October 13, 2015

To: Texas Department of Agriculture Stakeholders
Subject: Texas Department of Agriculture Fee Updates

Dear Stakeholders:

Please be advised the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) has recently filed regulatory fee changes with the Texas Register that, if adopted, will increase some of the fees charged for various licenses, renewals, inspections and other activities related to statutory duties of TDA.

As required by the state legislature, TDA has continued to evolve toward a cost recovery method of financing its regulatory programs. The legislature did not require fee increases, but our fee structure must change to meet cost recovery expectations in the General Appropriations Act. The necessary rule changes were published in the Texas Register on October 9, 2015. If adopted, the fee changes will go into effect on December 1, 2015.

In anticipation your members have questions related to the fee updates; TDA is providing you with notice of the rule changes, which can be accessed here:


Also, a cost recovery rate overview, including the current fee structure versus the proposed fee structure, is enclosed. Please note the public comment period on these changes is from October 9, 2015 to November 8, 2015.

A contact person at TDA is listed for each proposed chapter of the rule changes. Any questions you have regarding the rule changes should be directed to the named person in the proposal. We will endeavor to provide any information you may need to increase transparency regarding the new fee increases.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Sid Miller
Commissioner
The Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) has completed a comprehensive review of the fee structure for its agriculture and consumer protection programs. This was a lengthy, detailed process that analyzed both revenue and expenditures.

TDA’s regulatory programs are statutorily designed to recover direct and indirect costs where feasible. Our recent review of the current fee structure revealed some rates have not changed since 1996, and of the rates we are updating, the most recent changes occurred between 2011 and 2013.

**BUDGET DIRECTIVES**

In 2012, certain TDA programs that had been funded through general revenue were expected to begin functioning as cost recovery programs. The legislature continued to provide a cushion of general revenue to help the transition. For the FY16-17 biennium, the 84th Legislature adopted a budget for TDA with the intent that certain programs become self-sufficient and no longer rely on general revenue.

TDA’s goal of establishing a consistent and sustainable revenue source for these programs is much like any service industry. Performance goals and statutory responsibilities, along with the need for efficient and effective service delivery provided the context for analysis of operational costs and revenue projections.

**CONSISTENCY IN REVENUE STREAM**

Recent budget rules placed restrictions on the movement of funds within TDA and across fiscal years. This reduced flexibility created a need to more tightly control cash flow. Some fees are collected in two or five year cycles. In FY16, TDA will be reviewing various options for a more consistent revenue stream. The goal is to reduce the risk that fees collected in the first year are swept into the general revenue fund before the baseline program needs in the second (or fifth) year are met.

**STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT**

During the session, some of the budgetary changes and impacts to fee-based programs were supported by associations and boards working directly with various legislators. TDA continues to communicate with stakeholders about the potential for fee increases and will be sharing the results of the rate study with interested parties. Fee change proposals are submitted to the Texas Register, giving the public an opportunity to comment on the proposed changes.

**STATUTORY NOTICE**

Whether increased or decreased, the fee rates are set by TDA and not mandated by the Legislature. (GAA Art. IX §6.16).

Attached are the proposed rates by program and strategy.
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# Strategy 2.1.3 Agriculture Commodity Regulation

## COST RECOVERY RATE ANALYSIS

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<td>&gt; 500 pounds but &lt;= 2,500 pounds</td>
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<td>&lt;=5 gallons</td>
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<td>Fee—all containers over 5 gallons</td>
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<td>(Not issued-Exam is License)</td>
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## Strategy 3.1.1 Inspect Measuring Devices

### APPROPRIATED RECEIPTS RATE ANALYSIS

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<td>Distributer, Jobber, Wholesaler</td>
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