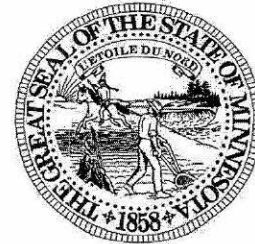




Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State
Minnesota Public Benefit Corporation / Annual Benefit Report
Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 304A



Read the instructions before completing this form
Must be filed by March 31
Filing Fee: \$55 for expedited service in-person, \$35 if submitted by mail

The Annual Benefit Report covers the 12 month period ending on December 31 of the previous year.
Notice: Failure to file this form by March 31 of this year will result in the revocation of the corporation's public benefit status without further notice from the Secretary of State, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 304A.301

1. Corporate Name: (Required) Community Hops SBC

2. The public benefit corporation's board of directors has reviewed and approved this report.

3. In the field below, enter the information required by section 304A.301 subd. 2 or 3 for the period covered by this report, (see instructions for further information): Note: Use additional sheets if needed. (Required)

see a hand letter

4. I, the undersigned, certify that I am the chief executive officer of this public benefit corporation. I further certify that I have signed this document no more than 30 days before the document is delivered to the secretary of state for filing, and that this document is current when signed. I further certify that I have completed all required fields, and that the information in this document is true and correct and in compliance with the applicable chapter of Minnesota Statutes. I understand that by signing this document I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Section 609.48 as if I had signed this document under oath.

[Signature]

Signature of Public Benefit Corporation's Chief Executive Officer

2/12/18

Date (Must be dated within 30 days before the report is delivered to the Secretary of State for Filing)

Email Address for Official Notices

Enter an email address to which the Secretary of State can forward official notices required by law and other notices:

brucecollinlarson@gmail.com

Check here to have your email address excluded from requests for bulk data, to the extent allowed by Minnesota law.

List a name and daytime phone number of a person who can be contacted about this form:

Bruce Larson

612-701-0879

Contact Name

Phone Number

Entities that own, lease, or have any financial interest in agricultural land or land capable of being farmed must register with the MN Dept. of Agriculture's Corporate Farm Program.

Does this entity own, lease, or have any financial interest in agricultural land or land capable of being farmed?

Yes No

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Community Hops SBC



This report covers operations in 2017.

Community Hops specific public benefit purpose is: Improving local communities and connecting neighbors through urban agriculture education and training.

Our priority is to physically bring people together to share community and knowledge; to do that we hosted a number of events at our gardens.

We hosted two events at our Longfellow garden location during the fall of 2017. The first was our harvest – a culmination and celebration of a productive year. This harvest brought Community Hops members, neighbors and community members together at the garden for a celebration of urban agriculture.

On October 28th 2017 we hosted the third annual Community Hops Fresh Hop Brew Competition. This contest was open to any homebrewer, garden member or not. We required the use of local fresh hops in their beer. We had a dozen brewers enter beer, nearly 150 beer aficionados attend the contest and dozens of neighbors stop by. This was a great community gathering opportunity.

At both our Fair State Brewing garden and the Longfellow garden we hosted weekly work days. These involved basic maintenance of the sites, plant care, site improvement and education topics. Community Hops members gained experience in sustainable urban agriculture and specialty crop care. Nearly every work day at both locations involved interactions with neighbors and other community members.

We look forward to expanding our operation and exploring new opportunities to engage the public.

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Bryce Larson

CEO

Community Hops SBC



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