

Ownership

List owners/partners/shareholders/members, the percentage of the company they own, and their compensation from the company.

Name	Position/Title	% Owned	Compensation

Documents Required:

- (1) **Partnerships:** Provide a copy of your Partnership Agreement
- (2) **Corporations:** Provide a certified copy of your Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Declaration of Corporate Officers, Corporate Resolution authorizing transaction, Certificate of Incumbency, and a Good Standing Certificate from the Secretary of State.
- (3) **Limited Liability Companies:** Provide a certified copy of the Articles of Organization, Operating Agreement, Resolution by members authorizing transaction, and a Certificate of Good Standing from the Secretary of State.

Resumés

Attach a brief personal resumé including work experience for each individual, partner, officer, or major shareholder.

Are there any amounts due to the company from owners or other related parties?

Yes No (If **yes**, describe.)

Is your company in compliance with applicable federal and state regulations (such as environmental, employment, and safety?)

Yes No (If **no**, describe.)

Legal History

If any of the following questions apply to the applicant, partners, stockholders or guarantors connected with the applicant, provide complete history and current status.

(1) Is the applicant delinquent on any Federal debt? Yes No

(2) Are any partners, shareholders, or members of the applicant delinquent on any Federal debt? Yes No

(3) Have you ever been in bankruptcy or made an assignment for the benefit of creditors? Yes No

(4) Have any judgments or compromise settlements ever been obtained against you? Yes No

(5) Are you involved in any pending litigation, either as a defendant or plaintiff? Yes No

(6) Do you buy from, sell to, lease from, or use the services of any concern in which someone in your company has a significant financial interest? Yes No

(7) Does your business have any subsidiaries or affiliates? Yes No

If yes, please provide their names and the relationship with your company and include a current financial statement for each.

(8) Have you ever had any fishing violations or have any outstanding unpaid fines? Yes No

All applicants to provide the following information:

Accountant (name & address)	Phone Number ()
	Fax Number ()
Attorney (name & address)	Phone Number ()
	Fax Number ()
Insurance Agent (name & address)	Phone Number ()
	Fax Number ()

FINANCIAL INFORMATION REQUIRED

NOTE: All financial statements and tax returns must be signed and dated. (Audited financial statements may be required.)

(1) Individual/Proprietor

- (a) Current personal financial statement (current within 30 days).
- (b) A complete copy of your Federal Income Tax Return for the last 3 years.

(2) Partnerships, Corporations, and Companies

- (a) Current personal financial statement (current within 30 days) for each partner/shareholder.
- (b) A complete copy of each partner/shareholder's Federal Income Tax Return for the last 3 years.
- (c) Current Balance Sheet and Operating Statement for the partnership/corporation/company (current within 30 days).
- (d) Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement for the partnership/corporation/company for the last 3 years.
- (e) A complete copy of the partnership/corporation/company's Federal Income Tax return for the last 3 years.
- (f) Current aging of accounts receivable and payable.

(3) All Applicants:

All applicants must provide a projection of income and cash flow, including a proforma balance sheet for two years operation of the project.

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