Office of the Treasurer & Tax Collector City and County of San Francisco



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NOTICE TO CIGARETTE RETAILERS REGARDING CIGARETTE LITTER ABATEMENT FEE INCREASE

On November 29, 2019, the City and County of San Francisco Office of the Controller approved adjustments to the Cigarette Litter Abatement Fee pursuant to Section 105.3(f) of the San Francisco Administrative Code. The full text of Section 105.3(f) can be accessed on the Board of Supervisor's website (<u>http://www.sfbos.org</u>) by clicking on "Municipal Codes" under "Most Requested" and then on "Chapter 105 Cigarette Litter Abatement Fee Ordinance."

Effective January 1, 2020, the Cigarette Litter Abatement Fee will increase to **\$1.00 per pack** from the current \$0.85 per pack. You are responsible for collecting the new fee on all packs of cigarettes sold beginning January 1, 2020. Remittance of this fee shall be due with your first quarter payment on April 30, 2020, covering sales for January, February and March 2020.

If you have questions or need further assistance, you may submit your question electronically at: <u>http://www.sftreasurer.org/help-center</u> Please note: taxpayers who come to City Hall for in-person assistance or call 311 may experience long wait/hold times.