

TOMALES FILM COMMISSION

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For the film or video production company looking for a historic rural location of idyllic scenic beauty, the Tomales area is ideal. We encourage members of the entertainment and advertising industry to consider Tomales for your next project. Merchants in town are available to assist you and answer questions. Our main objective is to preserve the normal flow of daily routines for Tomales residents while your filming is taking place. We have very few 'rules'.

CONTACT: If you are considering the Tomales Area, please contact us to discuss your project and it's potential impact on the area. Once you have confirmed your desire to shoot in Tomales, please post shooting and location schedules & announcements in the post office, general store, deli, bar and bakery.

FEES: Private business and property use rental fees are subject to negotiations between your production company and individual owners. Please contact owners impacted by your shoot. However, a tax-deductible \$1,000 per day donation is required from all film and video production companies. The total of the tax-deductible donation should be divided four ways and paid to the community non-profit organizations: 1) Tomales Volunteer Fire Department, 2) Tomales Village Service District, 3) Tomales Town Hall, and 4) Tomales Regional History Center. These funds must be disbursed before you wrap up.

TRAFFIC & HOURS: Please do not begin set up before 6:30 a.m. We ask that there be no filming before 8:00 a.m. in the downtown and residential areas of Tomales. Filming must cease by 10:00 p.m. Please note: School traffic is heavy in downtown Tomales from September through mid-June between 8:00-8:30 a.m. and 2:30-3:30 p.m. Parking restrictions are minimal but should be discussed with merchants. Similarly, Dillon Beach Road and portions of Tomales/Petaluma Road are subject to the same highway restrictions, use, and time limits as other commuter roads in Marin County.

POST OFFICE: Special arrangements must be made with the U.S. Postal Service for any filming in or around the Tomales Post Office. Permission from the U.S.P.O. can take over a month. Under no circumstances are the 4 parking places directly in front of and running north of the Tomales Post Office to be blocked at any time by your film crew.



View from Tomales hillside

General Information:

Bert Crews707.878.2927
415.497.9303 cell

Businesses and Resources:

Catholic Church of the Assumption, Father Robert White.....707.878.2208
 Continental Inn, Penny Hammond.....707.878.2396
 Creative Property Services (real estate).....707.878.9055
 Diekmann’s General Store (groceries, hardware, dry goods).....707.878.2384
 Tomales Delicatessen & Catering.....707.878.2732
 Furlong Brothers Construction (grading, paving, bulldozing).....707.878.2519
 Mostly Native Nursery.....707.878.2009
 Not-A-Bank Studios.....707.878.2927
 Piezzi Building/Tal Roseberry talgberry@aol.com.....707.763.2825
 Tomales Bakery707.878.2429
 Tomales Elementary School707.878.2214
 Tomales High School.....707.878.2286
 Tomales Presbyterian Church, Kathryn LeMieux707.878.2072
 Tomales Town Hall (sound stage, studio space)707.878.2006
 William Tell House (bar & restaurant).....707.878.2403

County/State Officials:

California Highway Patrol415.924.1100
 Marin County helicopter permits, Cristy Stanley (CStanley@co.marin.ca.us).....415.499.7875
 Marin County Public Works, permits for county roadways415.499.6530
 Marin County Sheriff.....415.499.7250
 Pt. Reyes National Park Service, Kevin McKay, kevin_mckay@nps.gov.....415.464.5111
 Tomales Fire Department707.878.2464

Other Local Film Commissions:

Belvedere, Ed SanDiego415.435.3838
 Corte Madera, Jackie Brown of Parks & Recreation.....415.927.5072
 Fairfax, Jim Robison.....415.453.1584
 Larkspur, Rebecca Ahrens.....415.927.5024
 Mill Valley, Judy Gale.....415.388.4033
 Novato, Sgt. Don Fletcher of Novato Police415.897.4361 x371
 Ross, Mike Ridgway, Chief of Police.....415.453.1453 x101
 San Anselmo, Denise Phillips.....415.258.4665
 San Francisco, Carole Isaacs, http://www.ci.sf.ca.us/site/film_index.asp.....415.554.6244
 San Rafael, Brian Auger415.485.3465
 Sausalito.....415.289.4106
 Tiburon, Joan Palmero415.435.7373

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RECEIPT

A) Number of film/video shooting days in the Tomales area	_____
B)	_____ X \$1,000.00
C) Total	_____
D) Divided by 4	_____

Please make four (4) payments to each of the following non-profit agencies. Your donation is tax deductible. These funds must be disbursed before you wrap up. Please contact a Commission member if there are any questions.

Federal Non-Profit Tax I.D. Numbers:

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| 1) Tomales Volunteer Fire Department | 68-0012483 |
| 2) Tomales Village Service District | 94-2598864 |
| 3) Tomales Town Hall | 94-2789946 |
| 4) Tomales Regional History Center | 94-2360972 |



Dillon Beach/Tomales Bay