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<b>Contact Point:</b> Metrc Support	<b>Subject:</b> Billing functionality enhancements in Metrc	
<b>Reason:</b> Provide an update on new billing functionality in the Metrc system that will offer Administrators more visibility into account financial status as it relates to Metrc fees.		

Greetings,

Metrc values our relationship, takes pride in supporting the success of licensed business operations, and recognizes that to remain compliant with all license requirements, it is important that access to financial documentation, account status information, and easier payment options be more readily available.

Based on valuable feedback received from licensees across the markets we serve, Metrc is excited to announce the launch of new system enhancements related to account financials and billing functionality.

The following Metrc system functionality will be available to licensees in the state of Massachusetts starting on 4/8/2024:

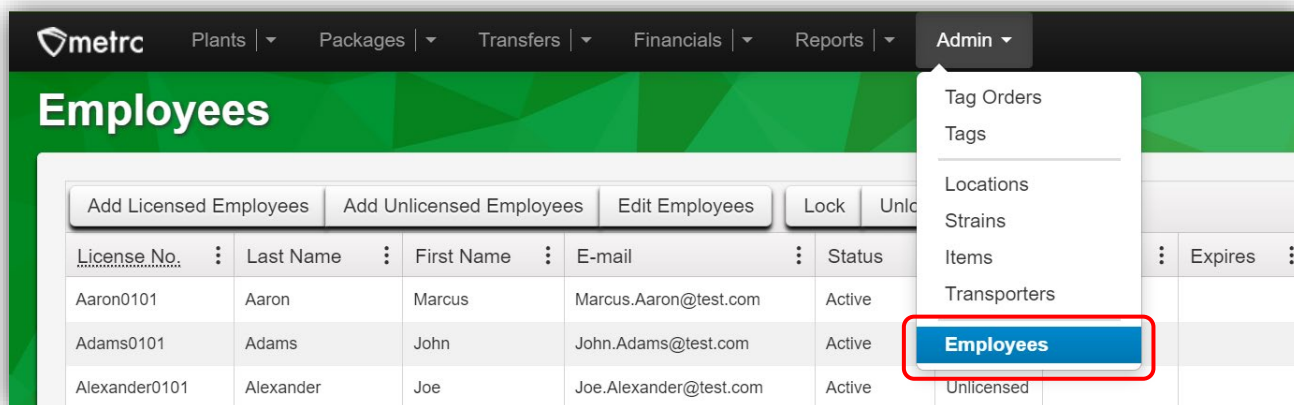
- Financial permissions
- Real-time account status
- Invoice availability in the Invoice grid

Please read on for more information regarding this new functionality.

## Financial permissions

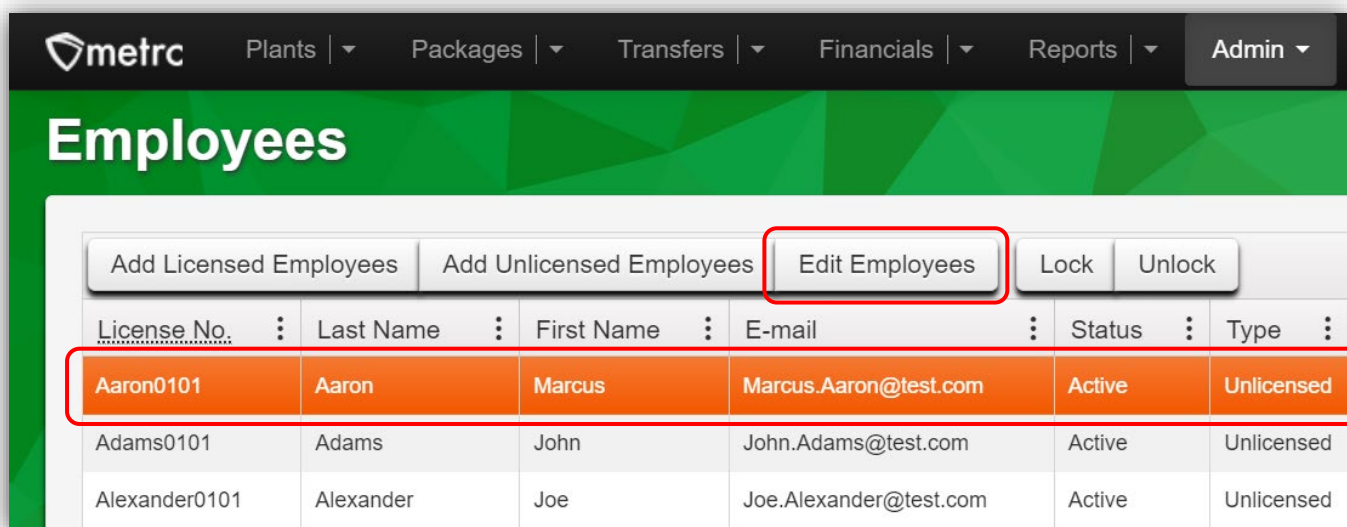
Historically, upon credentialing a new license in the Metrc system, the first Admin added to the account defaults as the financial point of contact. While this default setting will not change, the Admin will now have the ability to designate additional financial points of contact, or backup administrators with financial permissions, for payment purposes.

To designate one or more additional financial points of contact, navigate to the Admin area drop-down on the navigational toolbar and select the Employees option to access the Employees Grid – **see Figure 1.**



**Figure 1: Employees Grid**

Once on the Employees grid, highlight the employee to be edited, then select the Edit Employees button – **see Figure 2.**



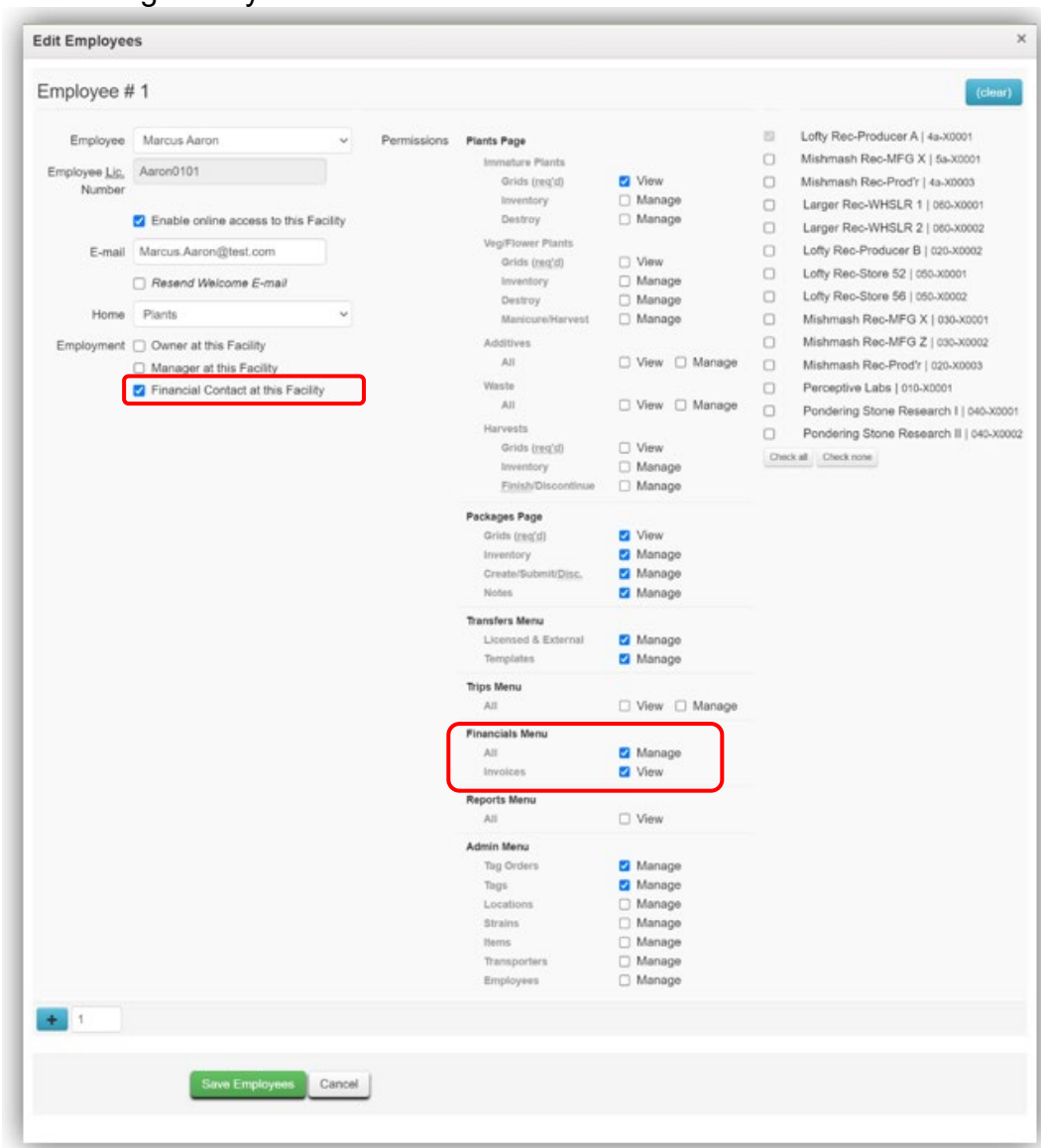
**Figure 2: Edit Employees button**

In the Edit Employees action window, there are three areas that determine the level of access an employee can have to financial information – see **Figure 3**.

**Financial contact at this facility:** Selecting this checkbox designates the employee as a financial point of contact at the licensee's facility.

**Financials Menu > All – Manage:** Selecting this checkbox allows the employee to access all three areas of Financials: Credit Cards, Financial Summary, and Invoices.

**Financials Menu > Invoices – View:** Selecting this checkbox allows the employee to view the Invoices grid only.



The screenshot shows the 'Edit Employees' window for Employee #1, Marcus Aaron. The 'Financial Contact at this Facility' checkbox is checked. The 'Financials Menu' section shows 'All' checked for 'Manage' and 'Invoices' checked for 'View'.

Category	Item	View	Manage
Plants Page	Immature Plants		
	Grids (req'd)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Inventory	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Destroy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Veg/Flower Plants		
	Grids (req'd)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Inventory	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Destroy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Manicure/Harvest	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Additives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Waste	All	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Harvests		
Grids (req'd)	View	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Inventory	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Finish/Discontinue	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Packages Page	Grids (req'd)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Inventory	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Create/Submit/Disc.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Notes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Transfers Menu	Licensed & External	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Templates	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trips Menu	All	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Financials Menu		
All	Manage	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Invoices	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Reports Menu	All	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Admin Menu		
Tag Orders	Manage	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Tags	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Locations	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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	Employees	<input type="checkbox"/>	

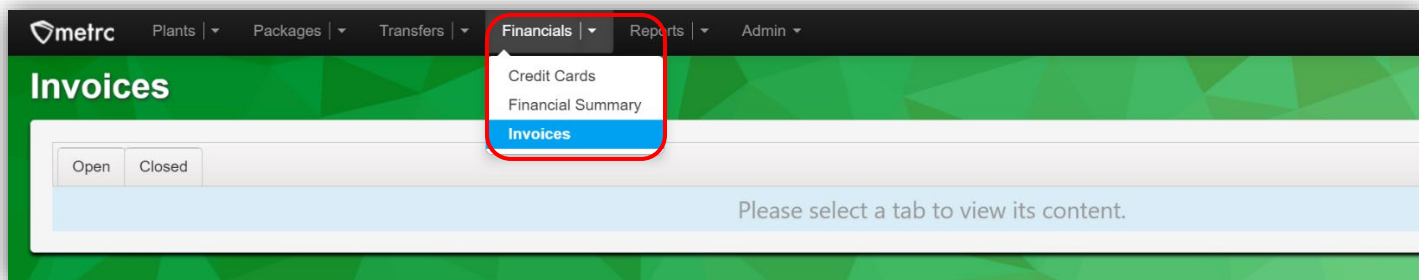
**Figure 3: Edit Employees action window and financial permissions**

Follow the same steps above to designate permissions for each individual employee.

## Invoices grid

Once this new functionality is released, monthly invoices for standard reporting fees will be accessible in the Metrc system, including open and closed invoices, which can be viewed and/or managed by employees with appropriate financial permissions through the Invoices grid.

To access the Invoices grid, click on the Financials area dropdown on the navigational toolbar and select the Invoices option – **see Figure 4.**

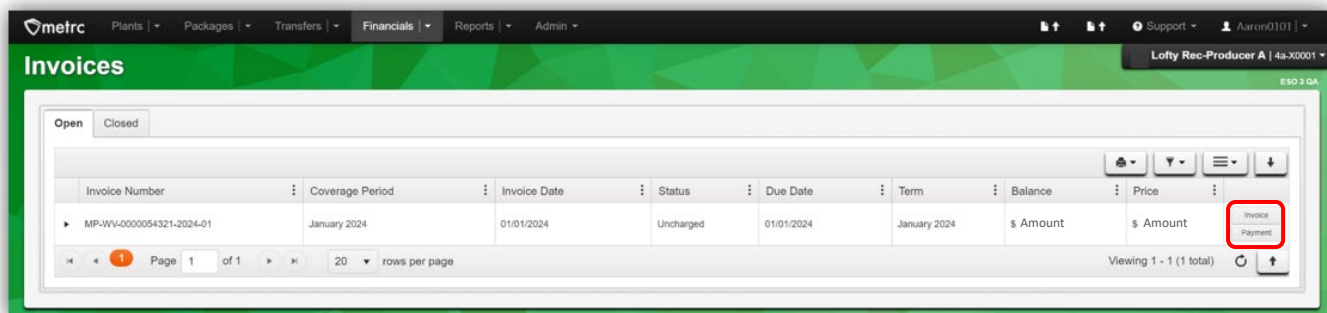


**Figure 4: Navigating to the Invoices grid**

Once on the Invoices grid, to view open invoices with unpaid balances, select the Open tab. In Open Invoices, the Invoice Number, Coverage Period, Invoice Date, Status, Due Date, Term, Balance, Price will be visible, along with Invoice and Payment action buttons – **see Figure 5.**

When the Payment action button is selected, the Credit Card action window will appear.

*For more information, review the 'Payment options reminder' section of this bulletin.*



**Figure 5: Open Invoices grid**

To view closed invoices with fully paid balances, select the Closed tab. While the Closed Invoices grid will look like the Open Invoices grid, the only difference will be the absence of the Payment button and the list of paid invoices will be visible – **see Figure 6.**

Invoice Number	Coverage Period	Invoice Date	Status	Due Date	Term	Balance	Price
MP-WV-0000034512-2023-11	November 2023	11/01/2023	Paid	11/01/2023	November 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount
MP-WV-0000012345-2023-09	September 2023	09/01/2023	Paid	09/01/2023	September 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount
MP-WV-0000023451-2023-10	October 2023	10/01/2023	Paid	10/01/2023	October 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount
MP-WV-0000051234-2023-12	December 2023	12/01/2023	Paid	12/01/2023	December 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount

**Figure 6: Closed Invoices grid**

To view paid invoice details from the Closed Invoices grid, click the dropdown arrow to the left of the proper Invoice Number row to expand paid invoice details – **see Figure 7.**

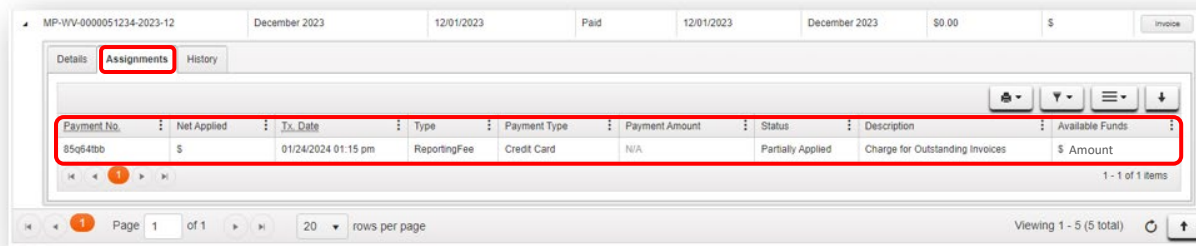
Invoice Number	Coverage Period	Invoice Date	Status	Due Date	Term	Balance	Price
MP-WV-0000054321-2024-01	January 2024	01/01/2024	Paid	01/01/2024	January 2024	\$0.00	\$ Amount
MP-WV-0000034512-2023-11	November 2023	11/01/2023	Paid	11/01/2023	November 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount
MP-WV-0000012345-2023-09	September 2023	09/01/2023	Paid	09/01/2023	September 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount
MP-WV-0000023451-2023-10	October 2023	10/01/2023	Paid	10/01/2023	October 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount
MP-WV-0000051234-2023-12	December 2023	12/01/2023	Paid	12/01/2023	December 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount

Details		Assignments		History	
License Number	4a-X0001	Facility	LOFTY ESTABLISHMENT, LLC	Invoice Number	MP-WV-0000051234-2023-12
Outstanding Amount	\$0.00	Price	\$ Amount	Tax	\$ Amount
Due Date	12/01/2023	Net Payments	\$ Amount	Status	Paid
Invoice Type	Reporting Fee	Tag Order Number		System Action Reason	ScheduledBilling
Start Date	12/01/2023	End Date	12/31/2023	Note	

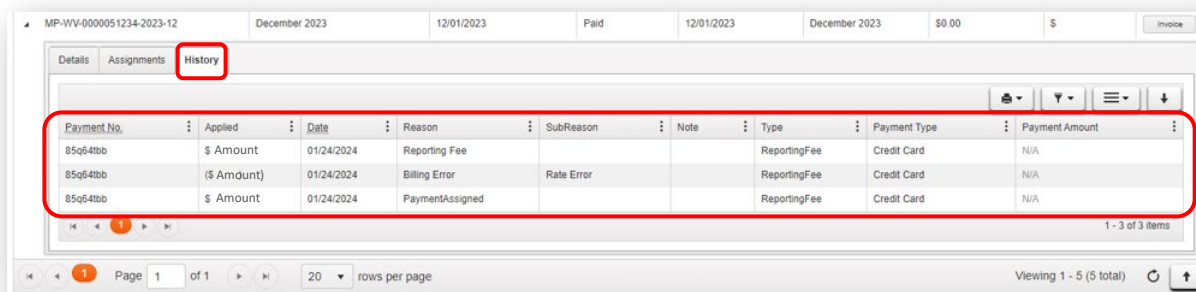
**Figure 7: View closed invoice Details**

In addition to invoice details, additional information can be found by selecting the Assignments and History tabs – **see Figures 8 and 9 below.**



Payment No.	Net Applied	Tx Date	Type	Payment Type	Payment Amount	Status	Description	Available Funds
85q64bb	\$	01/24/2024 01:15 pm	ReportingFee	Credit Card	N/A	Partially Applied	Charge for Outstanding Invoices	\$ Amount

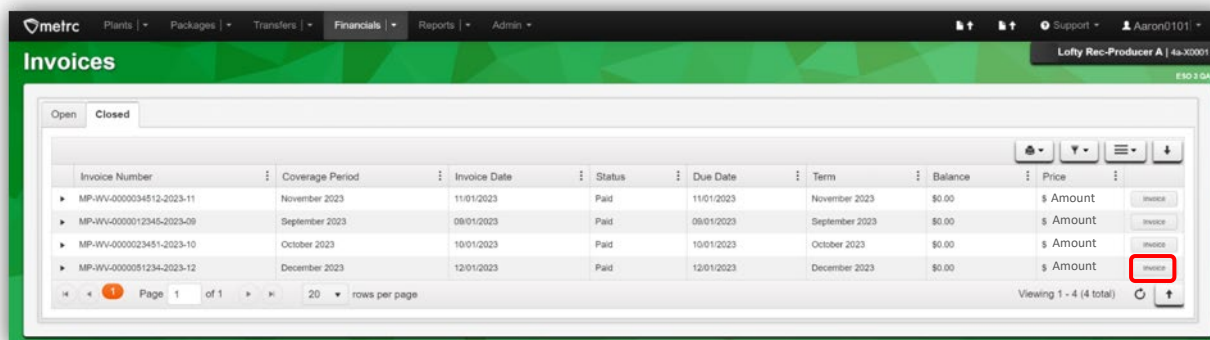
**Figure 8: View closed invoice Assignments**



Payment No.	Applied	Date	Reason	SubReason	Note	Type	Payment Type	Payment Amount
85q64bb	\$ Amount	01/24/2024	Reporting Fee			ReportingFee	Credit Card	N/A
85q64bb	(\$ Amount)	01/24/2024	Billing Error	Rate Error		ReportingFee	Credit Card	N/A
85q64bb	\$ Amount	01/24/2024	PaymentAssigned			ReportingFee	Credit Card	N/A

**Figure 9: View closed invoice History**

To view, download, and/or print a closed (paid) invoice, click on the Invoice button for the proper Invoice Number row on the far right – **see Figure 10.**



Invoice Number	Coverage Period	Invoice Date	Status	Due Date	Term	Balance	Price	Invoice
MP-WV-0000034512-2023-11	November 2023	11/01/2023	Paid	11/01/2023	November 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount	Invoice
MP-WV-0000012345-2023-09	September 2023	09/01/2023	Paid	09/01/2023	September 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount	Invoice
MP-WV-0000023451-2023-10	October 2023	10/01/2023	Paid	10/01/2023	October 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount	Invoice
MP-WV-0000051234-2023-12	December 2023	12/01/2023	Paid	12/01/2023	December 2023	\$0.00	\$ Amount	Invoice

**Figure 10: Access closed (paid) invoice to view, download, and/or print**

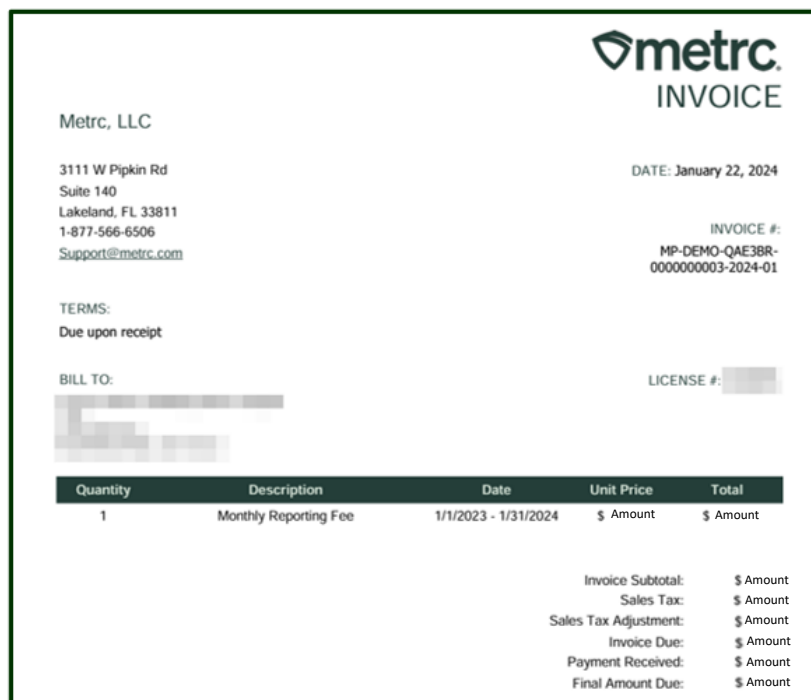
## Invoices overview

The information provided below is important to understand as it relates to invoices, including what will be visible, or may be visible, depending on account status.

- Beginning on the first day of the next full calendar month, an invoice will be generated in the Open invoices tab in the Invoices grid and show the total amount due for that period, including the Metrc reporting fee and any applicable taxes as defined by state and local taxing authorities.
- The generation of a monthly invoice will automatically occur in the system on the first day of every month.
- Sales tax assessment is enabled, so Metrc will now be able to calculate applicable sales tax on the monthly reporting fee.

For periods prior to the release of this new functionality, the following will apply:

- For previously paid periods (balances are paid in full), invoices will not be retroactively created or show up in the Closed Invoices tab of the Invoices grid.
- For previously unpaid periods, a single invoice will be generated that reflects the entire amount owed to Metrc at the time of this functionality release and will appear in the Open Invoices tab of the Invoices grid. *See example invoice below.*



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[Support@metrc.com](mailto:Support@metrc.com)

**metrc**  
 INVOICE

DATE: January 22, 2024

INVOICE #:  
 MP-DEMO-QAE3BR-  
 000000003-2024-01

TERMS:  
 Due upon receipt

BILL TO:

LICENSE #:

Quantity	Description	Date	Unit Price	Total
1	Monthly Reporting Fee	1/1/2023 - 1/31/2024	\$ Amount	\$ Amount

Invoice Subtotal: \$ Amount  
 Sales Tax: \$ Amount  
 Sales Tax Adjustment: \$ Amount  
 Invoice Due: \$ Amount  
 Payment Received: \$ Amount  
 Final Amount Due: \$ Amount



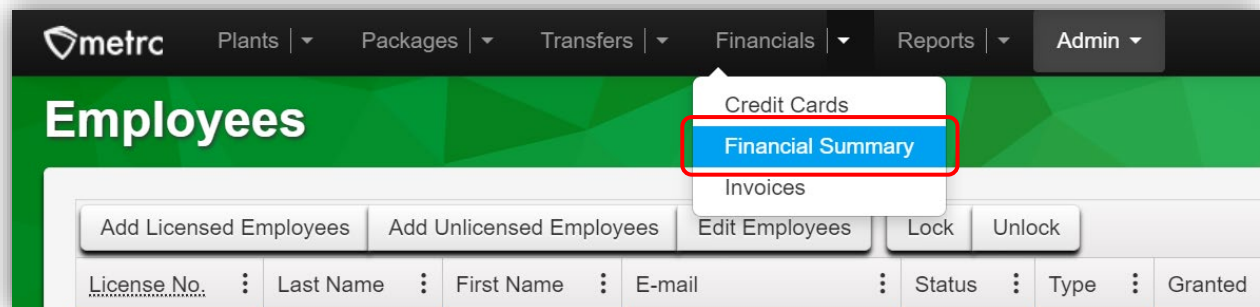
**Important note:** Access to invoices, and the ability to download and/or print, will be available from the Invoices grid. Direct access will offer greater efficiencies, including real-time ability to view and/or manage invoices in a singular location and limit incoming or outgoing communications to/from Metrc.

**Recommendation:** Designate additional financial managers so that all appropriate employees can access invoices and/or make payments.

### Financial Summary

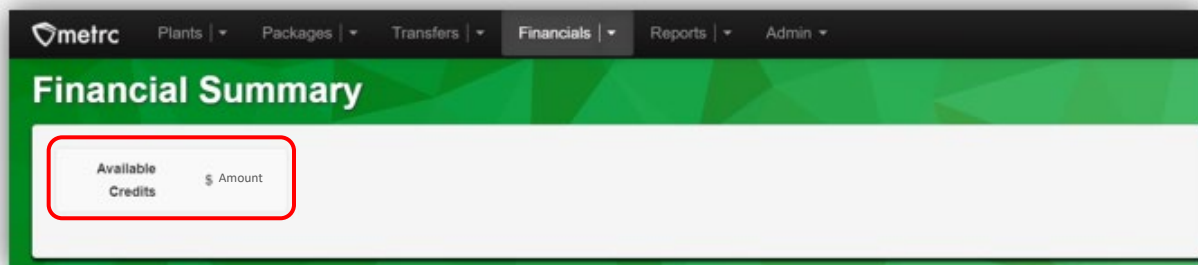
If payments are received in advance of monthly reporting fees being due or an approved credit is issued by Metrc, the new Financial Summary grid will offer real-time account status into Available Credits.

To access the Financial Summary grid, go to the Financials area dropdown on the navigational toolbar and select the Financial Summary option – **see Figure 11.**



**Figure 11: Navigating to the Financial Summary grid**

The Available Credits in the Financial Summary grid will display any available credits that are available to apply to future monthly Metrc fees. If the account is up to date, Available Credits will display \$0.00. The Financial Summary page will not display late payments or negative amounts – **see Figure 12.**



**Figure 12: Available Credits in Financial Summary grid**

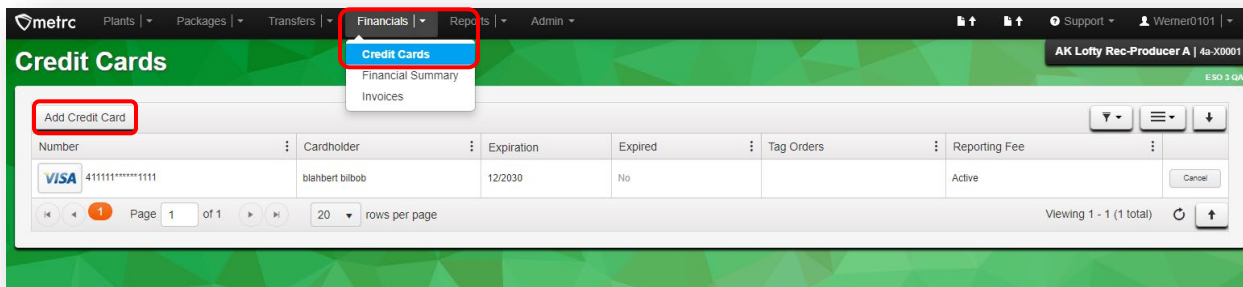


## Payment options reminder

Maintaining a valid payment method on file to pay for all incurred and recurring Metrc fees will simplify payment processes. Two payment options are available:

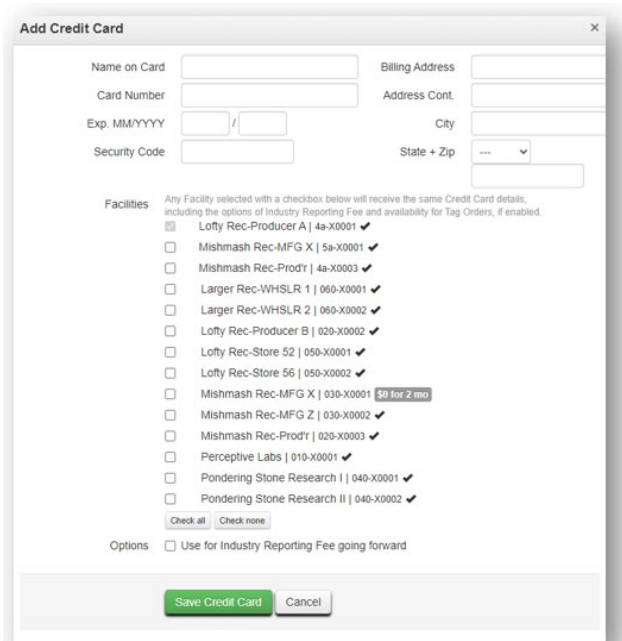
### Pay by credit card – *Recommended*

To review, update, or add a credit or debit card, select the Financials area dropdown on the navigational toolbar, then select Credit Cards – see **Figure 13**.



**Figure 13: Credit Cards grid**

To add a new card for one or more facilities, select the Add Credit Card button to open the Add Credit Card action window. Complete all required information, including selection of facilities to receive the same credit card details and checkbox option(s) to use the credit card for Industry Reporting Fees going forward, or availability for Tag Orders, if enabled. When complete, click the Save Credit Card button – see **Figure 14**.



**Figure 14: Add Credit Card action window**

In addition, payments can be made via check or money order and sent to the following address:

Metrc LLC  
3111 West Pipkin Rd., Suite 140  
Lakeland, FL 33811

### Metrc resources

If you have any questions, or need additional support, the following resources are available:

**Contact Metrc Support** by using the new full-service system by navigating to [Support.Metrc.com](https://support.metrc.com), or from the Metrc System, click on support.metrc.com from the Support area dropdown on the navigational toolbar and it will redirect to the portal.

*Please note:* If accessing the portal for the first time, a username (which is established when logging in), the respective state and “Facility license number”, and a valid email to set a password is required.

**Metrc Learn:** Various programs are offered to provide users with access to interactive, educational information on system functionality to expand skillsets and drive workflow efficiencies.

Based on valuable feedback received across the industry, we're proud to share that Metrc Learn is undergoing a redesign, featuring interactive modules and on-demand advanced training. Stay tuned for more exciting details rolling out soon, as we redefine your experience with Metrc!

**Access additional resources:** In the Metrc system, click on the Support area dropdown on the navigational toolbar and select the appropriate resource, including educational guides, manuals, and more.

Thank you for your continued partnership.