



LOS ANGELES COUNTY REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK

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PUBLIC NOTICE

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT ONLINE PORTAL LAUNCH AND UPDATED DIGITAL CERTIFICATION PROCESS

The Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk (RR/CC) has some very exciting news!

Effective **June 13, 2022**, businesses can complete the entire Fictitious Business Name (FBN) filing process and pay online, thereby eliminating the need to drive to one of our locations!

Complete your FBN online at: <https://apps.lavote.gov>

1. Select to File a Fictitious Business Name and the **Online Submission** option to complete the FBN information and sign the electronic form.
2. Prove and validate your identity through the system (saving you money and time by eliminating the need to use a Notary).
3. Complete the process by paying your filing fees and service fee of \$9 using your credit card.

This online filing process is available for all restraints and filing types. Abandonments and Withdrawals do not need to go through the online identity process and the service fee to file and make an online payment is only \$2.75. Your completed and filed document will be returned electronically to the email address provided.

Certified copies will look different. The RR/CC has transitioned to a digital certification stamp on each filing processed, replacing the traditional purple stamp on the hard copy. Certified copies can be verified to confirm the validity of filing by entering the unique copy number (located at the bottom of the filed form) in the search field on our website: <https://www.lavote.gov/fbn/certify>

For general questions please call (800) 201-8999 and select option # 4.