ABANDONED SHOPPING CART PREVENTION PLAN - FORM

Businesses using 15 or more shopping carts in Sonora must complete and submit this form on or before July 1, of each year (Sonora Municipal Code 9.80.150); This form can be found at www.sonoraca.com/forms
• For questions about this form, email codeenforce@sonoraca.org or call 209-532-4541 ext. 220

INSTRUCTIONS

Complete the form and return as instructed below. Attach additional sheets if more space is needed.

- By email: Complete this computer-fillable form using free Adobe Reader or other software. Email the **SIGNED** form and any attachments to codeenforce@sonoraca.org

- By mail or delivery: Complete the form on a computer and print it out (preferred) or complete it by hand (please print clearly).

Mail or deliver the form to: Sonora City Hall – Community development
Abandoned Shopping Cart Program
94 N. Washington St
Sonora, CA 95370

Email the form to: codeenforce@sonoraca.org

1. Location and Contact

a) BUSINESS NAME

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b) OWNER NAME

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c) BUSINESS ADDRESS

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d) BILLING ADDRESS (for penalties/citations)

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2. Cart Inventory

1. NUMBER OF CARTS

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3. Community Outreach

How will you inform customers that removing or being in possession of a shopping cart off of your premises is a violation of State law and Sonora Municipal Code?

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4. Cart Signage

Every cart owned or provided by any Owner must have a sign permanently affixed to the cart that contains all of these required elements.

1. Identity of Owner, business establishment, or both.
2. The address and/or phone number of the Owner of the business establishment for cart return.
3. Notice that the removal or possession of the Cart off the premises is a violation of State law and explanation of the legal means for removal (written permission of the store owner).

Attach a photograph or photocopy of the signage, or if a sticker affixed to the cart, provide a sample sticker or PDF of the sticker.

5. Loss Prevention Measures

Describe the prevention measures in use at this store that are likely to prevent shopping carts from being removed
from the premises. CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:

□ Wheel locks, electronic, or other disabling devices
□ Carts equipped with poles:
□ Security personnel
□ Other - Please describe

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6. Mandatory Retrieval

Each Prevention Plan requires a plan for cart retrieval within 72 hours upon notification by the City of Sonora. Who should the City of Sonora contact for Cart Retrieval?

NAME: **PHONE:** **EMAIL:**

SIGNATURE

To the best of my knowledge, the above information is true and correct.

_____	_____	_____	_____
Signature	Printed Name	Title	DATE

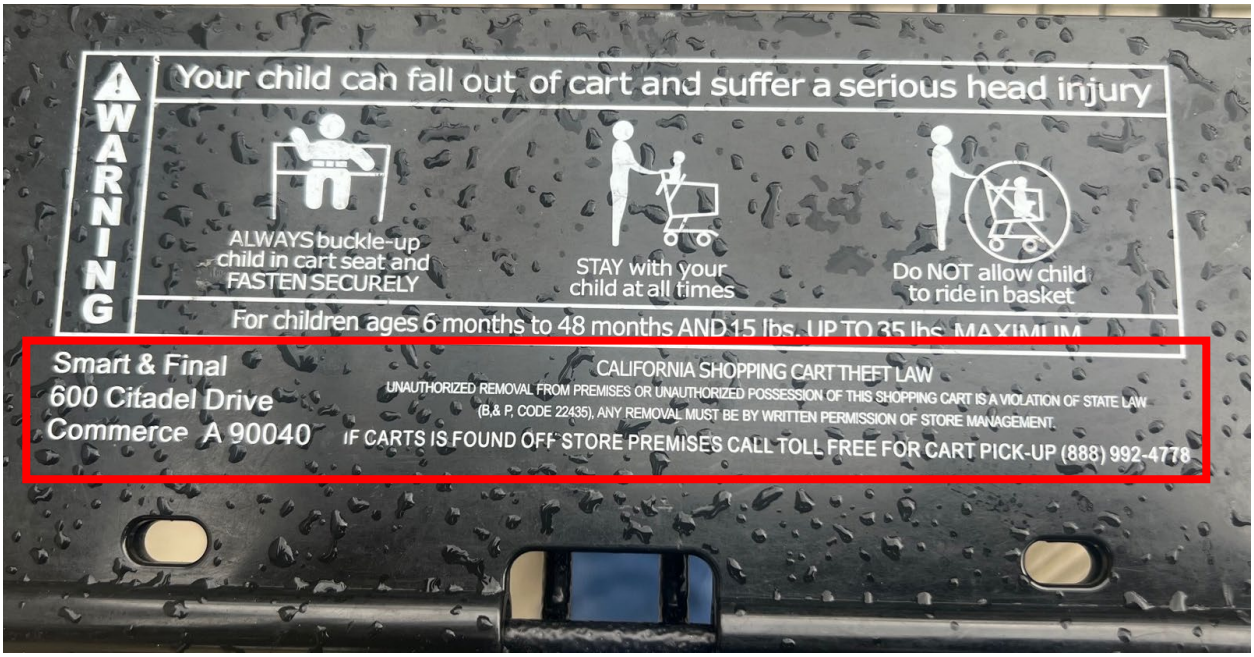
PLAN CHECKLIST

☐ Check that all applicable sections of the form are completed.
☐ Remember to attach Section 4, Cart Signage for each store.

CART SIGNAGE AND PROPERTY POSTING EXAMPLES

All signage must comply with the California Business and Professions Code Section 22435.1 and 22435.2

Parking Lot Entrance/Exit Signage



Cart Signage (Outlined in Red)