

Table C-1: Summary of County Ordinances (as of August 17, 2017)

County	License Types / Cultivation Amount	Applicable Ordinance	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
Alameda	Dispensaries allowed. Cultivation prohibited.	Ordinance No. 2005-52; Ordinance No. 2005-25	<p>Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located within 1,000 feet of another dispensary or a school, public park, playground, drug recovery facility, or recreation center. • Must be located within a commercial or industrial zone or their equivalent. • May not be open for business between hours of 9 pm and 9 am, or, if within 1,000 feet of a school, may not be open during the 1.5-hour period immediately following cessation of classes. • No smoking, ingesting or consuming cannabis on the premises. • Must provide adequate security on the premises, including lighting and alarms. • Must provide litter removal services twice each day on and in front of the premises. • Must comply with county building, zoning and health codes.
Alpine	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
Amador	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Butte	<p>Dispensaries not permitted. Cultivation is allowed, as follows:</p> <p>Medical: Varies based on lot size; lots over 10 acres may designate 150 square feet to cultivation.</p> <p>Non-Medical: No more than six plants.</p>	<p>Butte County Code, Chapter 34A (Medical);</p> <p>Butte County Code, Chapter 34C (Non-Medical)</p>	<p>Cultivation – All Types</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultivation is prohibited within 1,000 feet of a school or similar facility, 600 feet if a school bus stop, and 100 feet from an occupied residential structure on an adjacent parcel. Subject to setback requirements based on size of parcel. • Cultivation is prohibited in any location where plants are visible from a public right of way. Outdoor grows must be fully enclosed by a solid and opaque fence at least 6 feet in height. • Cultivation must have permitted permanent water well connection or connection to a municipal water source. No illegal discharges of water. • Cultivation must be connected to municipalities’ sewer system or have a County- inspected and permitted sewage disposal system. • Chemicals used in cultivation and/or harvest must be used, stored, and disposed of in accordance with applicable laws. • Cultivation not permitted in commercial, industrial, or public zones. <p>Cultivation – Nonmedical</p>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any accessory structure must (1) comply with the Building Code; (2) be secure against unauthorized entry; (3) be accessible only through one or more lockable doors; (4) be constructed of approved building materials; (5) contain a ventilation and filtration systems to control odor; (6) be located in the rear yard area of a legal parcel or premises; (7) maintain appropriate setbacks. Installation of electrical fixtures, plumbing, or ventilation/filtration systems, for the purpose of modifying an existing structure to meet the requirements of an accessory structure, shall require a Building Permit.
Calaveras	Dispensaries allowed with medical cannabis dispensary administrative use permit. Cultivation subject to tiered licensing system based on type of cultivation and size of operation.	Ordinance No. 2830 (2005); Ordinance No. 3069 (May 10, 2016)	<p>Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be located in the CP professional office zoning district. No cannabis shall be smoked, ingested or otherwise consumed on the premises. Must provide adequate security on premises, including lighting/alarms. Building must comply with all applicable local, state and federal rules, regulations, and laws. If providing cannabis in the form of food, must obtain and maintain the appropriate permits from county environmental health department. May not be located within 1,000 feet of another medical cannabis dispensary, a school, or public park. <p>Cultivation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must at all times ensure the health and safety of employees, visitors, and neighbors; protect the environment from harm to streams, fish, and wildlife; ensure the security of the medical cannabis; and safeguard against diversion of cannabis for non-medical purposes. Must comply with all federal, state, and local laws. Must comply with all laws and regulations related to use, storage, and disposal of hazardous materials or wastes, including but limited to pesticides. Must comply with all laws relating to housing, sanitation, and health and safety of agricultural workers employed at the site. Must demonstrate compliance with Central Valley Water Quality Control Board regulations. Outdoor and mixed light sites must be set back at least 75 feet from any

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			property line, and 1,000 feet from any parcel containing a “sensitive use.” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultivation subject to zoning restrictions. • Indoor cultivation area must be lawful, permitted structure that is securely locked and enclosed by four walls and a roof that prevents public viewing. • Outdoor and mixed light grow areas must be fully enclosed by a six-foot tall fence of a material and strength to prevent unauthorized access and public viewing. • Reasonable screening from public view and from the view of parcels containing a “sensitive use” must be provided. • All outdoor lighting must be shield to prevent light trespass into the night sky and glare onto adjoining parcels or rights-of-way. • Any generator used in cultivation must be housed in an insulated shed; set back 75 feet from the property line, and in compliance with the county’s noise ordinance.
Colusa	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Contra Costa	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
Del Norte	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
El Dorado	Medical marijuana distribution facilities and cultivation are permitted. Size of outdoor cultivation area restricted based on zoning district (200 to 600 square feet).	Ordinance Nos. 4999 and 5000 (September 24, 2013)	<p>Medical Marijuana Distribution Facility</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be located within a commercial zone district. • Must comply with State law, including, but not limited to, the Medical Marijuana Program Act. <p>Cultivation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultivation must be screened from public view, and secured by a minimum six-foot high solid fence with locked gates. • Must not be located within 1,000 feet from school, park, or similar facility. Must be set back 50 to 100 feet from any property line depending on zoning. • Must have legal water source. No illicit discharges or off-site drift of chemicals. • Must be connected to public sewer or have an approved sewage system. • Must use and dispose of chemicals in accordance with applicable laws. • Cultivation must not adversely affect health or safety of nearby residents due to dust, noise, smoke, or odors.
Fresno	Cannabis activities prohibited.		

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Glenn	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Humboldt	Dispensaries not permitted. Cultivation is allowed, subject to tiered permit system allowing up to 1 acre outdoors, 22,000 square feet for mixed-light, and 10,000 square feet indoors.	Ordinance No. 2559 (September 13, 2016)	<p>Cultivation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outdoor, mixed-light, and indoor commercial cultivation subject to zoning restrictions (generally limited to areas zoned for agriculture but may be allowed in other zones with clearance certificate or use permit). • Electrical power for indoor cultivation shall be provided by on-grid power 100% renewable source, on-site net zero energy renewable source, or with purchase of carbon offsets of any portion of power not from renewable sources. • Cultivation sites must be set back 30 feet from any property line and 600 feet from any school, church, or similar land use. • Must comply with applicable Regional Water Quality Control Board orders and any Streambed Alteration Agreement. • Where surface water diversion provides any part of the water supply for irrigation of cannabis cultivation, applicant shall either (1) consent to forebear from any such diversion during the period from May 15th to October 31st of each year and establish on-site water storage for retention of wet season flows sufficient to provide adequate irrigation water for the size of the area to be cultivated, or (2) submit a water management plan prepared by a qualified person, such as a licensed engineer or hydrologist. • Water is to be sourced locally (on-site). Trucked water shall not be allowed. • Must refrain from improper storage or use of any fuels, fertilizer, pesticide, or hazardous substance. Fuel shall be stored and handled in compliance with applicable state and local laws. Any uses of pesticide products shall be in compliance with State pesticide laws and regulations. • Must maintain noise below acceptable standards. Noise produced by a generator used for cultivation shall not be audible by humans from neighboring residences. Where applicable, permittees must show sound levels will not result in the harassment of Marbled Murrelet or Spotted Owl species. • Must shield light sources and comply with International Dark Sky Association standards. • Cultivators must comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations governing California Agricultural Employers, including

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			federal and state wage and hour laws, Cal/OSHA, and OSHA.
Imperial	No cannabis ordinance has been adopted.		
Inyo	Commercial cannabis ordinance pending.		
Kern	Dispensaries allowed. Commercial cultivation is prohibited.	Ordinance No. G-8299 (June 5, 2012)	Dispensaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be established in any zone district other than the M-2 PD (Medium Industrial – Precise Development Combining District) and M-3 PD (Heavy Industrial – Precise Development Combining District). • May not be located within one mile of any school, daycare, park, or church. • May not be located within one mile of any other dispensary. • No cannabis may be smoked, ingested, or consumed on the premises. • No edible products may be distributed or sold on the premises. • May not operate between hours of 8 pm and 10 am. • May not be located in any temporary or portable structure. • Trash dumpsters shall be enclosed by a screening enclosure so as not to be accessible to the public. • Off-street parking shall be provided at ratio of one parking space per 250 square feet of gross floor area. • Entire exterior grounds shall be lighted such that all areas are visible. • No residential structure may be converted for use as a dispensary.
Kings	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Lake	Dispensaries not permitted. Cultivation is allowed subject to following limitations. Indoor Cultivation: 100 square feet. Outdoor Cultivation: 6 mature or 12 immature plants;	Ordinance No. 2997; County Code, Article 72	Indoor Cultivation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lighting must not exceed 1,200 watts. • Cultivation areas must have ventilation and filtration systems to prevent odors or mold. • Ventilation and filtration systems, along with any plumbing improvements, shall be installed with valid electrical and plumbing permits issued and inspected by the Lake County Building and Safety Division. Outdoor Cultivation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prohibited on any parcel that is located within a Community Growth Boundary as designated by the Lake County General Plan, and on any parcel that is 1 acre or smaller and located outside of any designated Community Growth Boundary.

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	collectives may cultivate up to 48 mature or 72 immature plants, provided that cultivation is conducted on a parcel that is a minimum of 20 acres and located within the "A" Agriculture zoning district.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must not be located 1,000 feet from schools, parks, or other similar land uses, and must be setback 75 feet from any property line. • Cultivation sites must not be located within 100 feet of any spring, creek, or water feature. Must have a legal water source, and must not allow illicit discharges or off-site drift. • Use of hazardous materials is prohibited in cultivation except for limited quantities below State threshold levels of 55 gallons of liquid, 500 pounds of solid, or 200 cubic feet of compressed gas. Any hazardous materials stored shall maintain a minimum setback distance of 100 feet from any private drinking water well, spring, etc. and 200 feet from any public water supply well. • Cultivation must be screened from public view by a fully enclosed solid fence of minimum of 8 feet in height, with locked gates.
Lassen	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
Los Angeles	Must obtain license from county to operate a dispensary. Cultivation is prohibited.	Ordinance 2006-0036 (2006)	Dispensaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must ensure absence of loitering. • Must provide an adequate security system including cameras and alarms, and have at least one security guard present at all times during business hours.
Madera	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Marin	Dispensaries are permitted with dispensary license. Outdoor cultivation of marijuana and all cannabis activities that would require a state license prohibited.	Ordinance No. 3639 (2015); Ordinance No. 3664 (2017)	Dispensaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May only be located within commercial designated areas of the county's general plan. • Must be located in a highly visible location that provides good views of the dispensary entrance, windows, and premises from the public street. • May not be located within 800 feet of a youth-oriented facility, or within any residential zoned parcel. • Entrance into the dispensary shall be locked at all times with entry strictly controlled. • Security personnel shall be employed to monitor site activity, control loitering and site access. • Must have an air treatment system to prevent off-site odors.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have security plans, and install security cameras/alarm systems. • Dispensary operator must take all reasonable steps to discourage and correct objectionable conditions that constitute a nuisance in parking areas, sidewalks, alleys, and areas surrounding the premises and adjacent properties during business hours.
Mariposa	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Mendocino	Dispensaries not permitted. Cultivation is allowed subject to tiered licensing system subject to zoning requirements allowing up to 10,000 sq. ft. of cultivation area.	Ordinance No. 4356 (May 17, 2016); Ordinance No. 4381 (April 4, 2017); Ordinance No. 4383 (May 2, 2017)	Cultivation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultivation prohibited within 1,000 feet of a school or similar facility. Outdoors or mixed-light cultivation prohibited within 100 feet of any residence. • Cultivation prohibited in any location where the marijuana plants are visible from the public right-of-way. • Indoor or mixed-light cultivation must rely on the electrical grid or some form of alternative energy source. Indoor or mixed-light cultivation may not rely on diesel generator as primary source of power. If generator is used, it must meet noise standards and have electrical wiring of sufficient capacity and installed in such a way as to provide for minimum safety standards. • Cultivation must not subject residents of neighboring parcels to objectionable odors. Light assistance for outdoor cultivation must not exceed 35 watts per one sq. ft. of growing area. All lights shielded and downcast. • Must not exceed applicable noise standards. • May not utilize water that has been or is illegally diverted. Must comply with all statutes, regulations, and requirements of the SWRCB, Division of Water Rights. • Must not create erosion or result in contaminated runoff. Must establish and maintain enrollment in Tier 1, 2, or 3 with the NCRWQCB Order No. 2015-0023. • Outdoor cultivation must be contained within wildlife exclusionary fencing that includes a lockable gate. • All buildings where marijuana is cultivated or stored must be properly secured to prevent unauthorized entry. Fuel, fertilizer, pesticide, etc. must be stored in secured and locked structure or device. Any use of pesticides must be consistent with state law and regulations. • May not remove any commercial tree species for purpose of developing cannabis cultivation site.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must maintain applicable “defensible space” protocols and distances around structures, as established by CAL FIRE. • Indoor or mixed-light cultivation must be equipped with filtered ventilation systems or other effective odor control mechanism to control cannabis odors.
Merced	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Modoc	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited.		
Mono	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Monterey	Commercial medical cannabis activities (dispensaries, cultivation, testing facilities, transportation and distribution) allowed with permit. Cultivation canopy area varies based on type and size of facility; outdoor cultivation may cultivate up to 1 acre, while mixed light may cultivate up to 22,000 square feet.	Ordinance No. 5270 (July 12, 2016)	<p><i>Dispensaries, Testing Facilities, and Transportation and Distribution</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be located in zoning district that specifically provides for this use. • May not be located within 600 feet of any school, public park, or drug recovery facility, or within 1,500 feet of another dispensary. • Must implement and maintain sufficient security measures to deter and prevent unauthorized entrance into areas containing cannabis. Security measures may include prevention of loitering, establishing limited access areas, storage of cannabis in secured and locked areas, installing security cameras, and providing for on-site security personnel. • Dispensaries may not operate outside of the hours of 8 am to 8 pm. • Alternative fuel vehicles shall be provided as part of the cannabis transportation fleet. <p><i>Cultivation</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only allowed in Light Industrial (LI), Heavy Industrial (HI), Agricultural Industrial (AI), or Farmland zones. • In no case shall a building intended for residential use be used for cultivation. • May not be located within 600 feet of a school, public park, or drug recovery facility. • Water conservation measures, water capture systems, or grey water systems shall be incorporated in cultivation operations to minimize use of water where feasible. • On-site renewable energy generation shall be required for all indoor cultivation activities. Renewable energy systems shall be designed to have a generation potential equal to or greater than one half of the anticipated energy demand.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cannabis plants shall not be visible from offsite. • Odor prevention devices and techniques shall be incorporated to ensure that odors are not detectable off-site. • Cannabis must be stored in a secured and locked safe room, safe or vault, and in a manner to prevent diversion, theft, and loss. Appropriate security measures, including lighting and alarms, must be employed. • Permittee shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, including County building, zoning, and health codes. • Must follow all pesticide use requirements of local, state, and federal law. • Must follow all local, state, and federal requirements for waste disposal. • Use of hazardous, flammable, or explosive substances is prohibited. • Pesticides and fertilizers shall be properly labeled and stored to avoid contamination through erosion, leakage, or inadvertent damage from rodents, pests, or wildlife.
Napa	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Nevada	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Orange	No cannabis ordinance has been adopted.		
Placer	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Plumas	Commercial cannabis ordinance pending.		
Riverside	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
Sacramento	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
San Benito	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
San Bernardino	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		

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San Diego	Cannabis collectives allowed with operating certificate. Cultivation prohibited.	Ordinance No. 10224 (December 25, 2012); Ordinance No. 10120 (March 3, 2011); Ordinance No. 10060 (July 30, 2010)	<p>Collectives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have adequate alarm systems, closed circuit video monitoring. • Must have intrusion-resistant windows, roofs, and skylights. • Cannabis may not be visible from any location off the property. • Exterior lighting must be in compliance with applicable codes and regulations (e.g., San Diego Light Pollution Code). • Must have approved fire suppression systems. • Exterior lighting must comply with applicable regulations. • Must conform to parking requirements of zoning ordinance, • Entrances, exits, and doors must be designed to prevent unauthorized entry. • May not operate between hours of 8 pm and 8 am. • Must have present at all times during business hours a licensed, uniformed security guard.
San Francisco	Dispensaries are permitted with medical cannabis dispensary permit.	Ordinance No. 25-09 (February 13, 2009); Ordinance No. 318-08 (December 19, 2008); Ordinance No. 225-07 (December 2, 2007); Ordinance No. 275-05 (November 30, 2005)	<p>Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located in a Small-Scale Neighborhood Commercial District, a Moderate Scale Neighborhood Commercial District, a Moderate Scale Neighborhood Commercial District, or a Neighborhood Commercial Shopping Center District. • No medical cannabis may be smoked, ingested, or otherwise consumed in the public right-of-way within fifty (50) feet of dispensary. • Must provide and maintain adequate security on the premises, including lighting and alarms. • Must provide disabled access. • May not operate between the hours of 10 pm and 8 am the next day. • Any cultivation of cannabis on the premises of a dispensary must be conducted indoors.
San Joaquin	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
San Luis Obispo	Dispensaries are allowed. Cultivation prohibited.	Ordinance No. 3114	<p>Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be located in Commercial Retail or Commercial Service land use categories and outside of the Central Business District, a minimum of 1,000 feet from any school, library, park, playground, or youth center. • Hours of operation are limited to 11 am to 6 pm.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have a security plan that includes lighting, security video cameras, alarm systems, and secure area for medical cannabis storage.
San Mateo	Commercial cannabis activities not permitted.		
Santa Barbara	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Santa Clara	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Santa Cruz	<p>Medical cannabis businesses are permitted provided owner has obtained valid seller's permit from the California State Board of Equalization by January 10, 2014. Cultivation is allowed subject to following licensing system:</p> <p>Category (A) Cottage Garden License – Allows cultivation of up to 200 square feet of garden canopy;</p> <p>Category (B) Level One Cultivator License – Allows cultivation of up to 500 square feet of garden canopy.</p>	<p>Ordinance 5192 (2014); Ordinance No. 5216 (2015)</p>	<p>Medical Cannabis Businesses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May not remain open and/or operating between 10 pm and 8 am. No cannabis may be consumed on the premises including any area used for parking any vehicle. No cannabis may be visible from the exterior of the premises. May not have lighting visible from exterior of premises during non-business hours, except that reasonably required security. Must be located in a zone district designated as PA (Professional and Administrative Offices, C-1 (Neighborhood Commercial), C-2 (Community Commercial), C-4 (Commercial Services), or C-T (Tourist Commercial). Must provide litter and graffiti removal services for the premises on daily basis. May not be located within 600 feet of a school or another medical cannabis business. After January 10, 2014, may not be located within 300 feet of any parcel zoned RA (Single-Family Residential and Agriculture); RR (Single-Family Residential, Rural); R-1 (Single-Family Residential, Urban/Rural); RB (Single-Family Residential, Oceanfront/Urban; or RM (Multiple-Family Residential). <p>Cottage Garden Licenses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must not be located within the urban area defined by either the urban services line or the rural services line. May not cultivate cannabis within 600 feet of a habitable structure on neighboring parcel, municipal boundary, perennial stream, school, or park. Cultivation must not be visible from any adjacent public right-of-way. <p>Level One Cultivator Licenses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All cottage garden restrictions described above apply.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be located in a zone district designated as SU (Special Use), TP (Timber Production), CA (Commercial Agriculture), A (Agriculture), AP (Agriculture Preserve) or RA (Residential Agriculture). <p>All License Types</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For indoor cultivation, must be able to provide written certification from licensed electrician that cultivation location has all necessary electrical permits required by California Building Codes. • For outdoor cultivation, must enclose the cultivation area by opaque fence at least six feet in height, and secure area by a locked gate to prevent unauthorized entry. • Must comply with all requirements of County Code Title 16, Environmental and Resource Protection, and requirements of other code titles related to water conservation, water wells, and water systems. • May not use a generator, hazardous materials, or flammable products in cultivation. • Must contain all irrigation runoff, fertilizer, and contaminants on site. • May not use water from any water source that is not located on the parcel on which cultivation is taking place. • For indoor cultivation, must use a commercial air scrubbing device that prevents cannabis odors from escaping the structure where cultivation takes place. • May not possess, store, or use any firearm on parcel where cultivation takes place.
Shasta	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Sierra	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Siskiyou	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Solano	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		

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Sonoma	Dispensaries are allowed with permit. Cultivation is permitted. Outdoor maximum cultivation area is one acre; indoor/mixed-light is 22,000 square feet.	Ordinance No. 6187 (December 13, 2016); Ordinance No. 6189 (December 20, 2016)	<p>Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must operate in permanently constructed structure and may not operate from a vehicle or non-permanent structure. • No cannabis shall be smoked, ingested, or otherwise consumed on the premises or in the public right of way within 25 feet of facility. • Employees of a dispensary delivering medical cannabis shall carry a copy of the dispensary’s current permit, and a copy of the delivery request. <p>Cultivation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All indoor, greenhouse, and mixed-light operations must be equipped with odor control filtration and ventilation system(s) to control odors, humidity, and mold. All cultivation sites must utilize dust control measures on access roads and all ground disturbing activities. • Electrical power for indoor and mixed-light cultivation shall be provided by any combination of the following: (i) on-grid power with one hundred percent renewable source; (ii) on-site zero net energy renewable source; or (iii) purchase of carbon offsets of any portion of power not from renewable sources. The use of generators is prohibited except for temporary use in emergencies. • All cultivation operations that utilize hazardous materials shall comply with all applicable local and state laws and regulations and maintain permits with appropriate agencies. • Cultivators must comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations related to occupational safety, including CAL/OSHA, OSHA, and the California Agricultural Labor Relations Act. • Must develop waste management plan. All garbage and refuse must be stored in appropriate, sealed containers. • Must develop waste water management plan identifying the amount of waste water, excess irrigation and domestic wastewater anticipated, as well as disposal. Cultivation must comply with BMPs issued by the Agricultural Commissioner and submit verification of compliance with the Waste Discharge Requirements of the applicable RWQCB. Excess irrigation water or effluent must be directed to a sanitary sewer, septic, irrigation, greywater, or bio-retention treatment system. All domestic waste for employees must be

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Stanislaus	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
Sutter	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Tehama	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Trinity	Dispensaries not permitted. Cultivation is allowed.	Ordinance No. 315-816 (August 10, 2016); Ordinance No. 315.EXT(A1) (December 21, 2016)	Cultivation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located within 1,000 feet of a youth-oriented facility, a school, any church, or residential treatment facility, or within 500 feet of a school bus stop. Cultivation is not permitted in any location where cannabis plants are visible from the public right-of-way. • May not be located within the Trinity County jurisdiction of the Whiskeytown-Shasta- Trinity National Recreation Area or within the boundaries of the Ruth Lake Community Service District. • Not permitted in Timber Production Zones (TPZ), with certain limited exceptions. • May not be located in Residential 1 (R1), Residential 2 (R2), or Residential 3 (R3) Zones. • May not exceed the noise level standards as set forth in the County General Plan. • Must comply with all State laws regarding surface water. May not use water that has been or is illegally diverted from any stream, creek, river, or water source. • Must not create erosion or result in contaminated runoff into any stream, creek, river, or body of water. If property has more than a 35% slope, must apply for Tier 2 of the NCRWQCB Order 2015-0023. • Outdoor cultivation must be contained within Wildlife Exclusionary Fencing, with lockable gate.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All buildings used for cultivation must be properly secured to prevent unauthorized entry. • Any fuel, fertilizer, pesticide, fungicide, rodenticide, herbicide or other substance toxic to wildlife, children, or pets must be stored in secured, locked structure or device. • Must comply with applicable state and local laws related to hazardous materials and wastes, and Hazardous Materials program administered by Trinity County Environmental Health Division. • Rodenticides requiring a California Restricted Materials permit are not permitted. • All lighting associated with cultivation shall be downcast, shielded, and/or screened to keep light from emanating off-site or into the sky. • Cultivation must comply with CAL FIRE, CDFW and any other resource agency having jurisdiction.
Tulare	Distribution is allowed. Cannabis collectives are allowed but may not accept compensation.	Ordinance No. 3396 (December 10, 2009)	Distribution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exterior of the structure must be compatible in appearance with surrounding area, and maintained so as to prevent blight and deterioration. • Structure must include an alarm system that is monitored at all times for security purposes, and must have security lighting. • Building must be secured from public access, • Structure shall be designed to restrict smell, odor, smoke, or other airborne odors and smells related to marijuana from being transmitted to an adjoining property or public areas.
Tuolumne	Commercial cannabis activities prohibited. Cultivation for personal use allowed.		
Ventura	Ventura County prohibits the operation of medical cannabis dispensaries, and the manufacturing, processing, storage or sales of medical cannabis or medical cannabis products. However, the code states that this prohibition does not apply to the delivery and transport of medical cannabis and does not apply to uses by a qualified patient or primary caregiver for which a permit is not required.		

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Yolo	Dispensaries are not permitted. Cultivation is allowed up to one acre.	Ordinance No. 1467 (April 21, 2016); Ordinance No. 1473 (November 24, 2016); Ordinance No. 1483 (February 9, 2017); Ordinance 1485 (March 9, 2017)	Cultivation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outdoor cultivation is prohibited within 1,000 feet of a school or similar land use, or within 75 feet of any occupied residence on separate parcel. • Cultivation area must be fully enclosed by an opaque fence at least 6 feet in height, which is adequately secured by a locked gate. Evidence of cultivation shall not be visible from the public right-of-way. • Use of light assistance for outdoor cultivation shall not exceed 600 watts per 100 square feet of growing area. • All lights used for cultivation shall be shielded and downcast. • May not use water that has been illegally diverted from any stream, creek, river, ditch, or any other body or source of water. • All buildings where marijuana is stored shall be properly secured to prevent unauthorized entry. • Outdoor cultivation must be in compliance with Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board Order No. R5-2015-0133.
Yuba	Commercial cannabis activity not permitted.		

Table C-2. Summary of Ordinances in the Ten Largest California Cities (by population) (as of August 17, 2017)

City	License Types / Cultivation Amount	Applicable Ordinance (Date Adopted)	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
Los Angeles	Medical cannabis businesses, including those that may cultivate marijuana, are prohibited, but are provided immunity from enforcement; no limits on the number of plants that may be grown are apparently specified in the ordinance.	Ordinance No. 182,580 (June 20, 2013)	<p>Medical Cannabis Businesses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not remain open or operate between hours of 8 pm and 10 am. • Marijuana may not be visible from exterior of the premises. • May not illuminate any portion of its premises during the closure hours by lighting that is visible from the exterior of the premises, except such lighting as is reasonably utilized for the security of the premises. • May not provide ingress or egress to the business immediately adjacent to any land zoned residential. Must be separated from a residential zone by a public thoroughfare with a minimum roadway width of 80 feet. • May not be located within 1,000 feet of a school, or within 600 feet of a public park, library, church, or similar land use.
San Diego	Medical cannabis outlets are allowed with permit. Cultivation not permitted.	Ordinance No. 20460 N.S. (February 6, 2015) Ordinance No. 20043 N.S. (April 27, 2011); Ordinance No. 20795 (April 12, 2017)	<p>Medical Marijuana Outlets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City may at any time have medical marijuana tested for pesticides, mold, mildew, and/or bacteria, and make such testing results available to consumers. • All persons transporting medical cannabis shall do so in accordance with state law.
San Jose	Ordinance regulates medical marijuana collectives; no plant/amount limits apparently specified. Collectives may not operate for profit. Indoor cultivation allowed at collectives or dedicated cultivation site, but outdoor cultivation is prohibited.	Ordinance No. 29421 (July 18, 2014) Ordinance No. 29664 (January 5, 2016) Ordinance No. 29805	<p>Medical Cannabis Collectives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must register with the City, obtain zoning code verification certificate, and obtain all required site development permits and building permits. • Only allowed in Light Industrial, Heavy Industrial, Combined Industrial/Commercial, Industrial Park, and Downtown Primary Commercial (2nd story only). • Must have security system, including video cameras and alarm system, and have at least one security personnel on duty 24 hours per day. • Must have separate fire and burglar alarm systems. • Exterior lighting must not result in glare.

City	License Types / Cultivation Amount	Applicable Ordinance (Date Adopted)	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical cannabis must be stored in completely enclosed, secure structure. • May not possess firearm on premises without obtaining applicable license and providing information to city manager and chief of police. • May not be open to the public between hours of 9 pm and 9 am. • Must keep property and adjacent areas clear of trash, litter, and debris. • Cultivation must employ proper storage of chemicals and fertilizers. • No cultivation may be visible with the naked eye from any public or private property. • All water used in cultivation must be legally obtained and applied in accordance with state and local laws. • Must install air scrubbers/purification systems to prevent odor.
San Francisco	<i>See City and County of San Francisco information in Table C-1.</i>		
Fresno	Dispensaries are allowed. Cultivation prohibited.	Ordinance No. 2015-39 (January 9, 2016)	Dispensaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only allowed in a zone district designated for medical offices and only if consistent with state and federal law.
Sacramento	Dispensaries allowed with medical marijuana dispensary permit and conditional use permit. Cultivation allowed subject to tiered permit system as follows: Class A, for indoor cultivation of less than or equal to 5,000 sq. ft. of total canopy; Class B, for indoor cultivation of between	Ordinance No. 2013-0020; Ordinance No. 2013-0007; Ordinance No. 2016-0051	Dispensaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located within 1,000 feet of any other medical marijuana dispensary. • May not be located within 300 feet of any existing residential zone. • May not be located within 600 feet of any childcare center, child care, youth-oriented facility, church, substance abuse center, cinema, or tobacco retailer. • May not be located within 1,000 feet of any school or park. • Off-street parking shall be required as required for retail stores. • Application for a conditional use permit shall include a floor plan, site plan, neighborhood context map, and a security and lighting plan. Cultivation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outdoor cultivation prohibited. • All entrances into buildings on the cultivation site must be locked

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	5,001 and 10,000 sq. ft. of total canopy; Class C, for indoor cultivation of between 10,001 and 22,000 sq. ft. of total canopy.		at all times. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultivation site must employ security requirements, including surveillance cameras, and alarm system. • Must prevent odors from escaping the buildings on cultivation site such that odor can be detected outside of buildings. • Must maintain the exterior of the cultivation site, including any parking lots under control of permittee, free of litter, debris, and trash. • Must properly store and dispose of all waste generated on the cultivation site, including chemical and organic waste, in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations.
Long Beach	Medical cannabis businesses allowed. Cultivation prohibited.	Ordinance of Measure MM (November 8, 2016)	Medical Marijuana Businesses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located in an area zoned exclusively for residential use, or within 1,000 feet of a school or public beach, or within 600 feet of a public park or library. • All cannabis intended for disposal shall be unusable and unrecognizable prior to removal from the business. • May not have a drive through lane or drive up window. • No cannabis may be smoked, eaten or otherwise consumed within business. • All distribution, sales, and storage of marijuana shall occur within an enclosed area and not be visible from exterior of business. • Must have an odor-absorbing ventilation and exhaust system to ensure odors are not detected outside premises. • Windows and roof hatches must be secured so as to prevent unauthorized entry. • Must implement sufficient security measures to both deter and prevent unauthorized entrance and theft, including video surveillance. • Must use a safe for storage of processed marijuana and cash. • Must install and use a fire and burglar alarm system. • Must retain and maintain a security guard or patrol at all hours of operation.

City	License Types / Cultivation Amount	Applicable Ordinance (Date Adopted)	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
Oakland	Medical cannabis dispensaries allowed with business permit. Cultivation allowed subject to canopy/cultivation area restrictions set forth in state law.	Ordinance No. 12077 (1998); Ordinance No. 13370 (May 17, 2016); Ordinance No. 13425 (March 28, 2017)	<p>Medical Cannabis Distribution Program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The quantity of cannabis transported and the method, timing, and distance of the transportation must be reasonably related to the medical needs of qualified patients. <p>Medical Cannabis Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must obtain business permit, except hospitals, research facilities, and similar facilities. Must obtain onsite consumption permit if intend to allow persons to consume cannabis on premises of dispensary. Must maintain staff comprised of at least 50% Oakland residents and 25% Oakland residents in census tracts identified as having high unemployment. Dispensaries that hire and retain formerly incarcerated Oakland residents may apply for tax credit or license fee reduction. <p>Cultivation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be located in area where “light manufacturing industrial,” “research and development,” or their equivalent use, is permitted by right under the Oakland Planning Code. Cultivation may not occur within 600 feet of any school No cannabis or cannabis odors shall be detectable by sight or smell outside of a permitted facility. Permitted facilities must install security cameras capable of documenting activity inside and outside the facility, as determined by the Oakland Police Department. Permitted facilities must implement a community beautification plan to reduce illegal dumping, littering, graffiti, and blight and promote beautification of the adjacent community.
Bakersfield	Cannabis activities prohibited.		
Anaheim	Cannabis activities prohibited.		

Table C-3. Summary of Regulations in Other States that Have Passed Legislation Authorizing Adult Use of Cannabis (as of August 17, 2017)

State or Federal District	Applicable Code Section	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
Alaska	3 AAC 306	<p><i>Marijuana Establishments</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located within 500 feet of a school, recreation or youth center, religious facility, or correctional facility. • Must comply with local zoning laws. • Application for license must include applicant’s operating plan, including plans for security, inventory tracking of all marijuana, waste disposal, and transportation and delivery of marijuana. • Must have exterior lighting, security alarm system, video monitoring, and policies and procedures to prevent diversion of marijuana and loitering. Must use commercial grade door locks on all exterior entry points. • Must meet health and safety requirements, including general cleanliness, precautions to avoid contamination, prevention of odors and attraction of pests, proper waste disposal, etc. • During transport, marijuana must be in sealed package/container and in locked, secure storage compartment. Vehicle transporting marijuana must travel directly to its destination. • Retail stores may not operate between hours of 5 am and 8 am. • Testing facilities must operate in compliance with each applicable public health, fire, and safety code and ordinance of the state and local government in which licensed premises are located.
Colorado	<p><i>Medical Marijuana:</i> 1 CCR 212-1</p> <p><i>Recreational/Retail Marijuana:</i> 1 CCR 212-2</p>	<p><i>Medical and Recreational/Retail Establishments</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have a security alarm system, video surveillance system, and commercial-grade locks at all point of ingress and egress. • Liquid waste must be disposed of in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations. • Hazardous waste must be disposed of in accordance with applicable laws. • Marijuana waste must be made unrecognizable prior to disposal. • May not sell marijuana or marijuana products at any time other than between the hours of 8 am and 12 am. • May not permit consumption of marijuana on the premises. • Must maintain sanitary conditions.

State or Federal District	Applicable Code Section	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
Maine	10-144 CMR Chapter 122	<p>Registered Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must implement appropriate security measures to deter and prevent unauthorized entrance into areas containing marijuana and theft. Security measures must include, but not be limited to: (1) on-site parking; (2) exterior security lighting; (3) intrusion detection device or system of devices; (4) electronic monitoring and video camera recording; (5) consistent and systematic prevention of loitering. • May not be located within 500 feet of a preexisting school.
Massachusetts	105 CMR 725	<p>Registered Marijuana Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must maintain sanitary conditions. • All toxic items must be identified and stored in a manner that protects against contamination of marijuana. • Dispensary storage areas shall be maintained free of pests. • All waste must be stored, secured, and managed in accordance with applicable state and local laws. • Liquid waste containing marijuana or by-products of marijuana processed must be disposed of in compliance with state requirements, including those related to surface water, groundwater, and sewer system discharge permitting programs. • Marijuana may not be consumed on the premises. • Must have security and alarm system, including duress alarm and video surveillance. <p>Transportation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transported marijuana must be stored in secure, locked storage compartment. • Must ensure that all delivery times and routes are randomized. • Each vehicle used for transport of marijuana shall have a GPS monitoring device that is monitored by the dispensary during transport. • Must immediately notify appropriate law enforcement after discovering discrepancies during inventory, diversion, theft, loss, alarm activation or any other breach of security.

State or Federal District	Applicable Code Section	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
Nevada	NAC Chapter 453A	<i>Medical Marijuana Establishments</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must report any vehicle accident, loss, or theft of marijuana that occurs during transport of marijuana. • Must have security equipment/systems, including exterior lighting, video surveillance, etc. Must maintain policies and procedures that prevent loitering. • May only operate during the hours authorized by the local government in which the establishment is located.
Oregon	<i>Medical Marijuana:</i> OAR 333-008 <i>Recreational Marijuana:</i> OAR 845-025	<i>Medical Marijuana Dispensaries</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located in an area zoned for residential use, or within 1,000 feet of a school or another dispensary. • May not permit consumption of marijuana on premises. • Must be equipped with security and surveillance system. <i>Recreational Marijuana Licensed Premises</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located on federal property or at the same physical location or address as a medical marijuana facility. • May not be located within 1,000 feet of a school or in an area that is zoned exclusively for residential use. • May not permit consumption of marijuana on the premises. • May not maintain a noisy, disorderly or insanitary establishment or supply adulterated marijuana items. • May not sell any marijuana through a drive-up window. • Must ensure that commercial-grade locks are installed on every external door. • Must ensure that all marijuana items are kept in a safe or vault, and that all points of ingress/egress are securely locked. • Must have an alarm system and video surveillance equipment. • Must contact any utility provider to ensure compliance with any local ordinance or utility requirements, such as water use, sewer system discharge, or electrical use. • Must maintain sanitary conditions. <i>Recreational Marijuana Producers</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May only use pesticides in accordance with ORS Chapter 634 and OAR 603, Division 57. May only use fertilizer, agricultural amendments, agricultural minerals and lime products in accordance with ORS Chapter 633.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must maintain on the premises the material safety data sheet(s) for all pesticides, fertilizers, or other agricultural chemicals used in production of cannabis. <p>Recreational Marijuana Retailers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May only operate between the hours of 7 am and 10 pm. • Retailers may only make deliveries before 9 pm and may not make deliveries between 9 pm and 8 am. • Retailer may not carry or transport more than a total of \$3000 in retail worth of marijuana designated for delivery. • All marijuana items must be kept in a lock-box securely affixed inside delivery motor vehicle. • Retailer may only deliver to locations within the city or unincorporated area in which the licensee is licensed.
Washington	WAC Chapter 314-55	<p>Marijuana Retailers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Internet sales and delivery of product to customers is prohibited. • May not have more than four months of their average inventory on their premises at any given time. • Must have a security alarm system and video surveillance system. • May not permit any disorderly person to remain on the licensed premises. • May not permit consumption of marijuana on the premises. <p>Transportation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marijuana must be kept in a locked, safe and secure storage compartment during transport of marijuana. • Any vehicle transporting marijuana must travel directly from shipping licensee to receiving licensee, making no unnecessary stops.
District of Columbia	DCMR Title 22-C	<p>Medical Marijuana Dispensaries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May not be located within 300 feet of a school or recreation center. • Deliveries of medical marijuana are not permitted. • May not permit the consumption of marijuana on the premises. • May not permit marijuana or paraphernalia to be visible from any public or other property not owned by the dispensary. • May operate at any time except between the hours of 9 pm and 7 am. • Must keep all marijuana in a separate storage area which is securely closed and locked during all non-operating hours.

State or Federal District	Applicable Code Section	Operating Requirements Note: Requirements are selected and summarized. See ordinance for full details.
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must report any stolen or lost marijuana by filing a police report within 24 hours of becoming aware of loss. • Must maintain video surveillance system and professionally-monitored robbery and burglary alarm system. • Must have exterior security lighting. Lighting must be hooded or oriented so as to deflect light away from adjacent properties.