## Accessing the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA) Business Entity Search

Performing a Business Entity Search on the LARA website allows access to:

- Viewing and printing past annual reports
- Viewing and printing the original Articles of Incorporation
- Obtaining an organization's entity ID
- Verifying an organization's current status with the State of Michigan

## How to perform a Business Entity Search

- 1. Go to www.michigan.gov/laraonlineservices
- 2. Under the Corporations, Securities & Commercial Licensing Bureau header, select **Business Entity Search.**
- 3. Enter all or part of the organization or business name.
- 4. The search results will list the name, ID number and type. You can sort the results by clicking on the blue header.
- 5. Click on the business name.
- 6. Select **View Document Images**. You can view any of the reports by clicking on the camera icon. Documents may only be printed and cannot currently be saved to a computer.