# Citizen Self-Service User Guide

Navigate to the City of Merced Civic Access portal.

1. Click on the **Login or Register** tile from the home page and enter your account information to Log In.

### **CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT**

Attention Contractors: The email, username and password you create will be used to for all processes, such as new or renewing Contractors Business License, Applying for a building permit or encroachment permit, Paying your permit fees, Scheduling inspections and seeing all results.

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# Welcome to Merced Civic Access



1. Next to Don't Have an Account Yet? Click **Register Here**.



- 2. Enter your Email Address and click Next.
- 3. An email will be sent to you to confirm the email address provided. If you are not receiving the confirmation email, please see the next section.

Registration			
Step 1 of 4: Email Address			
Email	Next		

#### 3. Open the email and click Confirm. You will be directed back to your City of Merced Civic Access portal.

You are receiving this automated e-mail based on a user registration request that we received for the Citizen Self Service tool for our jurisdiction. The purpose of this confirmation is to validate the e-mail address that was provided in the initial user registration process is the correct e-mail address for your user account. Please click the link below to continue to the next step of the user registration process.



#### 4. Select Register to continue the account registration process.



- 5. Enter the personal information fields. The red asterisk (\*) indicates the field is required.
- 6. Once complete, select Submit.
- Your account has now been registered and you can proceed to login to City of Merced Civic Access portal.

#### Thank you for registering

Thank you for registering for an account. Your account is now active and ready to be used.



#### **CONFIRMATION EMAIL NOT RECEIVED**

If you are trying to create an account and have entered your email address to register, but have not received the confirmation email, please follow the steps below.

- Verify the confirmation email is not in your spam/junk folder. The email will be sent from <u>noreply@identity.tylerportico.com</u> and the subject of the email is Citizen Self Service New User Account Confirmation.
- 2. Please add <u>noreply@identity.tylerportico.com t</u>o your contacts and/or make sure it is whitelisted or marked as a safe sender, depending on your email provider. (If you or your company use Outlook/Office365, this <u>link</u> may be helpful).

After this has been completed, please navigate back to City of Merced Civic Access portal and try registering again.

#### UPDATE ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Under My Account, personal information, addresses, contact favorites and drafts can be accessed and modified. In the top right corner, select your name and then select **My Account**.



Update User Information and Addresses

- 1. Select **Personal Info** to modify your name, company, phone number, email and contact preference.
- 2. Select Addresses to associate additional addresses to your account.

# **MANAGE YOUR ONLINE ACCOUNT**

2. Click on the **Login or Register** tile from the home page and enter your account information to Log In.



- Enter your Username and Password in the corresponding fields.
   If you need to reset your username and/or password, skip to Forgot Password step below
- 4. Select the **Remember Me** checkbox to have the system remember your login credentials on this computer. This is not recommended on a public/shared computer.
- 5. Click Log In.

#### FORGOT PASSWORD

Navigate to the City of Merced Civic Access portal.

- 1. Click on the Login or Register tile from the home page.
- 2. Next to recover you forgotten password, click Reset it.

	Log In	
	Forgot your password Reset it	
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3.	Enter your Email Address and click Si Forgot Password	ubmit.
	* Email	
		Submit

- 4. An email should be sent to the email address you provided.
- 5. Open the email and click **Reset**.
- 6. You will be directed back to City of Merced Civic Access portal where a new password can be entered and confirmed.

#### FORGOT USERNAME

Navigate to the City of Merced Civic Access portal

- 1. Click on the Login or Register tile from the Home page.
- 2. Forgot your username? click Email it.

Log In				
Forgot your password? <u>Reset it</u> Forgot your username: <u>Email it</u> Don't have an account yet? <u>Register Here</u>				
* Email	Email is required.			

- Enter your Email Address and click **Submit**.
   An email will be sent to the email address you provided.
- 5. Open the email to view the username