

Resources at GO-Biz



**RURAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
INITIATIVE – MAY 16TH, 2017**



What is GO-Biz?

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- Governor's Office of Business & Economic Development
- California's *single point of contact* for economic development and job creation efforts at the state level

GO-Biz Assistance Units

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- **Permit Assistance** (Including CalGOLD)
- **Business Investment Services** (CalBIS)
- Small Business Advocate
- International
- iHubs
- Tourism
- Film Commission

Money Side of GoBIZ



- **CalBIS** - tax incentives (manufactures, sales and use)
- **CA Competes** Tax Credit Program
- **I-Bank** - Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank
- **ETP** – Training cost reimbursement

Permit Assistance Unit

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Individualized Permit Assistance

- Direct Assistance
- Tools for Self-Service

Regulatory Modernization

- Providing tools to agencies for process improvement
- Recognizing good work

CalEPA Consolidated Permitting Program

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- CalBiz working with CalEPA
- Establish main contacts for local and State permitting agencies
- Talk directly with regulators reviewing your project
 - ✦ What they need
 - ✦ What they are concerned about
- CalEPA contact: John Blue: (916) 445-9478
 - ✦ John.Blue@calepa.ca.gov

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California Government OnLine to Desktops

- Select business location and type
- Receive a list of potential permit needs
 - ✦ Sorted by local, state, and federal requirements
 - ✦ Includes contact information for each jurisdiction

www.calgold.ca.gov

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The Gold Standard For Permit Assistance

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): 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? [About CalGOLD](#) [Frequently Asked Questions](#)

Find a Local Resource

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

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

Ex: Dentist, Car Wash, Restaurant

Food

Food (Health) Supplement Store

Food Manufacture

Grocery Store

Other Direct Selling Establishment

Pet and Pet Supplies Store

Restaurant

Sidewalk and Street Vendino

Not sure of your business type? [A](#)

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

Select Business Type

CalGOLD Search Result

www.calgold.ca.gov/Results.aspx?location=87&businessTypes=158&greenBusiness=False

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

- Restaurant [Pollution Prevention Tips](#)

[Print List](#)

Permits & Licenses | Resources Available to Help You

Building Permits city

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).

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

applies to:
Restaurant

Business Tax Registration Certificate (Business License) city

Required for every business located within the incorporated city limits.

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

applies to:
Restaurant

Fire Safety Inspections city

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

Filter Permits & Licenses

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

City

County

Regional

State

Federal

[Filter Results](#)

Results Listed

Direct Permit Assistance

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- Specialists in Northern and Southern California
- Single point of contact for individual business assistance
- Local, state, and federal compliance assistance
- Neutral facilitator
- Confidential
- Free

Observations and Follow-up



- Closer working relationship with State agencies
- Also with local agencies on TMTF
- Non-TMTF impacted counties to improve capability
- Wood product development - high and low intensity

More Observations



Specific Local Economic Development

- **Development-ready land** (especially Brownfields)
 - Zoned and environmental (Mitigated ND to be required)
 - Workforce
 - Transportation – more rural, smaller projects
- **Community ready**

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