

AGRICULTURAL PEST CONTROL BUSINESSES

California Food and Agriculture Code Section 11732 requires annual registration of licensed pest control businesses, which includes maintenance gardeners, with the Agricultural Commissioner of each county in which pest control work is performed.



If you intend to perform pest control in Contra Costa County, please fill out the appropriate County Agricultural Commissioner registration form and return it to us along with:

1. A copy of the Qualified Applicator License or Certificate (QAL or QAC) associated with the business
2. A copy of the current business license issued by the Department of Pesticide Regulation that is associated with the business
3. An updated equipment list that contains all pesticide application equipment, including backpack sprayers, hand and power sprayers etc.
4. A check written to **CCC Department of Agriculture** for either **\$50.00** if registering as pest control business, or **\$25.00** if registering as a maintenance gardener

Also, please be sure to provide a valid email address on your registration form. All documents can be mailed together to our office at:

Contra Costa County Department of Agriculture
2380 Bisso Lane, Suite A
Concord, CA 94520

In addition to registering, every pest control business must report monthly pesticide use, including no use on months where no pesticide applications occur, by the 10th of the following month. We strongly encourage all pest control businesses, whether they are located in or working here in Contra Costa County, to sign up for an online CalAgPermits account. Please email us at agcommissioner@ag.cccounty.us or contact our office at (925) 608-6600 for assistance in setting up your Contra Costa account or any other questions about pesticide use reporting.