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COMMERCIAL BUSINESS INSPECTIONS

McKinleyville, CA. Arcata Fire District will be conducting Fire Inspections of Commercial properties/businesses in accordance with the California Fire Code, City of Arcata and County of Humboldt life safety requirements. Inspections will be performed by on-duty Engine Companies, at no charge, and begin September 2019. The purpose of this annual inspection program is to safeguard your property, and its occupants, from Fire and Life Safety hazards identified during the inspection.

Areas of focus during the inspection will include, but not be limited to, the following:

- Emergency exits, doors, exit lights and pathways clear of obstructions and in working order
- Fire Extinguishers of required size and annual required service
- Electrical panels labeled for their use and clear of any obstructions
- Kitchen Hood suppression systems bi-annual service (if applicable)
- Mechanical rooms maintained and cleaned
- Storage/Utility rooms maintained and cleaned
- Outside storage maintained if allowed
- Storage of Hazardous Materials
- Review fire alarm systems and sprinkler system (if applicable)

We appreciate your cooperation with this Fire Inspection Program in order to ensure the safety of your businesses, customers, properties and the first responders who protect it.

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