

## 2017 Scale Testing

The Consumer Protection Section of the Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets will be hosting multiple scale inspection events around the state during March and April for anyone who uses scale(s) at farmers' markets or farm stands to sell produce or other commodities. This testing is required by law, and the Agency would like to encourage producers to take advantage of these testing dates as they will replace the Agency's annual visits to Vermont farmers' markets for the same reason. This will allow the Agency to perform these inspections in a more efficient manner in a way that creates less disruption to you and the farmers' markets. **This is the only way to get scales tested in 2017.**

Please plan to attend one of the inspection events listed below. Bring your legal for trade scale, and any accessories that you use with it for weighing items for sale.

The following is a list of dates and locations for the testing. Most sites will be at Agency of Transportation (AOT) garage sites. Hours for each location will be 9:00am – 3:00pm. You can come anytime during our open hours, and no advance appointment is necessary. The test should take around 10 minutes per scale.

**Agency Weights and Measures Lab, 322 Industrial Park Lane, Berlin**  
April 4          April 11          April 25

**AOT - St. Albans, 680 Lower Newton Rd.**  
March 30

**AOT – Randolph, 100 Bettis Rd.**  
April 10

**AOT – Derby, 4611 US Rt. 5**  
April 18

**AOT – St. Johnsbury, 1098 US Rt. 5**  
April 19

**AOT – Dummerston, 870 US Rt. 5**  
April 3

**AOT – Bradford, 57 Fairground Rd.**  
April 11

**AOT – Colchester, 5 Barnes Ave.**  
April 4

**AOT – Morrisville, 643 Brooklyn St.**  
April 18

**AOT – Bennington, 359 Bowen Rd.**  
April 4

**AOT – Clarendon, 1628 Route 7B**  
April 25

**AOT – Middlebury, 341 Creek Rd.**  
April 27

**AOT – Windsor, 1640 US 5 North**  
April 5

**Travel Information Center, Route 100,  
Warren**  
April 13

**Look for the scale checking signs!**  
**If you have any questions, call the Consumer Protection office at: 802-828-2426**

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