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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: 2023 Device Registration Fees
DATE: January 10, 2023

Dear Registrant:

Enclosed is your 2023 annual registration invoice for commercial weighing and measuring devices and/or automated point of sale stations (scanners) in Butte County, and the Maximum Annual Commercial Weighing and Measuring Fee Schedule. This registration includes a business location, device/scanner, and State Administration fee, which covers the cost of inspecting and testing these devices and/or scanners.

Payment Options

- 1) Mail: Checks payable to Butte County Weights & Measures, with your **Account Number** on the check
- 2) Online: Butte County Weights & Measures Website – PayGov
- 3) PayGov Mobile App with Location Code 38388
- 4) Phone: 530-552-4100 with a Credit Card
- 5) In Person: Cash, Check or Credit Card

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 2023 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, 2024.

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 or would like to discuss this matter, please contact Butte County Deputy Sealer, Tom Pisani directly at (530) 552-4077.

NEW In the future, if you would like your annual registration invoice sent to you by email instead of a hard copy, please email ButteWM@ButteCounty.net and provide the following information:

- **Business Name**
- **Email Address**
- **Account Number(s) (On invoice)**

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 PLUS \$3/METER	\$.50/METER
VAPOR METERS	\$100/BUSINESS LOCATION PLUS \$4/METER	\$.50/METER
Water Meters	\$100/Business Location Plus \$2/Meter	\$.50/Meter
Scales (other than Livestock) Greater than 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location Plus \$250/Scale	\$24.00/Scale
Scales (other than Livestock) 2,000 to 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location Plus \$150/Scale	\$16.00/Scale
Scale 100 lb. to 2,000 lb.	\$100/Business location Plus \$50/Scale	\$2.20/Scale
Livestock Scales Greater than 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location Plus \$150/Scale	\$24.00/Scale
Livestock Scales 2,000 to 10,000 Pounds	\$100/Business Location Plus \$100/Scale	\$16.00/Scale
Stationary & Truck Mounted LPG Meters	\$100/Business Location (or Truck) Plus \$185/Meter	\$16.00/Meter
Wholesale & Vehicle Meters	\$100/Business Location Plus \$75/Meter	\$2.20/Meter
Vehicle Odometers (Vehicle Rental Transactions Charging Mileage Usage Fees including non-passenger vehicles)	\$100/Business Location Plus \$60.00/Vehicle	\$2.20/Device
Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Meters	\$100/Business Location Plus \$185/Meter	\$16.00/Device
Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Meters	\$100/Business Location Plus \$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) Plus \$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.