



CORPORATIONS

Welcome to The Farmers Bank. We would like to thank you for considering us for your new Corporate Checking Account. You will find our business account services to be both convenient and competitive. The following information will provide guidance on the information we will need to begin the account opening process.

Individuals That Need To Be Present at Account Opening:

- An authorizing representative must be present. This includes: President, Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Secretary or Acting Secretary.
- If you would like to add Authorized Signers to your account, they must be present also.

Information Required To Open Account:

- Personal Identification - Unexpired Government Issued ID with picture for all signers.
 - Primary ID Examples: U.S. Citizens: State Issued Driver's License, State Issued ID card, Passport, etc.
 - Non U.S. Citizens: Permanent Residents must provide their Permanent Resident Alien Card (Green Card). Non U.S. Citizens who are not Permanent Resident Alien Cardholders must provide their Passport
 - In some cases we may ask for a secondary piece of identification.
- Tax Identification Number - An Employer Identification Number is required.
- Business Documentation - Based on the requirements listed at: www.IN.gov/SOS
 - IN Secretary of State Business Entity Filing showing company registration is Active
 - EIN Verification SS4 Form from IRS
 - Address verification if out of date on documents provided
 - Certified Articles of Incorporation – also known as a Certificate of Formation
 - By-Laws with Corporate Officers and their Titles
- Note: if your business is organized in another state, but operates in the state where the account is being opened, documentation from both states is required.
 - Business Documentation from the state the business is organized in, and
 - Foreign Registration or Certification from the state the account is being opened in.

The Following Documentation May Also Be Required:

- Certificate of Assumed Name* if doing business under any additional names, DBA (doing business as)
- *Certificate of Assumed Name may also be known as: Trade Name Certificate, Fictitious Business Name Statement, etc.
- Supplemental Documentation listing the **current** Corporate Officers to include one of the following:
 - Certified amendment to the Articles of Incorporation or Certificate of Formation
 - Letter on Company letterhead signed by All Corporate Officers
 - Meeting Minutes Signed by All Corporate Officers

Company Owners who directly or indirectly, through any contract, arrangement, understanding, relationship or otherwise, owns 25% or more of the equity interests of the entity are required to provide:

- Legal First Name and Last Name
- Social Security Number
- Copy of valid Identification with a picture: Driver's License, State ID or Passport
- Legal Business Name and Tax Identification Number – when an owner of the Corporation is another entity/trust.
- Residential Address (Business Physical Address when another Corporation owns part of the entity)
- Percentage of Ownership for Each

Any single individual that is not an "owner" but has significant responsibility to control, manage, or direct the business of the entity is required to provide:

- Legal First and Last Name
- Copy of valid identification with picture: Driver's License, State ID or Passport
- Residential Address

Additional Information That Will Be Requested At Account Opening:

- Business location address in addition to a mailing address if different.
- Phone number
- Number of business locations
- Nature of your business
- Number of employees
- Types of transactions (cash deposits, checks cashed, ACH, etc.) and volumes you expect to process through the new account