

RESOLUTION NO. 245-14

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ARCATA
REVISING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF DECREASES TO CERTAIN FEES AND
SERVICE CHARGES ASSOCIATED WITH COMMERCIAL CANNABIS
ACTIVITY PERMITS FROM JANUARY 1, 2025, TO OCTOBER 25, 2024**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the California Constitution, the laws of the State of California and City Ordinances, the City of Arcata is authorized to adopt and implement rates, fees and charges for certain municipal services, provided the same do not exceed the estimated reasonable cost of providing such services; and

WHEREAS, for the convenience of the public, it is desirable to gather in a single document, identified as the Master Fee Schedule, a comprehensive list of various fees and service charges imposed by the City; and

WHEREAS, on October 16, 2024, the City Council of the City of Arcata reviewed and updated the Master Fee Schedule as necessary to reflect revisions in costs to provide certain said services; and

WHEREAS, a few of the updates to the Master Fee Schedule included decreases to certain fees associated with the Commercial Cannabis Activity Permits (CCAP) and decreases in fees do not require the same notice or waiting period as new fees or increases to fees to become effective; and

WHEREAS, the local Cannabis industry in Arcata and throughout Humboldt County has struggled economically for a number of years with record low market prices and outside competition; and

WHEREAS, representatives from the local Cannabis industry in Arcata have cited government fees and charges as economic challenges to their going concern as businesses; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Arcata hereby adjusts the effective date to October 25, 2024, instead of January 1, 2025, for the reduction in certain fees and service charges associated with the Commercial Cannabis Activity Permits (CCAP), as set forth below:

Line #	Fee Description	Current Fee	Proposed Revised Fee	\$ Change
281	Cannabis - CCAP New Permit, Application fee	\$ 2,988.40	\$ 1,400.00	\$ (1,588.40)
282	Cannabis - CCAP New Permit, Operating fee	4,780.50	2,520.00	\$ (2,260.50)
284	Cannabis - CCAP Renewal Permit, Operating fee	4,780.50	2,520.00	\$ (2,260.50)
287	Cannabis - CCAP Change of Contact Information, Administrative fee	129.10	90.00	\$ (39.10)
290	Cannabis - CCAP Modification to Premises and/or Equipment, Administrative fee	388.30	310.00	\$ (78.30)
292	Cannabis - CCAP Add-On, Administrative fee	645.50	130.00	\$ (515.50)

DATED:

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

City Clerk, City of Arcata

Mayor, City of Arcata

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 245-14, passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Arcata, Humboldt County, California, held on the 6th day of November, 2024 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTIONS:

City Clerk, City of Arcata