## **ASSUMED NAME**

Individuals starting a business in the County using a name for the business other than their personal name are required by Illinois State Statute to register their business name. This process is completed through the County Clerk's office. The process is as follows:

- 1. Fill out the Assumed Name Certificate Intention form (see enclosed). This form states the type of business, location of business, and name of owner(s) of said business. The form must be signed by owner(s) in front of a notary.
- 2. Provide the completed form and the \$25.00 fee to the County Clerk's office.
- 3. The County Clerk will complete a Public Notice form for the owner(s) to take to the Greenville Advocate (local paper 305 S. Second, Greenville). The Advocate will publish the notice once a week for three consecutive weeks. The Advocate will provide a Certificate of Publication.
- 4. Bring the Certificate of Publication back to the Office of the County Clerk. The Clerk will then issue a "Certificate of Business Registration" to the owner(s).

STATE OF ILLINOIS )	
COUNTY OF BOND ) SS  ASSUMED NAME C	ERTIFICATE INTENTION
This is to certify that the undersigned intend to conduct and transact a	
business in said County and State under the name	of
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	ning, conducting or transacting such business, with the
NAME	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
	, 20
Owners signatures:	*
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STATE OF ILLINOIS ) COUNTY OF BOND ) SS	
that, a Notary Pt	ablic in and for said County and State, do hereby certify
subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared by	o me to be the same person(s) whose name(s) before me this day in person and acknowledged that that the statements therein contained, and each thereof,
	Notary Public
I hereby certify this is a true copy Dated, 20	
County Clerk	My commission expires on the day of, 20
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