Transfer Out-of-State Vehicle into Oregon – No Lienholder

Use these instructions if you moved to Oregon and have the out-of-state title or if you are already an Oregon resident and bought a vehicle with an out-of-state title.

NOTICE: DMV offices are currently closed.

DMV cannot perform VIN inspections at this time. These types of vehicles require a VIN inspection before a title can be issued. If you bought the vehicle from an Oregon dealer, they can do the VIN inspection. Otherwise, you may apply for a trip permit online, see below.

DMV has partnered with Oregon Law Enforcement to support a “grace period” during the COVID-19 emergency declared by Governor Brown on March 8, 2020. During the emergency, Oregon law enforcement agencies have agreed to be flexible when reviewing the following, if they expire during this emergency:

- Driver licenses and ID cards
- Disabled parking permits
- Plates and registration
- Trip permits and temporary registrations

You may apply for a trip permit online if you are unable to get the requirements below. The grace period will apply to the trip permit, should the state of emergency continue past its expiration date.

Provide the following to DMV:

- A completed Application for Title and Registration;
- The out-of-state title:
  - If the title is lost, contact the other state to get a replacement.
- The original odometer disclosure, if required;
- Original releases or bills of sale from any previous owners;
- Original lien releases from any previous security interest holders;
- A vehicle identification number (VIN) inspection for $7 (at DMV, or if you need emissions testing, DEQ);
- If the odometer has 7,500 miles or less, you may need a Use Tax Certificate from the Oregon Department of Revenue; and
- The appropriate title fee.

Mailing and registration information is on page 2.
Along with all of the requirements listed in the section above, you must also provide the following to DMV:

- Proof of compliance, or exemption from, the Low Emissions Vehicle (LEV) requirement;
- A Certificate of Compliance for passing an emissions test at DEQ if your vehicle is required to be tested and you live in a DEQ area;
- Your plate choice; and
- The appropriate fee, based on your plate choice.

If you apply for registration, you are certifying:

- You currently have, and will maintain, motor vehicle insurance required by Oregon law for as long as you register the vehicle; and
- Your home is in Oregon or you are eligible, or required, to register under Oregon law.

- If you titled your vehicle in another state, you must get a new Oregon title and registration (plates).
- If you only registered your vehicle in another state, you do not need to title it again. If you still have the Oregon plates, you can use the plates and renew them if needed. If you do not have the plates, you can apply for replacements.

If you need a DEQ test before applying, check out their website for options and closures.

If you have all requirements and fees, mail your transaction to:
DMV Services
1905 Lana Ave NE
Salem, OR 97314