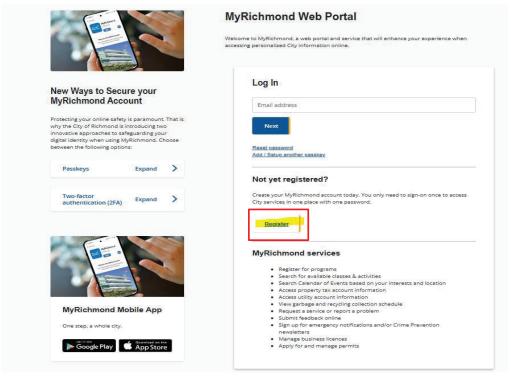
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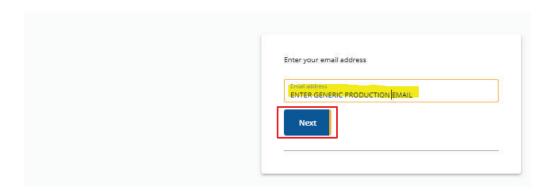
The purpose of this guide is to assist productions in filling out the Business Licence Application online. This guide is for transient productions whose production offices/studio are located OUTSIDE of Richmond. If your production is based out of a studio in Richmond, please contact the Richmond Film Office for further assistance.

1. Create an account in <u>MyRichmond</u>. Use a <u>generic production email address</u> so other location team members can access the account.

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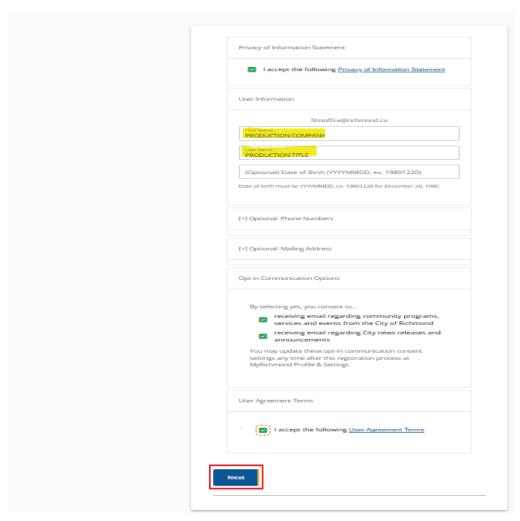
2. Enter the Production Company information in the registration.

FIRST NAME: Production Company Name

LAST NAME: Production Title

Review the User Agreement Terms and accept to proceed to the next step.





3. An email will be sent to the email registered. Please follow the link to verify the email address.

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An email has been sent to the address you entered. Click the link in that email to proceed.

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VERIFY EMAIL ADDRESS



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Click here to verify email address

If you have any further questions or are experiencing difficulties logging in, please visit the MyRichmond Help site.

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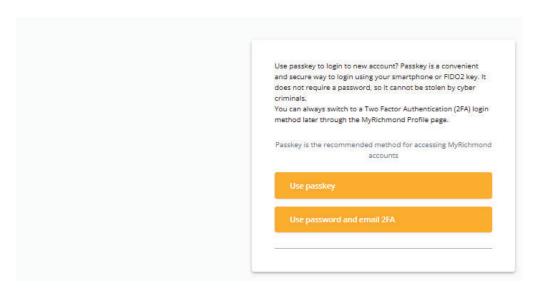
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To ensure you never miss an email from us, please
add donotreply@richmond.ca to your contacts.



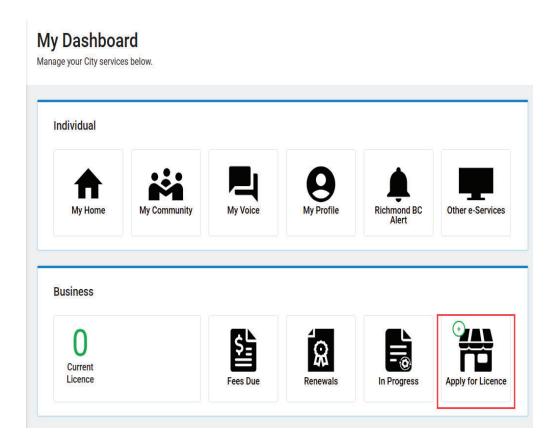
Any personal information that is collected through the City of Richmond website will be managed in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the collection, use, disclosure or safe-guarding of personal information associated with this website, please call the City Clerk's Office at 604-276-4007, and ask to speak to the FOI Coordinator.

4. Once email is verified, you will be asked to set up Passkey or a password for your account.

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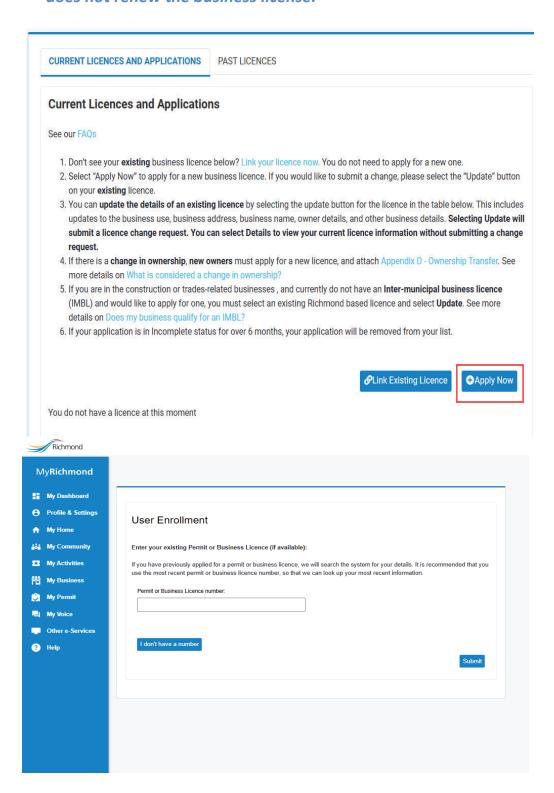


5. Find the link or apply for a Business Licence on My Dashboard.



6. If production has an active business license, choose "Link Existing License". If there is no previous business license number, choose "Apply Now" to apply for a new business license.

*Adding the previous season's business license number links the productions together but does not renew the business license.



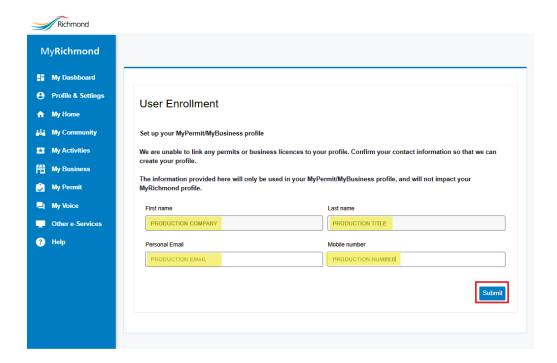
USER ENROLLMENT

First Name: **Production Company**

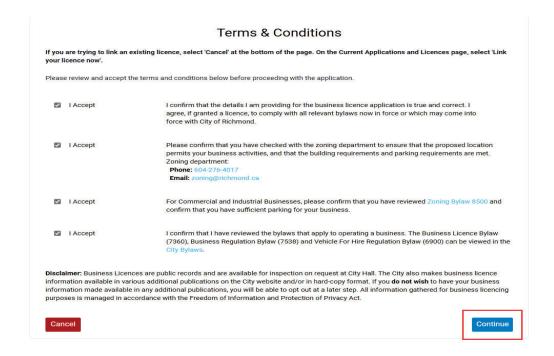
Last Name: Production Title

Personal Email: Production Email Address

Mobile Number: Production Number



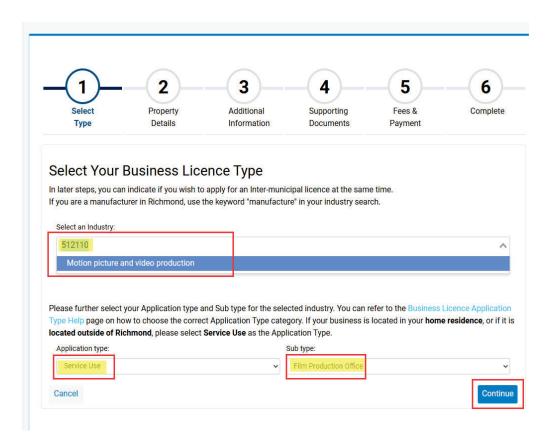
7. Review and accept the terms and condition.



8. SELECT YOUR BUSINESS LICENSE TYPE

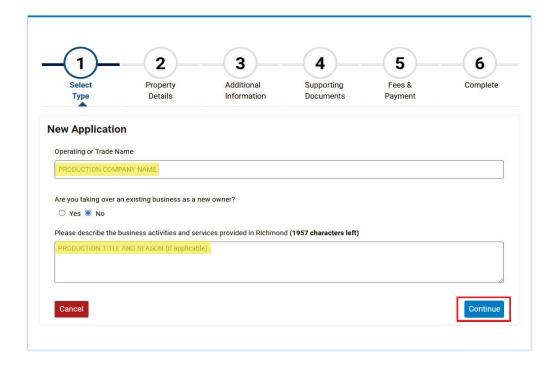
Select an Industry: 512110 - Motion Picture and Video Production

Application Type: Service Use Sub Type: Film Production Office

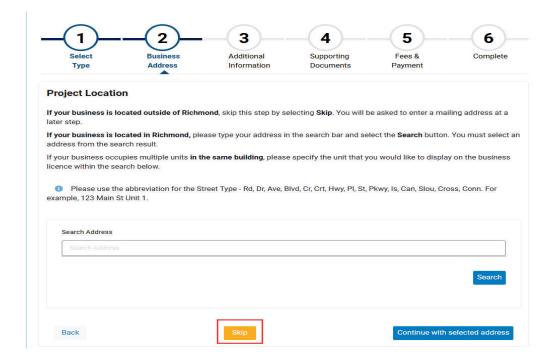


9. **NEW APPLICATION**

Operating or Trade name is **PRODUCTION COMPANY NAME**Taking over an existing business as a new owner? **No**Describe business activities: **Production Title and Season (if applicable)**



10. If your production office is based outside of Richmond, please hit **SKIP**. For productions with production offices in Richmond, please contact the Richmond Film Office for further assistance.

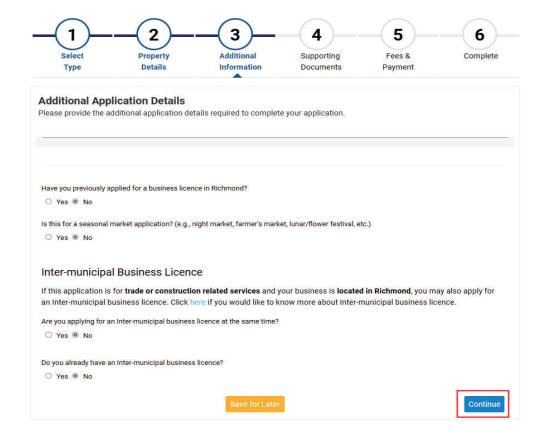


11. Additional Application Details

Previously applied for a business license: Yes or No

Seasonal market: No

Inter-municipal Business License: No on both for motion picture productions



12. Business Information

Operating or Trade Name: Production Company Name

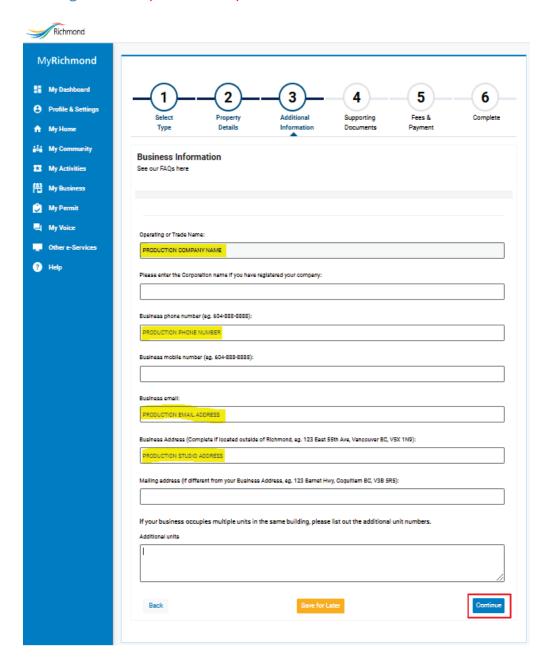
Corporation name: (leave blank)

Business phone number: **Production Phone Number**

Business mobile: (leave blank)

Business email: **Production Email Address**Business address: **Production Studio Address**

Mailing address: (leave blank)



13. Contact Information

Licensed Trade Contractor: No

Richmond Representative Contact:

Last Name: Production Title and Season

Title/Position: LM/ALM/TAL

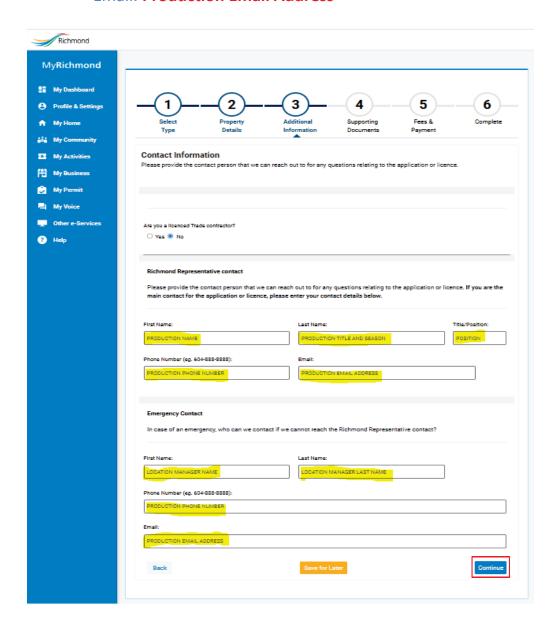
First Name: Production Name

Phone Number: Production Phone Number

Email: Production Email Address

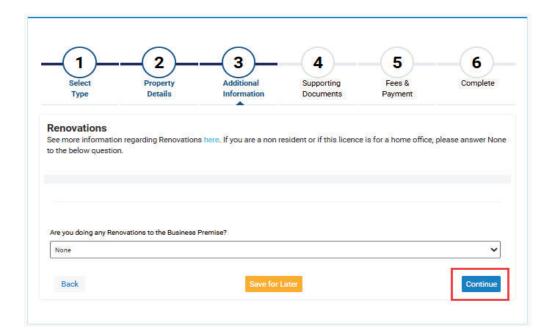
Emergency Contact:

- First Name: Location Manager First Name
- Last Name: Location Manager Last Name
- Phone Number: Production Phone Number
- Email: Production Email Address



14. Renovations

Are you doing any renovations: None



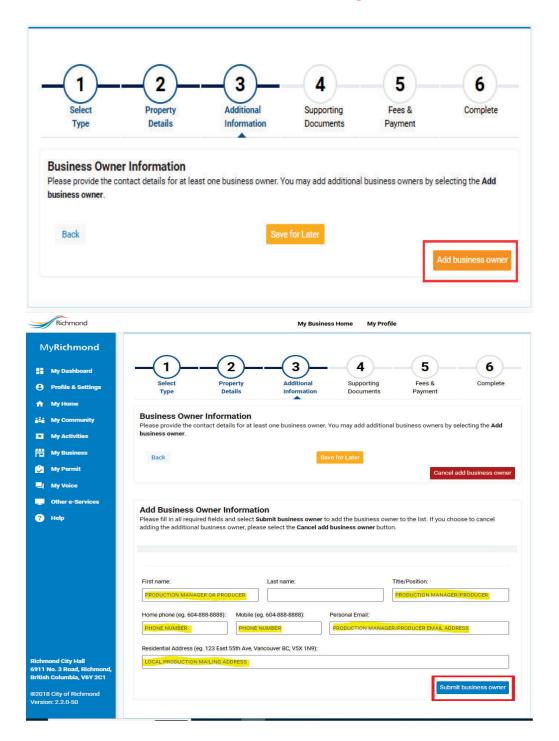
15. Business Owner Information

Add information of the Production Manager or Producer that is listed on the Notice of Articles.

First Name: Production Manager or Producer Title/Position: Production Manager/Producer Home Phone: PM/Producer Phone Number

Personal Email: Production Manager/Producer Email Address

Residential Address: Local Production Mailing Address



16. Additional Business Details and Online Notifications

Business Ownership information:

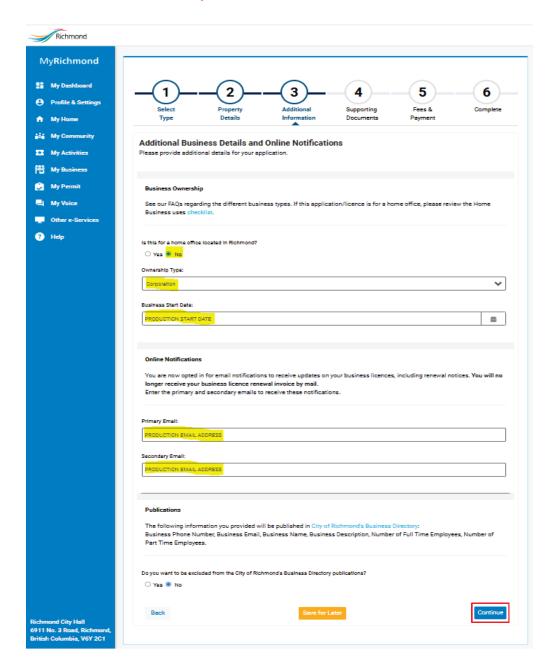
- Is this for a home office located in Richmond: No
- Ownership Type: Corporation
- Business Start Date: Production Start Date

Online Notifications:

- Primary Email: Production Email Address
- Secondary Email: Production Email Address

Publications:

Do you want to be excluded from the City of Richmond's Business Directory Publications? Yes/No

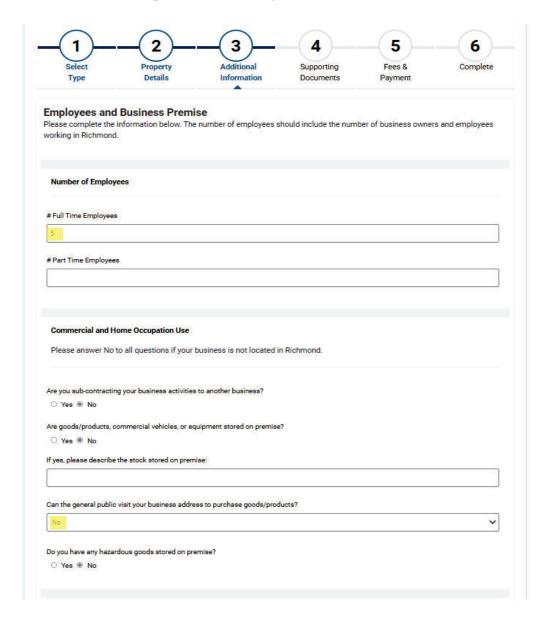


17. Employees and Business Premise

- Number of full time Employees: 5
- Number of part time Employees: leave blank

Commercial and Home Occupation Use

- Sub contracting your business activities to another business: No
- Goods/products, commercial vehicles or equipment stored on premise: No
- Can the general public visit your business address to purchase goods/products: No
- Hazardous goods stores on premise: No



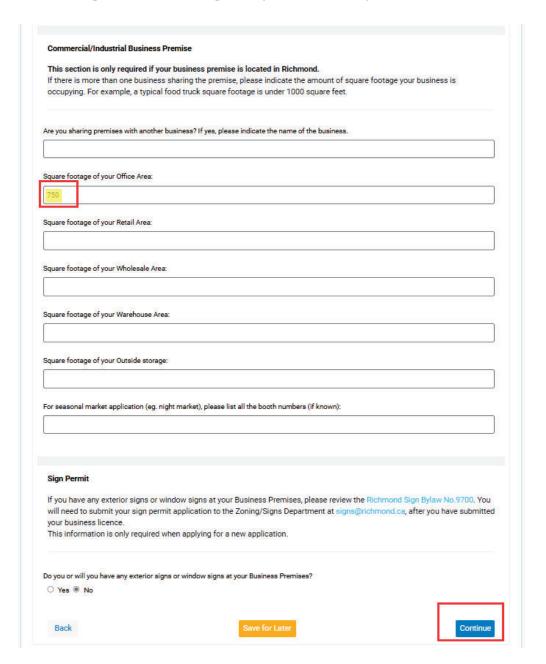
18. Commercial/Industrial Business Premise

Square footage of your Office Area: 750

Leave everything else blank.

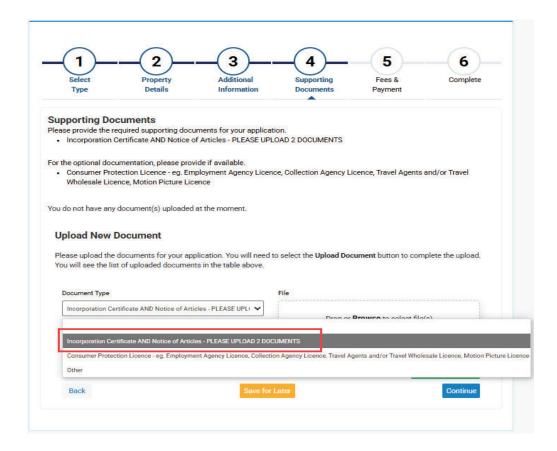
Sign Permit

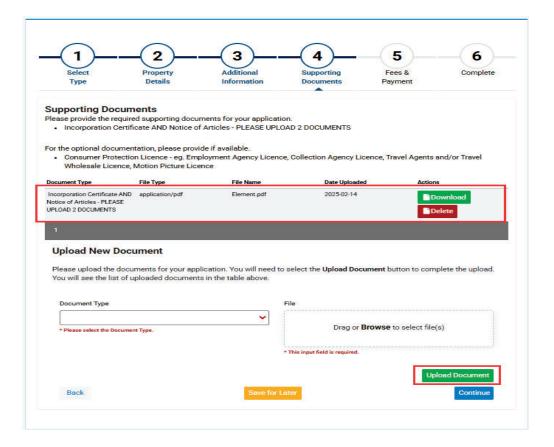
Exterior signs or window signs at your business premise: No



19. Supporting Documents

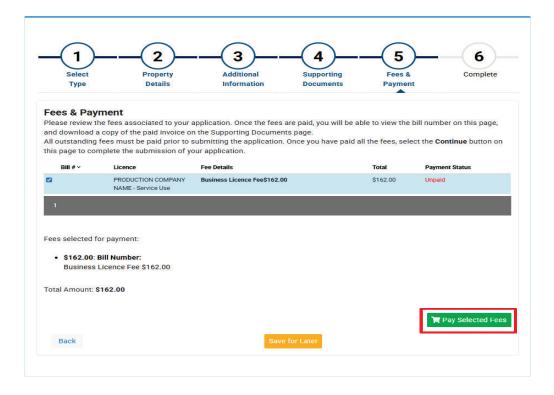
Please attach these two documents: Incorporation Certificate and Notice of Articles in PDF. Document Type: Incorporation Certificate and Notice of Articles





20. Fees & Payment

The business license fee for Motion Picture Industry is \$162.00 in 2025. If you get a different amount, please double check the number of employees you have added and square footage and ensure it does not exceed the number from this guide.





Online Payment - My Business

Review Your Order

Quantity	Item	Unit		Price
1	Business Licence Fee	CAD 162.00	CAD	162.00
		Total	CAD	162.00

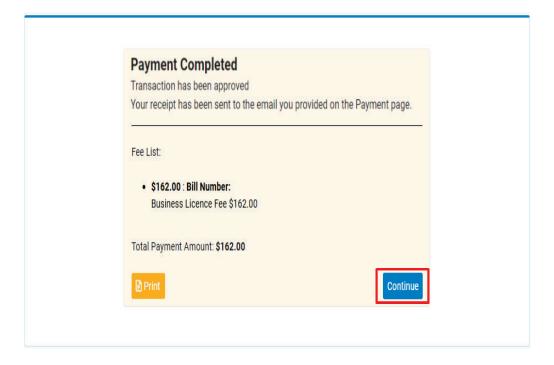
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Pay With Your Credit Card

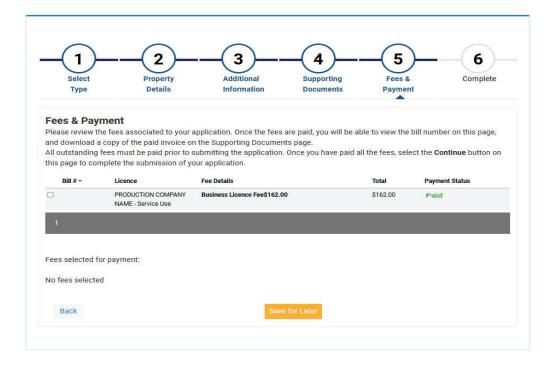


Your private information is secured using TLS 1.2 (Transport Layer Security). All information is encrypted between your web browser and E-xact Transactions (Canada) Ltd.

21. A confirmation window will be displayed after the payment is complete.



Once paid the bill will be listed as "Paid" under Fees and Payment.



22. Once you have paid and submitted your Business License application, please let the Film Office know and we will connect with the Business Licensing team to process the request.