

November 29, 2021

To: All Interested Parties

Re: **VITAL RECORDS FEE INCREASE**

**Effective January 1, 2022**, the fee to obtain a copy of Vital Records, including Birth, Death, and Marriage will increase pursuant to Assembly Bill (AB) 128 (Chapter 21, Statutes of 2021).

|                                | <u>PUBLIC FEE</u> | <u>GOVERNMENT FEE</u> |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Birth Certificate/Search       | \$29              | \$22                  |
| Death Certificate/Search       | \$24              | \$24                  |
| Marriage Certificate/Search    | \$17              | \$12                  |
| Fetal Death certificate/Search | \$21              |                       |

Pursuant to *Health & Safety Code Section 103650*, if the record requested is not on file the full fee for searching the record will be retained.

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