

TOWN OF LANESBOROUGH

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BUSINESS CERTIFICATE FILING

Massachusetts General Law Chapter 110, Section 5, which requires the filing of Business Certificate has been amended effective January 2, 1986. This office brings to your attention the following significant changes:

1. A certificate issued in accordance with this section shall be in force and effect for four (4) years from the date of issue and shall be renewed each four years thereafter, so long as such business shall be conducted and shall lapse and be void unless renewed.
2. Copies of such certificates shall be available at the address which such business is conducted be furnished on request during regular business hours to any person who has purchased good and services from such business.
3. Violations of this law shall be punished by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars, for each month during which such violation continues.

THIS OFFICE ADVISES YOU TO ADHERE TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS STATUTE IN AS MUCH AS THESE CERTIFICATES ARE EXAMINED DAILY BY REPRESENTATIVES OF BANKS AND OTHER FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, STATE AND FEDERAL TAX OFFICES, CONSUMER GROUPS AND AGENCIES, ATTORNEYS, UTILITY COMPANIES, LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES. THIS OFFICE RECOMMENDS THAT YOU RENEW YOUR BUSINESS CERTIFICATE AND OBTAIN A CERTIFIED COPY FOR YOUR BUSINESS CERTIFICATE IN ORDER FOR YOU TO BE IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW. **THE FEES ARE AS FOLLOWS: BUSINESS CERTIFICATE \$50.00**

If you are no longer in business in Lanesborough you must file a statement of discontinuance, retirement or withdrawal from such business with the Town Clerks Office. Town Clerks hours are as follows: Monday thru Thurs. 8 A.M to 1 P.M and Monday evenings 5-7 PM. Town Hall is closed Fridays. If you have any questions call me at 413- 442-1351.

SIGNATURES MUST BE NOTARIZED UNLESS SIGNED IN MY PRESENCE.
RUTH A. KNYSH – TOWN CLERK
LANESBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS 01237



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
TOWN OF LANESBOROUGH
BUSINESS CERTIFICATE

New _____
Renewal _____

_____, 20__

In conformity with the provisions of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 110, §5, as amended, the undersigned hereby declare(s) that a business under the

Title of: _____

is being conducted at: _____

Please give a brief description of the business: _____

Email address: _____ Website address: _____

or social media address (i.e. facebook)

By the following named person(s):

Full Name (please print or type)	Mailing Address	Phone Number	FID or SS Number
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Signature

Signature

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Berkshire, ss

Personally appeared before me the above-named _____, and proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which was _____, and made oath that the foregoing is a true statement.

Notary Public
My Commission Expires: _____

Certificate Expiration Date

Ruth A. Knysh, Town Clerk

Rick Reid, Building Inspector