Corporate Docs Checklist

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Corporate Documents

	Articles of Incorporation and Amendments
	Bylaws and Amendments
	IRS Form 2553 if S corporation status is elected
	Banking resolution
	Stock certificates
	Stock ledger with records of each stock issuance or transfer
	List of any assets transferred into corporation
	Record of promissory notes for any loans to / from shareholders
	Minutes of meetings of the shareholders and meetings of directors
	Shareholder Operating and Buy-Sell Agreement
	DBA/Fictitious Name filing
	Corporate seal
	Annual state report filings
	State Good standing certificates
Licenses	
	Federal TTB Permit
	Federal TTB COLAs
	State Licenses and Brand Approvals

Corporate docs are super important to preserve the 'corporate veil' and protect you from liability. Use this checklist as a guide to get started. Spring is a great time to locate, organize and clean up those corporate documents.