Instructions for releasing vehicle titles to DAS Surplus Property

Information provided based on color of title document
Blue Title

- **DO NOT date the title!**
- Known as a “regular” or “most common” title
- Agency releases interest on BACK of title
- In the “seller’s printed name” section: agency prints the agency name and name of agency representative
- Fill out exactly as it appears on the front of the title. If it says “Dept. of Corrections" DO NOT put “Oregon Dept. of Corrections”
- Agency representative signs next to the print line
Pink Title

• DO NOT date the title!
• Known as a “salvage” title
• Agency releases interest on BACK of title
• In the “seller’s printed name” section: agency prints the agency name and name of agency representative
• Fill out exactly as it appears on the front of the title. If it says “Dept. of Corrections” DO NOT put “Oregon Dept. of Corrections”
• Agency representative signs next to the print line
Green or Purple Title

- DO NOT date the title!
- Most commonly found with “older” vehicles
- Normally for vehicles pre-1990
- Agency releases interest on the FRONT of the title
- In the “signature of owner releasing interest” section: print the agency name and agency representative signs next to name
- Fill out exactly as it appears on the front of the title. If it says “Dept. of Corrections” DO NOT put “Oregon Dept. of Corrections”
- DO NOT fill out “date of release” line
“Little” Green Title

- DO NOT date the title!
- Most commonly for “older” industrial equipment, such as, tractors, loaders, backhoes, etc.
- Agency releases interest on the BACK of the title on line number 1. Includes agency name and printed and signed name of agency representative.
- Fill out exactly as it appears on front of the title. If it says “Dept. of Corrections” DO NOT put “Oregon Dept. of Corrections”
Review

• If you follow the instructions outlined in this presentation, you will not need a Power of Attorney with your vehicles.

• DO NOT date titles EVER!! Dates are only placed on titles when the vehicle is actually purchased.
Questions?

If you still have questions after viewing this presentation and have concerns before releasing interest on a title, please contact our Title Specialist at 503-378-6223