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TO: Owners of Commercial Weighing & Measuring Devices and Automated Point of Sale Stations (Scanners)
FROM: Louie B. Mendoza, Jr., Director of Weights & Measures
SUBJECT: **2022 Device Registration Fees**
DATE: January 7, 2022

Dear Registrant:

Enclosed is the annual registration invoice for **Commercial Weights and Measures Devices**. On the reverse side of this page is the Maximum Annual Commercial Weighing and Measuring Fee Schedule. California legislation provides for the annual registration of commercial weighing and measuring devices in use within the State of California. This registration includes a business location, device, and updated State Administration fee, which covers the cost of inspecting and testing these devices. The Butte County Board of Supervisors recently adopted the new fees, effective January 1, 2022.

The fee for each business location using an automated point of sale device (price look up or scanner) shall be as follows: 1-3 scanners \$52.00, 4-9 scanners \$105.00, over 9 scanners \$211.00.

Payment Options

- 1) By Mail with Check - Butte County Weights & Measures, 316 Nelson Avenue, Oroville, CA 95965-3318
Checks payable to Butte County Weights & Measures and with your account number on the check.
- 2) By Credit Card – On the Butte County Weights & Measures website or by phone (530) 552-4100.
www.buttecounty.net/agriculturalcommissioner/Weights-Measures
- 3) By App - PayGov App with Location Code 38388.
- 4) In Person with Cash, Check or Credit Card at our Oroville office.

All Credit Card transactions will include a convenience-processing fee of either \$1.00 for payments under \$40.00 or 2.49% for payments over \$40.00.

A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION will be mailed when payment is received. This certificate must be posted in public view at your business location. Registration is only valid **after** fees have been paid. Registration is non-transferable. This registration expires at midnight on January 31, 2023.

Important: The amount due reflects the annual registration fee for the weighing or measuring devices, which our records indicate, you are currently using. If you feel the device totals are incorrect, please contact this office prior to submitting your fees.

Fees not paid within thirty (30) days are delinquent and subject to a fifty percent (50%) penalty.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

If you have any questions please contact Butte County Deputy Sealer, Tom Pisani directly at (530) 552-4077.

**MAXIMUM ANNUAL COMMERCIAL WEIGHING AND MEASURING FEES
PURSUANT TO NEW FEE SCHEDULES**

DEVICE TYPE	BUSINESS LOCATION & DEVICE FEE	STATE ADMINISTRATIVE FEES
ELECTRIC METERS	\$100/BUSINESS LOCATION <u>PLUS</u> \$3/METER	\$.50/METER
VAPOR METERS	\$100/BUSINESS LOCATION <u>PLUS</u> \$4/METER	\$.50/METER
Water Meters	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$2/Meter	\$.50/Meter
Scales (other than Livestock) Greater than 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$250/Scale	\$24.00/Scale
Scales (other than Livestock) 2,000 to 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$150/Scale	\$16.00/Scale
Scale 100 lb. to 2,000 lb.	\$100/Business location <u>Plus</u> \$50/Scale	\$2.20/Scale
Livestock Scales Greater than 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$150/Scale	\$24.00/Scale
Livestock Scales 2,000 to 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$100/Scale	\$16.00/Scale
Stationary & Truck Mounted LPG Meters	\$100/Business Location (or Truck) <u>Plus</u> \$185/Meter	\$16.00/Meter
Wholesale & Vehicle Meters	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$75/Meter	\$2.20/Meter
Vehicle Odometers (Vehicle Rental Transactions Charging Mileage Usage Fees including non-passenger vehicles)	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$60.00/Vehicle	\$2.20/Device
Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Meters	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$185/Meter	\$16.00/Device
Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Meters	\$100/Business Location <u>Plus</u> \$185.00/Meter	\$16.00/Device
Computing Scales with Capacity Less Than 100 Pounds	\$23.00/Scale	\$2.20/Device
Jewelry & Prescription Scales (Class II weighing Device)	\$80.00/Scale	\$2.20/Device
All Other Commercial Weighing & Measuring Devices Counter, Hanging, and Platform scales; Retail Fuel and Water dispensers, taxi meters, timing devices, etc.	\$100/Business Location (or Vehicle) <u>Plus</u> \$20/Meter or Scale 1,000 Maximum Annual Registration Fee	\$2.20/Device

Point of Sale (Price Scanners)*: 1-3 Scanners \$52.00, 4-9 Scanners \$105.00, Over 9 scanners \$211.00

**Fees based on an hourly rate to perform inspections.*