

County Business License Fees
Required License
County Ordinance 5.04.160

TYPE OF LICENSES **INITIAL FEE** **RENEWAL FEE**

Adult Entertainment	Call for Info.	Call for Info.
Bingo	\$50.00	\$50.00
Bingo – One Day	\$15.00	N/A
Carnival	\$211.00	\$166.00
Circus	\$181.00	\$166.00
Card Room Employees	\$100.00	\$75.00
Commercial Photography	\$80.00	\$40.00
Dance – Public	\$100.00	\$30.00
Dance – One Day (non- residential)	\$20.00	N/A
Food Peddler	\$25.00	\$25.00
Fortune Teller	\$130.00	\$65.00
Itinerant Peddler	\$130.00	\$65.00
Locksmith	\$105.00	\$40.00
Loose Vehicle Parts	\$105.00	\$65.00
Massage Establishment	\$166.00	\$75.00
Street Vendor	\$130.00	\$65.00
Swap Meets	\$281.00	\$216.00
Taxicab Service	\$80.00	\$65.00
Taxi Driver	\$55.00	\$40.00
Temporary Business	\$130.00	\$115.00
Weapons Dealer	\$130.00	\$65.00

Additional fees collected upon submission of application

Each additional cart, basket, or vehicle for food sales: \$15.00

Record Search by fingerprints will be charged per Department of Justice Fee and Live Scan Agency Rolling Fee

You may print the application from either the Kern County or Sheriff's website or obtain an application at the Kern County Sheriff's office at 1350 Norris Road, Bakersfield, CA 93308. Business License hours are listed below. Licensing Unit Phone (voicemail only) 661-391-7690 Email: license@kernsheriff.org

Public Hours: *(Excluding Holidays)*

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8AM-12PM

Tuesday, Thursday 12PM-4PM

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<p><i>California Dept. of Tax and Fee Administration</i> SELLER'S PERMIT 1800 30th Street., Ste. 380 Bakersfield, CA 93301 661.395.2880 www.cdtfa.ca.gov</p>	<p><i>Kern County Clerk</i> FICTITIOUS BUSINESS 1115 Truxtun Avenue., 1st Floor Bakersfield, CA 93301 661.868.3588 www.kerncountyclerk.com</p>	<p><i>Public Health (Environmental Health)</i> HEALTH PERMITS 2700 M Street., Ste. 300 Bakersfield, CA 93301 661.862.8740 www.kernpublichealth.com</p>		
<p><i>Planning Department</i> HOME/USE/CONDITIONAL 2700 M Street., Ste 100 Bakersfield, CA 93301 661.862.8600 www.kernplanning.com</p>	<p><i>Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, & Firearms</i> FIREARMS & EXPLOSIVES 877.283.3352 (Explosives) 866.662.2750 (Firearms) www.atf.gov</p>	<p><i>Department of Justice</i> CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY www.oag.ca.gov/firearms/cert-eligibility www.cfars.doj.ca.gov/login</p>		
<p><i>Kern County Fire Department (Fire Prevention)</i> EXPLOSIVE PERMIT/FIRE INSPECTIONS 2820 M Street Bakersfield, CA 93301 661.391.3310 www.kerncountyfire.org</p>	<p><i>Public Works Department</i> CODE COMPLIANCE 2700 M Street., Ste 570 Bakersfield, CA 93301 661.862.8603 www.kernpublicworks.com</p>	<p><i>Bureau of Security & Investigation</i> LOCKSMITH LICENSE 2420 Del Paso Road., Ste 270 Sacramento, CA 95834 916.322.4000 800.952.5210 www.bsis.ca.gov</p>		
<p><i>Bureau of Automotive Repair</i> AUTO REPAIR LICENSE 3331 Sillect Avenue Bakersfield, CA 661.335.7400 www.bar.ca.gov</p>	<p><i>Alcohol Beverage Control (ABC)</i> LIQUOR LICENSE 4800 Stockdale Highway, Ste. 213 Bakersfield, CA 93309 661.395.2731 www.abc.ca.gov</p>	<p><i>Agriculture & Measurement Standards</i> MEASUREMENT STANDARDS 1001 S. Mt. Vernon Avenue Bakersfield, CA 93307 661.868.6300 www.kernag.com</p>		
<p><i>Department of Motor Vehicles</i> VALID IDENTIFICATION 3120 F Street Bakersfield, CA 93301 800.777.0133 www.dmv.ca.gov</p>	<p><i>CA Massage Therapy Council</i> Massage License/Certificate 1 Capitol Mall., Ste 800 916.669.5336 www.camtc.org</p>	<p><i>Waste Tire Management</i> TP ID NUMBER 866.896.0600 www.calrecycle.ca.gov</p>		
<p><i>California Department of Food and Agriculture</i> 1220 N Street Sacramento, CA 95814 916.654.466 www.cdffa.ca.gov</p>	<p><i>Consumer Affairs</i> STATE LICENSE 800.952.5210 / 916.322.4000 www.dca.ca.gov</p>	<p><i>Kern County Main Office</i> 1115 Truxtun Avenue., 5th Floor Bakersfield, CA 93301 661.868.3140 www.kerncounty.com</p>		
<p><i>Internal Revenue Service (IRS)</i> 800.829.1040 (individuals) 800.829.4933 (businesses)</p>	<p><i>Federal HAZMAT Request Local Enrollment-IdentoGO</i> 855.347.8371 7737 Meany Avenue., Ste B9 Bakersfield, CA 93308</p>	<p><i>Kern County Sheriff's Office</i> 1350 Norris Road Bakersfield, CA 93308 661.391.7500 www.kernsheriff.org</p>		
<p>City of Arvin 200 Campus Dr. 661.854.3134</p>	<p>Bakersfield City 1600 Truxtun Ave 661.326.3762</p>	<p>California City 21000 Hacienda Blvd 760.373.8661</p>	<p>City of Delano 1015 11th Ave 661.720.2265</p>	<p>City of McFarland 401 W Kern 661.792.3091</p>
<p>City of Ridgecrest 100 W. California 760.499.5026</p>	<p>City of Shafter 336 Pacific Ave 661.746.5001</p>	<p>City of Taft 209 E. Kern 661.763.1350</p>	<p>City of Tehachapi 115 S. Robinson 661.822.2200</p>	<p>City of Wasco 764 E Street 661.758.7230</p>

The Kern County Sheriff's Office issues business licenses for the unincorporated areas per Title 5 Business Licenses and Regulations Section 5.04.010. If the business is conducted within the city limits, please contact the appropriate city licensing office. The sheriff's office may require applicants, managers and/ or employees to be fingerprinted as per Section 5.04.050. If the business is a corporation, then the authorized corporate officers will be required to be fingerprinted. Title 5, Business Licenses and Regulations, Section 5.04.020 defines businesses requiring licenses.

County Business License for Unincorporated areas of the County of Kern

Aerial Acres	Arvin	Bakersfield	Bear Valley Springs
Boron	Buttonwillow	Caliente	California City
Delano	Derby Acres	Dustin Acres	Earlimart
Edison	Edwards	Fellows	Ford City
Frazier Park	Glennville	Golden Hills	Gorman
Greenacres	Greenfield	Kernville	Lake Isabella
Lamont	Lebec	Maricopa	McFarland
McKittrick	Mettler	Mojave	North Edwards
Oildale	Onyx	Pine Mountain Club	Pond
Posey	Ridgecrest	Rosamond	Rosedale
Shafter	Stallion Springs	Taft	Tehachapi
Tupman	Valley Acres	Walker Basin	Wasco
Weldon	Willow Springs	Wofford Heights	Woody

Kern County Licensing Unit

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