |
| Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce) | 45 | 51 | 92 | -51.1% |
| Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment) | 293 | 186 | 537 | -45.4% |
| Secured Transactions | 2,762 | 3,145 | 3,317 | -16.7% |
| Notary Authentications for International Use | 1,348 | 1,241 | 1,389 | -3.0% |

New Commerce Supporting Transaction History



Active Filings

| Filing Transaction Type | Latest Month | Previous Month | 12 Months Ago | Change Year Ago |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Uniform Commercial Code | 171,699 | 171,699 | 150,890 | 13.8% |
| Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce) | 4,077 | 4,077 | 4,098 | -0.5% |
| Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment) | 17,294 | 17,294 | 19,413 | -10.9% |
| Secured Transactions | 193,070 | 193,070 | 174,401 | 10.7% |
| Commissioned Notaries Public | 39,145 | 39,145 | 39,441 | -0.8% |