

Tennessee Secretary of State
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Division of Business and Charitable Organizations
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 6th Floor
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102

July 24, 2023

Ms. KAYMI BUTLER
100 POWELL PLACE #1024
NASHVILLE, TN 37204 USA

RE: Registration to Solicit Funds for Charitable Purposes

Organization Name: BLACK LEMONADE
CO Number: CO40557
Renewal Date: 06/30/2024

Dear Ms. KAYMI BUTLER :

Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, T.C.A. § 48-101-501, *et seq.* the Tennessee Secretary of State has reviewed your application and is pleased to announce your organization's registration to solicit contributions has been **approved**.

The organization must maintain statutory compliance by submitting a renewal application and required fees on an annual basis. At that time you may be required to submit tax filings, financial statements, proof of IRS status, and other documents related to your organization and its fundraising activities. You can find additional information and submit additional filings online at <https://sos.tn.gov/charities>. The "CO" Number listed above will serve as your organization's charitable registration number and should be used when submitting any charitable filings or correspondence.

Please also be advised that if the organization's application or other provided information includes false, misleading or deceptive statements, appropriate action will be taken. Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, a civil penalty of up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) may be assessed for any violation.

Thank you for registering your organization and please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

Tre Hargett
Secretary of State

Tracking Number
2023119729

Application to Renew Registration of a Charitable Organization

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Department of State

State of Tennessee

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CO Number: CO40557
Filed: 07/24/2023 10:34 AM
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Organization Information

Legal Name of the Charitable Organization: BLACK LEMONADE

Legal entity type of the Organization: Corporation

Business Services Control Number: 001185127

FEIN: 86-2976641

Initial Registration Date: 05/05/2021

Renewal Date: 06/30/2023

Has your fiscal year ending month changed since your last renewal?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Fiscal Year Ending Month: December

When and where was the organization legally established

Date: 03/31/2021

Country: USA

City/State: NASHVILLE, TN

County: Davidson

Has your Principal Office address changed since your last renewal?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Amended Principal Office Address

100 POWELL PLACE #1024
NASHVILLE, TN 37204, USA

Has your Mailing address changed since your last renewal?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Amended Mailing Office Address

100 POWELL PLACE #1024
NASHVILLE, TN 37204, USA

Contact Information for the Charitable Organization

Contact Name: Ms. KAYMI BUTLER

Telephone Number: (615) 249-8058

Email: info@blacklemonade.org

Website: www.blacklemonade.org

Current names used by the charity organization

Do you need to modify other names that the charity solicits under?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Has the organization registered in any other state(s)?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Does the charity have other offices, chapters, branches, affiliates or a parent?

☐ Yes ☒ No

The category that best describes your organization

S - Community Improvement, Capacity Building

The charitable purpose of the organization

Black Lemonade is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes in accordance with the section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. More specifically, Black Lemonade is dedicated to reducing conflict, incited by indifference, through education and empowerment programs and events. The specific objectives and purpose of this organization shall be: a. to provide a safe space to be heard, engage in diverse dialogue and create positive and purposeful solutions b. to disseminate information from and about minority peoples c. to foster communication between minorities and non-minority peoples d. to conduct research involving minority communities e. to provide resources, education, and empowerment to those who are at-risk f. to sponsor, host and/or participate in events and programs that promote community fellowship and professional development g. to provide resources, mentoring, and services to facilitate fellowship within communities

Tax & Financial Information

Has your tax exempt status changed since your last renewal?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Last Fiscal Year Start: January 2023

Last Fiscal Year End: December 2022

Type of 990 Tax Form Filed: 990-EZ

Gross Revenue

Direct and Indirect Public Contributions	\$ 104,573.00
Government Grants	\$ 0.00
Program Service Revenue	\$ 17,159.00
Special Events and Activities	\$ 0.00
Gross Sales of Inventory	(\$ 15,887.00)
Other Revenue	\$ 0.00
Total Revenue	\$ 105,845.00

Expenses

Total Program Expenses	\$ 33,742.00
Direct Expenses from Special Events	\$ 4,730.00
Cost of Goods Sold	\$ 0.00
Management and General Expenses	\$ 73,071.00
Fundraising Expenses	\$ 0.00
Other Expenses	\$ 0.00
Total Expenses	\$ 111,543.00

Excess/Deficit For the Year (Total Revenue - Total Expenses)	(\$ 5,698.00)
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Changes in Net Assets/Fund Balances

Net Assets/Fund Balances at Beginning of Year	\$ 1,175.00
Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances	\$ 0.00
Net Assets/Fund Balances	\$ 0.00
Total Liabilities at End of Year	\$ 6,873.00
Net Assets/Fund Balances at End of Year	(\$ 5,698.00)

Solicitation Information

Have you been enjoined by any court from soliciting contributions?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Does your organization contract with or otherwise engage the services of any outside fundraising professional (such as a “professional fund-raiser,” “paid solicitor,” “fund raising counsel,” or “commercial co-venturer”)?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Officer Information

Do you need to modify the current officers?

☒ Yes ☐ No

List each officer, director, and trustee (at least 2 officers are required, and you must list officers who have or share the following titles: "Chief Financial Officer", "Custodian of Contributions", "Custodian of Final Distributions")

Kayla Biles
100 POWELL PLACE #1024
NASHVILLE, TN 37204, USA
Title(s): Secretary, Director

Ms. Kaymi Butler
100 POWELL PLACE #1024
NASHVILLE, TN 37204, USA
Title(s): Chief Executive Officer, Custodian of Contributions, Custodian of Final Distributions

Mr. CHRISTOPHER EMEAGWAI
100 POWELL PLACE #1024
NASHVILLE, TN 37204, USA
Title(s): Treasurer

Has any officer, director, manager, operator, or principal of the organization been the subject of an injunction, judgement, or administrative order or been convicted of a felony?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Signature

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Kaymi Butler

Date: 07/03/2023

Title: Chief Executive Officer

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Kayla Echols

Date: 07/24/2023

Title: Board Member



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Date: 06/29/2023

Invoice: 2023-05391

Customer Information

Ms. KAYMI BUTLER
BLACK LEMONADE
100 POWELL PLACE #1024
NASHVILLE, TN 37204 , USA

Tracking Number	Description	Amount Paid
2023119729	CH Filing Late Fee	\$ 10.00
2023119729	CH Charitable Renewal	\$ 10.00
Payment Details		
Fee Total:		\$ 30.00
Payment Total:		\$ 20.00
Amount Due:		\$ 0.00
Payment Method		
Payment Type: Credit Card		
Check/Confirmation Number: 3853777456,3855112124		