
Butte County Mosquito and Vector Control District

POLICY MANUAL

POLICY TITLE: Civil Defense and Cooperation
POLICY NUMBER: 3085

3085.1 Participation: The District will participate in the California Disaster and Civil Defense Master Mutual Aid Agreement.

3085.2 The District Manager is authorized to purchase surplus property through the Civil Defense Program.

3085.3 Emergency Action: As a condition of District participation in the Civil Defense program, the Board of Trustees authorizes the District Manager to respond to civil disasters or other actual or potential emergency situations as may be required without prior specific Board authorization.

3085.4 Loan of Equipment: The District Manager may exercise discretion on the loan or use of District equipment and personnel outside of the District to combat health emergency conditions or to conduct research necessary and proper to further the District mission.

3085.5 Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS): It is the policy of the Butte County Mosquito and Vector Control District to operate under the Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS). It is also Board Policy to pay salaried management employees and pilots their hourly equivalent wage for overtime hours during declared emergencies. All labor for mosquito and vector control work performed out of the normal scope of duty during emergencies will be billed at the employees normal rate of pay plus overhead. During emergencies overtime hours (after eight hours) are billed at 1 ½ times the employees normal rate. It is also District policy during declared emergencies to provide for meals and training for out of scope work and to have this expense reimbursed.

3085.6 Rates and billings schedules for SEMS: Rates for specialized equipment usage include:

- ULV Ag Cat aircraft N606Y - \$545.56/hour (pilot and pesticide not included)
- ULV Ag Cat aircraft N714Y - \$279.14/hour (pilot and pesticide not included)
- ULV Turbine Ag Cat aircraft N6633K - \$441.89/hour (pilot and pesticide not included)
- Truck or ATV mounted fogger - \$48/hour (pesticide not included)
- Aircraft service truck - \$18.67/hour
- Eight wheel all terrain vehicle - \$45/hour
- 4 wheel all terrain vehicle - \$24/hour
- Tractor Back Hoe - \$80/hour (with Operator)
- Dump Truck - \$80/hour (with Operator)

Rates for other District vehicles will be billed at the Cal Trans rate. Amount billed for pesticide is the actual amount used times the current price per gallon/pound.