

License Application

To apply for a License, users must register by selecting Setup an Account and filling out user application. Click on Setup an account (If registered or a contractor applying for a permit this step not needed, contractors should contact The building division for a PIN).

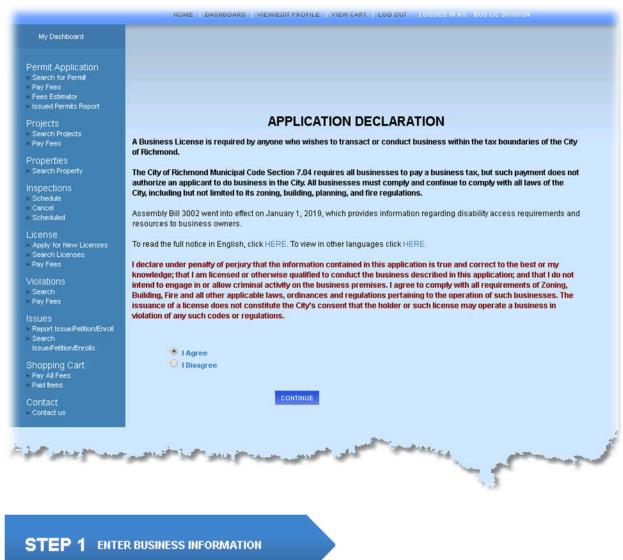


Select the Apply for a New License menu option under the License menu and you are required to login.

Enter your user name and password in the Public Login section if you are a registered user or if you are a registered "Contractor/Landlord/Utility", use the dropdown to find your account and enter your password.



License Declaration: Please read the License Declaration and click "I Agree" then click CONTINUE.



All questions must be answered or designated not Applicable (N/A) as appropriate.

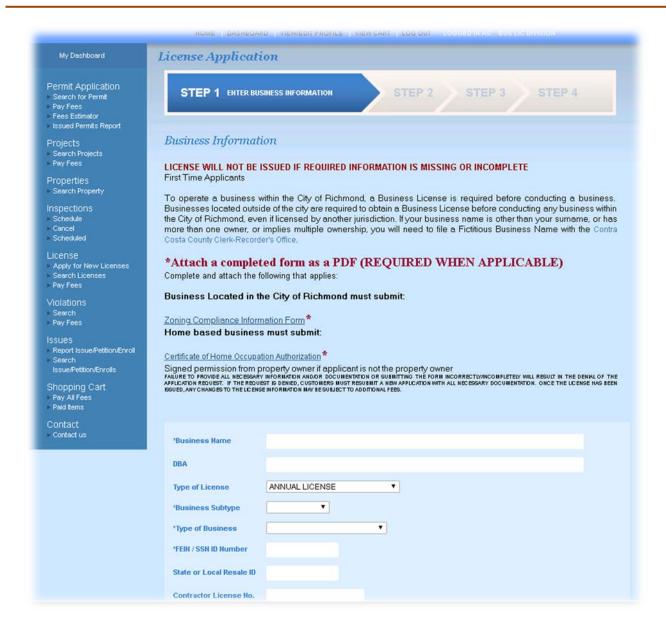
Business Located in the City of Richmondmust submit:

Zoning Compliance Information Form

Home based business must submit:

- Certificate of Home Occupation Authorization*
- Signed permission from property owner if applicant is not the property owner

FAILURE TO PROVIDE ALL NECESSARY INFORMATION AND/OR DOCUMENTATION OR SUBMITTING THE FORM INCORRECTLY/INCOMPLETELY WILL RESULT IN THE DENIAL OF THE APPLICATION REQUEST. IF THE REQUEST IS DENIED, CUSTOMERS MUST RESUBMIT A NEW APPLICATION WITH ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTATION. ONCE THE LICENSE HAS BEEN ISSUED, ANY CHANGES TO THE LICENSE INFORMATION MAY BE SUBJECT TO ADDITIONAL FEES.



Business Name

DBA

Type of License

Business Subtype Type of Business

FEIN / SSN ID Number

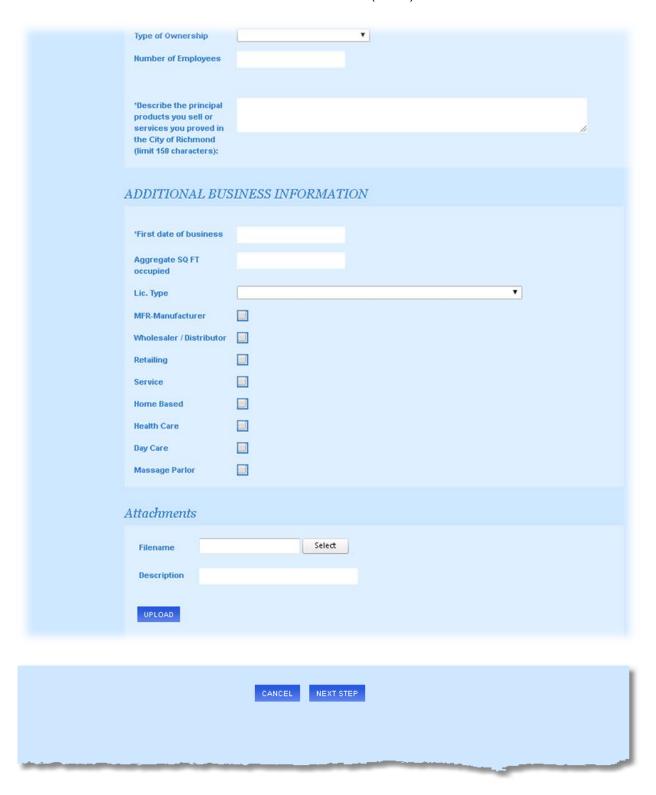
State or Local Resale ID

- A business name is the official name of the person or entity that owns the company. It is your business's legal name.
- A company is said to be "doing business as" or trade name when the name under which they operate their business differs from its legal, registered name. Some states require dba or fictitious business name filings to be made for the protection of consumers conducting business with the entity.
- Use the drop down to selct the type you are applying for the best suits your use. (if located within Richmond this will always be "Annual License")
- Use the drop down to select either "in-City" or "Out-of-City"
- Use the drop down to select the classification the best fits your prinicpal business activity from "ACCOUNTANT" to "WRITER"
- Federal Employer Identification Number (EIN) or Social Security Number registered to the Business Name
- Retailers engaged in business in California must register with the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration (CDTFA) and pay the state's sales tax, which applies to all retail sales of

goods and merchandise except those sales specifically exempted by law. Enter your Tax Cerificate number here.

Contractor License No.

 Enter the contactor number issued by The California Contractors State License Board (CSLB)



Type of Ownership	 Use the drop down to select the type of business ownership for your legal entity SOLE PROPRIETOR PARTNERSHIP LIMITED PARTNERSHIP LLC CORPORATION TRUST NON PROFIT CORPORATION
Number of Employees Description of Business	 Number of persons employed by your business Describe the principal products you sell or services you proved in the City of Richmond (limit 150 characters)
First Date of Business	 Enter the date your business started operating in the City of Richmond.
Aggregate SQ FT occupied Lic. Type	 Enter the total square footage occupied at this location Use the drop down to select the License Type the best fits your prinicpal business activity.
Business Activity Check Boxes/Check all that Apply MFR-Manufacturer Wholesaler / Distributor Retailing	
☐ Home Based	Any business conducted from a residence must comply with all zoning restrictions and must be approved by the Planning Division.
☐ Health Care☐ Day Care	
☐ Massage Parlor	Anyone conducting massage and/or bodywork must be currently certified by the California Massage Therapy Council.
Attachments:	 To add an attachment with site or installation information, click the SELECT button in the attachment window at the bottom and select the file from your computer, give a brief description of the information, and then click the UPLOAD
Click NEXT STEP	- Proceed to Step 2 to add Address and Contact information

STEP 2 ENTER ADDRESS/CONTACT INFORMATION

In step 2 you will enter the phyisical business location, mailing address and owner information.

Business Address - Enter all or part of the address and press search (if located in

Richmond)

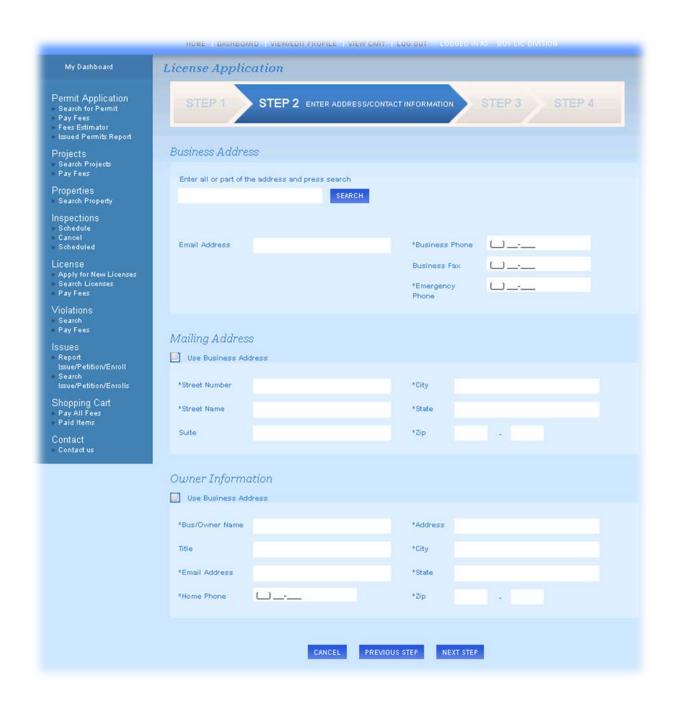
Locate your address when you see "Select from Address Below". If not listed or you see "There were no street names found." Click the not listed button and manually enter the location address.

Mailing Address - Enter all of the Mailing address. Click the Use Business Address

to dupliacte that address.

Owner Information - Enter all of the Owner information. Click the Use Business

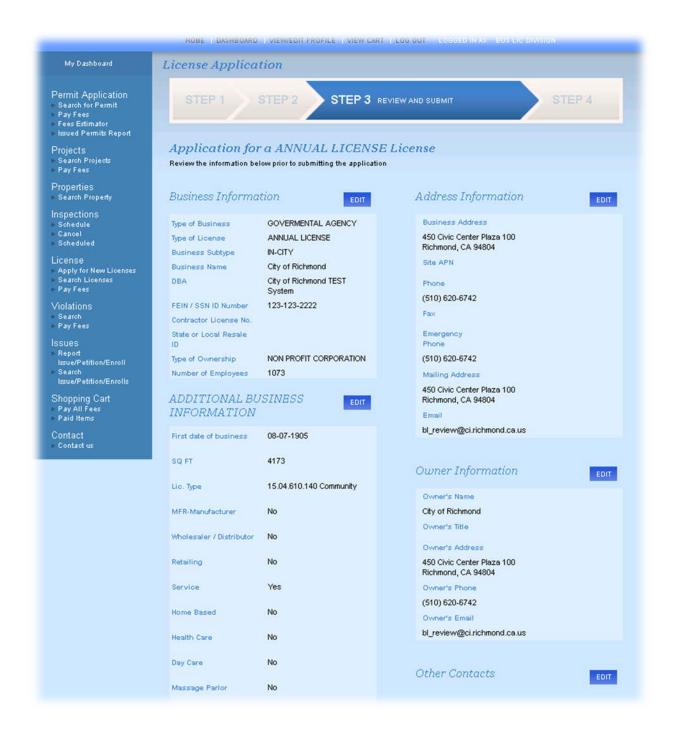
Address to dupliacte that address.



Click "NEXT STEP".

STEP 3 REVIEW AND SUBMIT

In Step 3 you have the opportunity to review and update the information you have entered on your application. If changes are needed to the information you entered, click on the "EDIT" button for the appropriate section. Once submitted, changes to your application may result in additional fees.





Click "NEXT STEP".

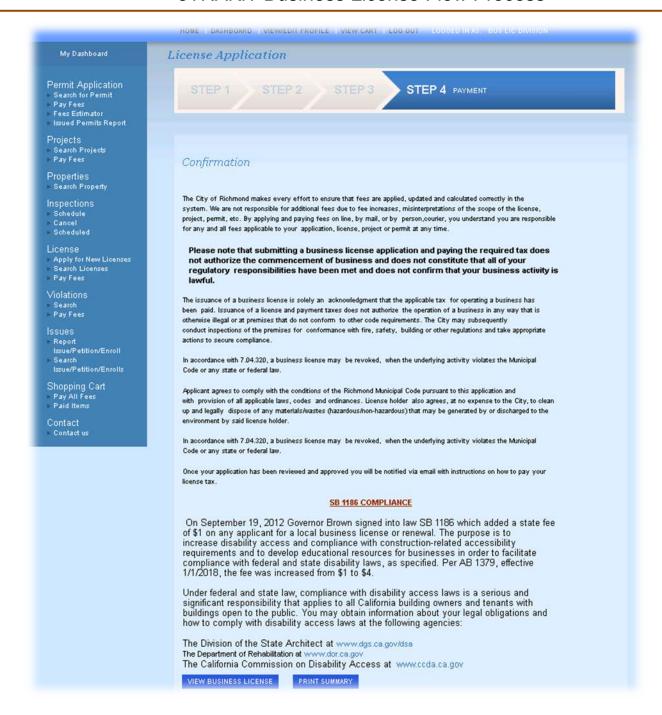


In Step 4 a confirmation is given as to the terms of your license application.

Please note that submitting a business license application and paying the required tax does not authorize the commencement of business and does not constitute that all of your regulatory responsibilities have been met and does not confirm that your business activity is lawful.

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The City of Richmond makes every effort to ensure that fees are applied, updated and calculated correctly in the system. We are not responsible for additional fees due to fee increases, misinterpretations of the scope of the license, project, permit, etc. By applying and paying fees on line, by mail, or by person, courier, you understand you are responsible for any and all fees applicable to your application, license, project or permit at any time.

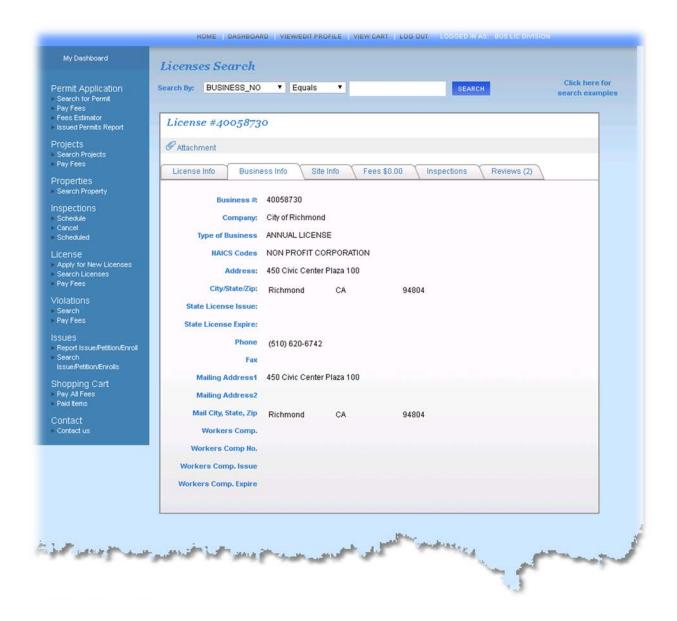


You have the option to print a summary or view your license application.

Click

VIEW BUSINESS LICENSE

Your application has been received and will now be reviewed for approval. You can follow the review process by clicking on the review tab. Once the tax is added and approved you will receive an email with the instructions on how to pay.



You should receive an email like the one shown below acknowledging receipt of your application.

YOUR LICENSE APPLICATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED 40058730

Business License Unit - City of Richmond [DoNotReply@ci.richmond.ca.us]

NOTIFICATION OF LICENSE APPLICATION



This email has been generated to inform you that your license application for the below business location address, has been received.

Finance Department - Business License Unit

450 Civic Center Plaza, 2nd Floor

Richmond, CA 94804

Phone: (510) 620-6742 Fax: (510) 620-6522

email: business_license@ci.richmond.ca.us

Business Tax Certificate ID:	40058730
Applicant:	City of Richmond
Company name:	City of Richmond
Date Applied:	
License Type:	ANNUAL LICENSE
Sub Type:	IN-CITY
Business Location:	450 Civic Center Plaza 100
Assessor's Parcel Number:	
Fees Charged:	0
Fees Paid:	0
Fees Due:	0

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In accordance with 7.04.320, a business license may be revoked, when the underlying activity violates the Municipal Code or any state or federal law.

Applicant agrees to comply with the conditions of the Richmond Municipal Code pursuant to this application and with provision of all applicable laws, codes and ordinances. License holder also agrees, at no expense to the City, to clean up and legally dispose of any materials/wastee diszardows/non-hazardows) that may be generated by or dischanged to the environment by said license holder.

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Once your application has been reviewed and approved you will be notified via email with instructions on how to pay your license tax.

SB 1186 COMPLIANCE

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On September 19, 2012 Governor Brown signed into law SB 1186 which added a state fee of \$1 on any applicant for a local business license or renewal. The purpose is to increase disability access and compliance with construction-related accessibility requirements and to develop educational resources for businesses in order to facilitate compliance with federal and state disability laws, as specified. Per AB 1379, effective 1/1/2018, the fee was increased from \$1 to \$4.

Under federal and state law, compliance with disability access laws is a serious and significant responsibility that applies to all California building owners and tenants with buildings open to the public. You may obtain information about your legal obligations and how to comply with disability access laws at the following agencies:

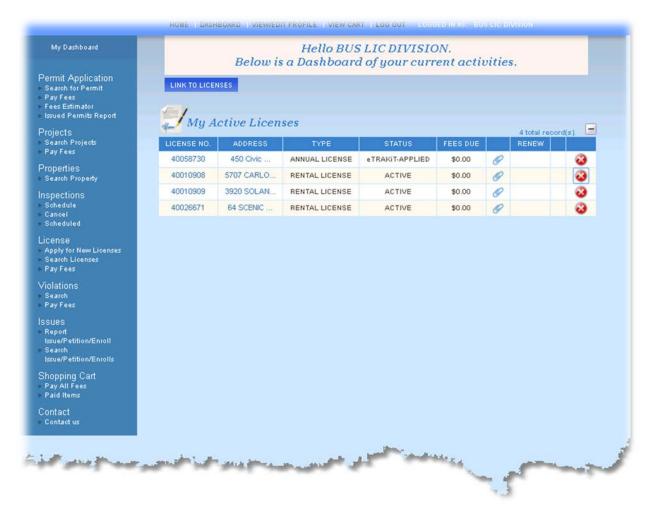
- The Division of the State Architect at www.dgs.ca.gov/dsa
- The Department of Rehabilitation at www.dor.ca.gov
- The California Commission on Disability Access at www.ccda.ca.gov

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At any time, once logged in, you can click on the Dashboard option to view all current activity in regards to licenses, permits projects and open issues. You can view the location, status, fees due or upload any documents needed to complete your application by clicking on the paper clip.

By clicking the red circle X you will remove that activity from your dashboard.



Once you have received the email that your application has been approved and the tax has been added, you can click the link in the email or login to pay

NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED

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Finance Department - Business License Unit

Business Tax Certificate ID:	40058730	
Applicant:	City of Richmond	
Company name:	City of Richmond	
Date Applied:	05-31-2019	
Date Approved:	05-31-2019	
License Type:	ANNUAL LICENSE	
Sub Type:	IN-CITY	
Business Location:	450 Civic Center Plaza 100	
Assessor's Parcel Number:		
Fees Charged:	401.6	
Fees Paid:	0	
Fees Due:	0	

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Paying Your License Tax Click here to login and pay

- Login: In order to pay fees, users must be logged in.
 Using your Dashboard: Click on the application number and then click on the Add Fees to Cart button.
- Find: Search for the License application that has outstanding fees to pay.
- Pay: Click on the Pay All Fees button.

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If inspections are needed please call the following numbers to schedule: Inspections are required to be made 48 hours in advance.

Business License Fire Inspection: (510) 307-8031 (510) 620-6613 Police Department: CC County Health Dept: (925) 692-2500

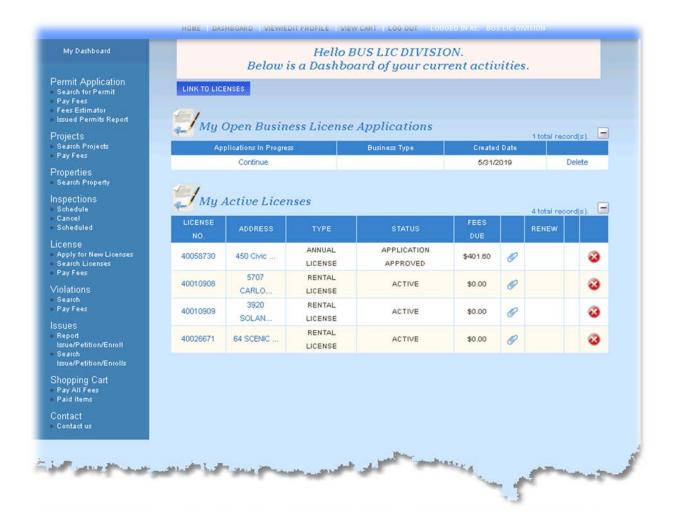
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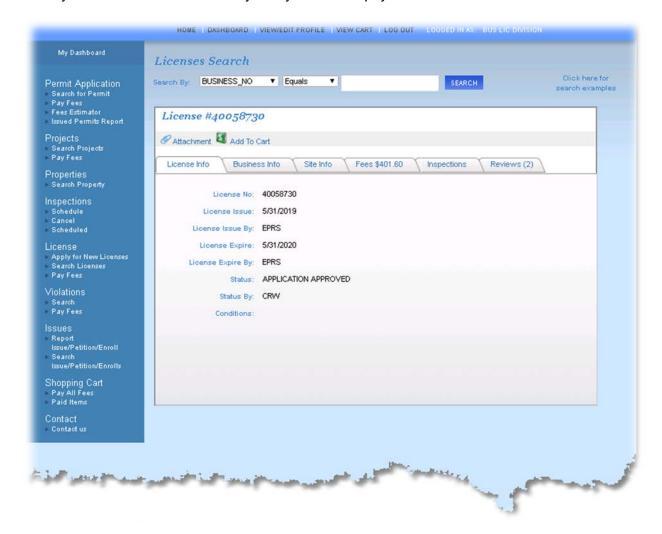
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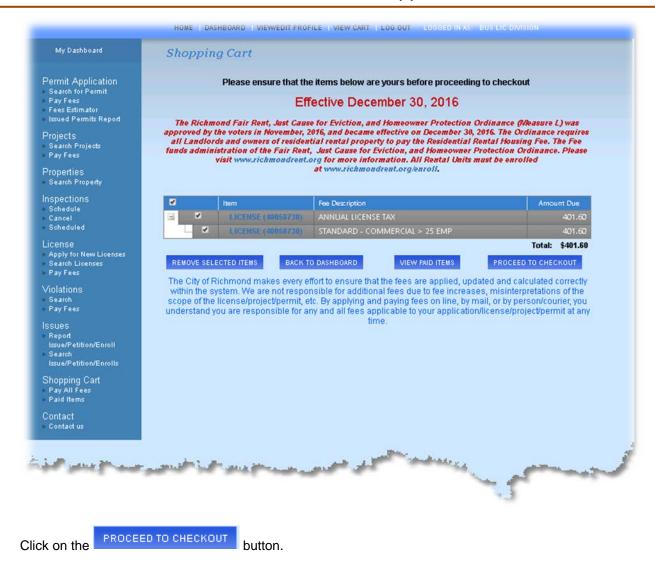
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Once you have selected the activity that you want to pay. Click on the button add fees to cart.

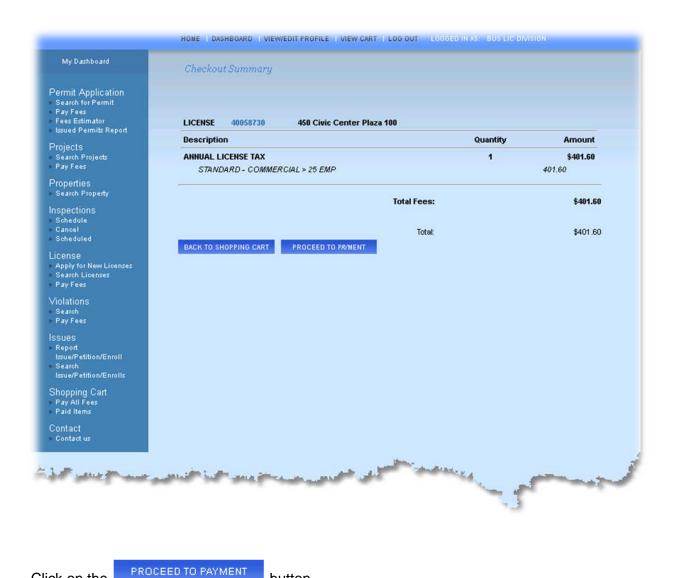




Checkout Summary

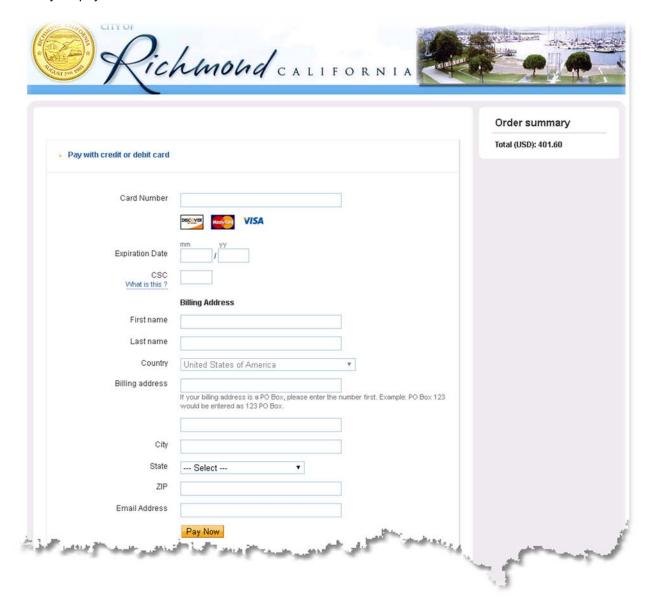
Click on the

The fees/taxes you selected will now be in your cart for payment.



button.

Enter your payment card information



Click the Pay Now Button. You will be emailed a receipt.