

Coming Soon:

2025–26 Unified Fee Schedule Updates
(UFS)

Unified Fee Schedule

Santa Cruz County Unified Fee Schedule
Agricultural Commissioner/Weight and Measures
Budget Unit - 103210, 103300

Description	Current Fee	Proposed Fee	Units
INSPECTION AND CERTIFICATION SERVICES (RES 174-2019)(RES 171-2018) (RES168-2017, RES 294-82, RES 502-74)			
County prepares export certificate <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of cost</i>	\$24.38	<u>25.00</u>	per certificate
Company prepares export certificate <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of costs</i>	\$20.14	<u>21.00</u>	per certificate
Inspection for certification during office hours <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of costs</i>	\$53.00	<u>61.00</u>	per call
Added fee for inspection after hours <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of costs</i>	\$42.40	<u>49.00</u>	per call
MISCELLANEOUS (RES 174-2019)			
Services of inspectors for agricultural programs <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of cost</i>	86.50	<u>100.00</u>	per inspector/per hour

Services of inspectors for agricultural programs - overtime hourly rate and holidays <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of cost</i>	\$121.08	<u>140.00</u>	per inspector/per hour
Services of support staff - receptionist <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of costs</i>	\$51.52		per hour
*COMMERCIAL WEIGHING AND MEASURING DEVICES ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE (RES 174-2019)(RES 5-83) INCLUDES STATE ADMINISTRATIVE FEE COLLECTED FOR EVERY COMMERCIAL WEIGHING, MEASURING, AND COUNTING DEVICE REGISTERED IN CALIFORNIA (TITLE 4, DIVISION9, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 3, SECTION 4075 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS)			
Vehicle Scale (other than livestock) with capacities greater than 10,000 pounds			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$274.0	\$274.00	per device
Dormant Scale (other than livestock with capacities 2,000 - 10,000 pounds)			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$166.0	\$166.00	per device
Livestock Scale with capacities 2,000 - 10,000 pounds			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$116.00	\$116.00	per device
Scales with capacities 100 - 1,999 pounds			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u> <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of cost</i>	\$52.20	\$52.20	per device
Computing scales with capacities up to <u>up to</u> less than <u>less than</u> 100 Pounds <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 111334.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Adding fees for due to not being on the current UFS</i>			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	25.20	<u>27.20</u>	per device
Class II scales, including jewelry and prescription			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$82.20	\$82.20	per device
Meters - stationary and truck mounted LPG			

Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$201.00	\$201.00	per device
All other commercial weighing and measuring devices (except <u>farmers market</u> separately-used and sub-tility metered devices)			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u> <i>Justification For Updated Fee:</i> <i>Index Code is 11134.</i> <i>Fee Authority is State.</i> <i>Fee is not Mandated By State Law.</i> <i>Justification: Increase of cost</i>	25.20	<u>28.20</u>	per device
Meters - wholesale and vehicle meters			
Per Device <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	77.20	77.20	per device
Meters - Taximeter			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	25.20	<u>28.20</u>	per device
Meters - retail water meters, <u>cordage meters</u> , and <u>wire meters</u>			
Device Fee <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	25.20	<u>28.20</u>	per device
Meters - mobile home parks, recreation vehicle parks, and apartment complexes			
Additional Device Fee - water meters (RES 174-2019) <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	4.50	<u>6.50</u>	per space <u>device</u> or apartment
Additional Device Fee - electric meters (RES 174-2019) <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$3.50	\$3.50	per space <u>device</u> or apartment
Additional Device Fee - vapor meters (RES 174-2019) <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	7.50	<u>10.50</u>	per space <u>device</u> or apartment
Farmers Market Scales (brought to a Weights and Measures facility for testing)			
First Device <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$22.20	<u>27.00</u>	per device
Each Additional Device <u>(includes State Admin Fee)</u>	\$12.20	<u>14.50</u>	per device

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Santa Cruz County Unified Fee Schedule
Treasurer-Tax Collector
Budget Unit - 126000

Description	Current Fee	Proposed Fee	Units
PROPERTY TAX CREDIT/ DEBIT CARD PAYMENT FEE			
<u>Credit Card</u> Minimum Fee	\$2.00	\$2.00	per transaction
Fee as a Percentage of Transaction † <u>Total - Credit Card Payments</u>	2.29%	2.29%	of transaction total
<u>Flat Fee - Debit Card Payments</u>		<u>\$3.50</u>	<u>per transaction</u>

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CAO-Office of Cannabis Licensing
Budget Unit - 184000

Description	Current Fee	Proposed Fee	Units
EVENT FEES			
Temporary Cannabis Event Authorization Letter <u>and Inspections</u>	\$2,000.00	<u>\$4,400.00</u>	Per Event
Temporary Cannabis Event Retailer Authorization Letter	\$500.00	\$500.00	Per Letter
<u>RETAIL LICENSING FEES</u>			
Retail License Renewal Fee (no changes) includes quarterly inspections	\$4,000.00	<u>\$4,600.00</u>	Annually
Retail License <u>with Lounge</u> Renewal Fee (changes) includes quarterly inspections	\$4,500.00	<u>\$5100.00</u>	Annually
Retail License Amendment Fee (after license issuance) Note: Additional fees from other departments or agencies may apply	AT COST	AT COST	Per Amendment
Non-Retail License Issuance and Application Review Fee - Original or Amendment after license issuance) includes quarterly inspections by Cannabis Licensing Staff	AT COST		Hourly
Non-Retail License Renewal Fee (no changes) includes quarterly inspections	\$4,000.00		Annually
Non-Retail License Renewal Fee (changes) includes quarterly inspections	\$4,500.00		Annually
Non-Retail License Renewal Fee - Shared Kitchen Manufacturing (no changes)	\$500.00		Annually
SITE INSPECTIONS			
Site Inspection Fee per each inspection	AT COST		Per Inspection
Site inspection Fee per each reinspection	\$800.00	<u>\$850.00</u>	Per Reinspection
OTHER FEES			
<u>Non-Retail License Issuance and Application Review Fee - includes quarterly inspections by Cannabis Licensing Staff</u>		<u>AT COST</u>	<u>HOURLY</u>
<u>License Amendment</u>		<u>AT COST</u>	<u>HOURLY</u>
Administrative Citation Appeals	\$125.00	\$125.00	Per Citation Appeal
Administrative Citation Hearing Costs (when case decided against appellant)	AT COST	AT COST	Per Appeal
Extra Services Hourly Billing Rate	AT COST	AT COST	Hourly
Pre-Application Consultation and Site Inspection Fee	AT COST	AT COST	Hourly