



WHAT IS GO-BIZ?

California's *single point of contact* for economic development and job creation efforts.

FIVE MAIN UNITS OF GO-BIZ

- **Business Investment Services (CalBIS)**
- **International Affairs & Business Development**
- **Innovation & Entrepreneurship (iHubs)**
- **Office of the Small Business Assistance**
- **Permit Assistance**

PERMIT ASSISTANCE

- **Direct Assistance:**

Call a permit specialist
(916-322-0694)

- **Self-Service: CalGOLD**

www.calgold.ca.gov

- **Other Resources**

- **Regulatory Modernization**



DIRECT PERMIT ASSISTANCE

INCREASE ACOUNTABILTY, CONSISTENCY, AND TRANSPARENCY

How we can assist:

- Serve as neutral third party
- Ensure applicants are meeting their obligations and that regulating agencies are treating applicants fairly
- Convene meetings with government agencies

What we look for:

- Full history of the project and process, preferably in a timeline
- Application materials that are full and complete for agency review
- Pertinent correspondence



This website assists you in finding appropriate permit information for your business. It also provides contact information for the various agencies that administer & issue these permits.

Select a City or County

Ex. Oakland, Kern County, Ventura

Enter Business Type(s) [view all](#)

Ex. Dentist, Car Wash, Restaurant

Interested in having a green business? [learn more about green businesses](#)

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Not sure of your business type?

Not finding your business type listed? Simply enter the words "General Business"

About CalGOLD

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- Arvin - Kern County
- Bakersfield - Kern County**
- California City - Kern County
- Delano - Kern County
- Maricopa - Kern County
- McFarland - Kern County
- Ridgecrest - Kern County

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Food

Food (Health) Supplement Store

Food Manufacture

Grocery Store

Other Direct Selling Establishment

Pet and Pet Supplies Store

Restaurant

Sidewalk and Street Vending

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Business permits and other requirements in the City of Bakersfield (Kern County) for business types:

- Restaurant [Pollution Prevention Tips](#)

Contact Information

Permits & Licenses

Resources Available to Help You

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Building Permits

Required in most cases when you plan to make changes to the interior or exterior of the building you plan to occupy (i.e. construction, alterations, electrical, mechanical, plumbing).

applies to:
Restaurant

City of Bakersfield

Community Development
Building Department
1715 Chester Avenue
Bakersfield, CA, 93301
Phone: 661-326-3000
[website](#)

city

Filter Permits & Licenses

Level of Government: [all](#) [none](#)

- City
- County
- Regional
- State
- Federal

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Business Tax Registration Certificate (Business License)

Required for every business located within the incorporated city limits.

applies to:
Restaurant

City of Bakersfield

Finance Department
Business License Section
1715 Chester Avenue
Bakersfield, CA, 93301
Phone: 661-326-3742
[website](#)

city

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Fire Safety Inspections

Businesses are subject to an inspection annually, for conditions as required in the Uniform Fire Code. Additionally, the Fire Department offers a variety of public safety programs & presentations at no cost, such as () Earthquake Preparedness, () Home & Workplace Fire Safety, and many more!

City of Bakersfield

Fire Department
Fire Prevention Division
1715 Chester Avenue
Bakersfield, CA, 93301
Phone: 661-326-3911

city



OTHER RESOURCES AVAILABLE

- **SB 1327 & AB 393** – require all application forms and fee schedules to be updated and online
- **Business Assistance Resource Guide for Environmental Permitting** – serves as a single comprehensive source of contact information for environmental regulators throughout the state
- **Business Relocation Checklist** – checklist for businesses to update contact information with necessary government agencies

APPLICATION FORMS AND FEES

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FORMS AND FEE FINDER

User Tip: Use the CTRL+F shortcut to search by agency, license, permit, or keyword.

Name of Permit, License, or Registration	Brief Description of Purpose	Application	Fee Information	Keywords
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL, DEPARTMENT OF				
Permanent Alcoholic Beverage Licenses	Checklist of application forms	http://www.abc.ca.gov/forms/PDFApp.html	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Individual Personal Affidavit	Required for sole owners and their spouses; each general partner and their spouses; officers of a corporation and a majority of the board of directors; persons holding 10% or more of the capital or stock of a corporation and their spouses; persons holding 10% or more of the capital or stock of a limited liability company or limited partnership and their spouses	http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC208A.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Individual Financial Affidavit	Required for sole owners and their spouses; each general partner and their spouses; officers of a corporation and a majority of the board of directors; persons holding 10% or more of the capital or stock of a corporation and their spouses; persons holding 10% or more of the capital or stock of a limited liability company or limited partnership and their spouses	http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC208B.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Application Signature Sheet		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC211SIG.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
License Transfer Request	This form is to be signed by transferors only.	http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC211A.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Application Questionnaire		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC217.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Notice of Intended Transfer of Retail Alcohol Beverage License		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC227.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Corporate Questionnaire	Required for corporations	http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC243.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Statement Re: Residences		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC247.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Statement Re: Consideration Points		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC251.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Zoning Affidavit		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC255.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Limited Partnership Questionnaire	Required for Limited Partnerships	http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC256.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Limited Liability Company Questionnaire	Required for Limited Liability Companies	http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC256LLC.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Licensed Premises Diagram (Retail)		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC257.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	
Licensed Premises Diagram (Non-Retail)		http://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC257NR.pdf	http://www.abc.ca.gov/permits/2013FeeSch.pdf	

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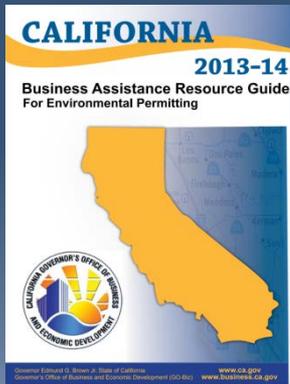
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COMPLETE

- Submit **Form 8822-B** to the **US Internal Revenue Service (IRS)** to update you business mailing address, employer identification, tax registration filings and any other business tax returns.

US Internal Revenue Service
Phone: 800-829-4933

Change of Address Form (Form 8822 -B):
<http://tinyurl.com/6nb8c2x>

- Update your business mailing address with the **US Postal Service** to forward mail to your new business mailing location.

US Postal Service
Phone: 800-275-8777

Change of Address Form:
<http://tinyurl.com/lcvcg8>

- Submit **a change of address form** to the **CA Secretary of State's Office** to update your business entity formation and registration filings.

CA Secretary of State's Office
Phone: 916-657-5448

Change of Address Form:
<http://tinyurl.com/nfvfSo7>

- Submit **Form BOE-345-WEB** to the **CA Board of Equalization** to update business mailing address for your Sales and Use Permit.

CA State Board of Equalization
Phone: 800-400-7115

Change of Address Form (BOE-345-WEB):
<http://tinyurl.com/6n9z5zb>

- Submit **Form 3533** to the **CA Franchise Tax Board** to update your business mailing address for income tax filings.

CA Franchise Tax Board
Phone: 800-852-5711

Change of Address Form (Form 3533):
Print and Mail: <http://tinyurl.com/lzrchg9>
eFile: MYFTB Account: <http://tinyurl.com/phasq59>

- If you are a registered employer, submit **Form DE 24** to the **CA Employment Development Department** to update changes in business name, address, or legal entity for payroll tax filings.

CA Employment Development Department
Phone: 800-300-5616

Change of Address Form (Form DE 24):
<http://tinyurl.com/99joh2y>



Business Relocation Checklist

COMPLETE

- Update your business information for industry specific licenses and permits. Major licensing agencies are listed below. For information on other licensing requirements contact the appropriate State agency, department, board or commission.

Industry Specific Licensing

CA Department Consumer Affairs
DCA includes 36 regulating entities that establish qualifications and levels of competency for licensure.
Phone: 800-952-5210

Link: <http://tinyurl.com/6odsx9m>

CA Department of Business Oversight
DBO licenses securities brokers and dealers, investment advisers, deferred deposit transactions and certain fiduciaries and lenders.
Phone: 866-275-2677

Link: <http://tinyurl.com/oprlq8y>

CA Department of Industrial Relations
DIR regulates and enforces laws relating to wages, hours, and conditions of employment.
Phone: 800-564-0771

DIR Link: <http://tinyurl.com/6rv9fjp>

CA Occupational Health Safety and Appeals (OSHA)
Link: <http://tinyurl.com/nza3gvv>

- Check in with the city or county where your business will be located and update business license information. Contact your county clerk's office to update fictitious business name filings.

REGULATORY MODERNIZATION

INCREASE ACOUNTABILTY, CONSISTENCY, AND TRANSPARENCY

- **e-Tracking Pilot Programs** – interface that will be easy for both regulators and applicants to quickly see application status.
- **Lean 6-Sigma Training Program** – Training provided to state agencies to facilitate process improvement in targeting issues causing delays in services to both internal and external stakeholders.
- **SB 617** – regulations with impacts over \$50M are reviewed by GO-Biz staff for their economic impacts to businesses.
- **Streamlining Superstars** – recognizing agency partners that help ease the burden on businesses.
- **CalEPA Consolidated Permitting Program** – provides single point of contact for multiple environmental permits

