Common Nonprofit / Compliance Acronyms

- 23701d California's state nonprofit exemption code (R&TC law)
- 501(c)(3) Federal IRS nonprofit exemption code for charitable orgs
- AG Attorney General
- BTRC Business Tax Registration Certificate (generic city-level license)
- **CCN** California Corporation Number (your state corporation ID)
- CPA Certified Public Accountant
- **EIN** Employer Identification Number (your federal tax ID)
- FBN Fictitious Business Name Statement
- FTB Franchise Tax Board (California's state tax agency)
- **IRS** Internal Revenue Service (federal tax agency)
- LABTRC Los Angeles Business Tax Registration Certificate
- LACRR/CC Los Angeles County Registrar Recorder / County Clerk
- NTEE National Taxonomy of Exempt Entities
- OAG Office of the Attorney General (runs the Registry of Charitable Trusts)
- **R&TC** Revenue & Taxation Code (California's tax laws)
- **SOS** Secretary of State (where you file Articles of Incorporation)
- TIN Taxpayer Identification Number (general term, includes EIN, SSN, ITIN)