## SMCo Thrift

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# Budgeting and Real Estate









#### **Planning**

- 1. What is the goal of the starting / expanding your thrift store operation?
  - a. Extension of NP or Funding Source
  - b. Make sure everyone is on the same page.
    - i. Board
    - ii. Executive Director
    - iii. Store Staff



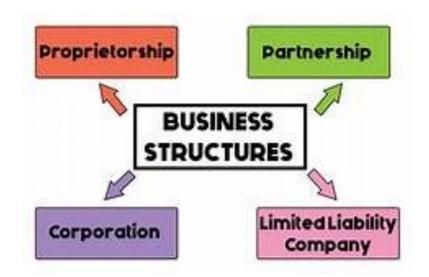






#### **Structure**

- 501 C-3
- For Profit
- Wholly owned business entity











#### **Non-Profit/ Business Separation**

- Policy and Procedures
- Staffing
- Benefits

\*Handbook





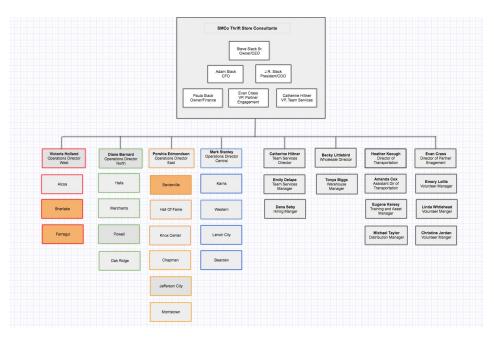






#### **Organizational Structure**

- Who's in charge (really?)
- Staffing
- Too Much Labor vs. Too Little











#### **Budgeting**

- Lease
  - 0 20%
- Labor
  - 17% Operations
  - 13% Processing
- Expenses
  - Trash
  - Benefits
    - \* Sample Budget











#### **Store Locations**

- Donations vs. Shoppers
- Free Locations ??
- Access
- How Many



















#### **Lease Negotiations**

- Sales Kick Out
- HVAC
- NNN's
  - CAM
  - Taxes
  - Insurance
- Landlords work
  - o "To Code"











#### Startup

- Costs (Worksheet)
- Build Out
  - Unexpected costs
- Signage
- Fixtures
- Labor to Process











## Questions?









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