



TOWN OF NEWTOWN
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

NON CT LICENSE PLATED VEHICLES

RENEWAL or FIRST PURCHASE TRANSFER STATION VEHICLE PERMITS

If you are purchasing a renewal or first time transfer station vehicle sticker, please be advised of the following.

1. If you have an out of state license plate and you are a new resident to Newtown (within the last year) under CT State Statute you had or have 60 days from establishing residency to re-register your vehicle in CT. We cannot issue a new or renewal vehicle sticker for use of the transfer station without that compliance. A copy of the State Statute is attached.
2. If you have an out of state license plate on a company vehicle, we need the authorization letter from your company for use of that vehicle in order to issue a new or renewal transfer station permit.
3. If you have an out of state license plate on your vehicle, but have residency in both Newtown and some other state (ie. Florida), you will need to provide verification of both residencies.

REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

*See Sec. 20-427a re commissioner's duty to deny registration for commercial motor vehicle of contractor who is in violation of provisions of Sec. 20-420 or 20-432.

Sec. 14-12. Motor vehicle registration. Application. Issuance by dealers. Misrepresentation. Registration number and certificate. Requirements for registration. Regulations. Temporary registration. Number of registered electric vehicles. (a) No motor vehicle shall be operated, towed or parked on any highway, except as otherwise expressly provided, unless it is registered with the commissioner, provided any motor vehicle may be towed for repairs or necessary work if it bears the markers of a licensed and registered dealer, manufacturer or repairer and provided any motor vehicle which is validly registered in another state may, for a period of sixty days following establishment by the owner of residence in this state, be operated on any highway without first being registered with the commissioner. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, (1) a person commits an infraction if such person (A) registers a motor vehicle he or she does not own, or (B) operates, allows the operation of, parks or allows the parking of an unregistered motor vehicle on any highway, or (2) a resident of this state who operates or parks a motor vehicle such resident owns with marker plates issued by another state on any highway shall be fined one thousand dollars. If the owner of a motor vehicle previously registered on an annual or biennial basis, the registration of which expired not more than thirty days previously, operates, allows the operation of, parks or allows that parking of such a motor vehicle, such owner shall be fined the amount designated for the infraction of failure to renew a registration, but the right to retain his or her operator's license shall not be affected. No operator other than the owner shall be subject to penalty for the operation or parking of such a previously registered motor vehicle. As used in this subsection, the term "unregistered motor vehicle" includes any vehicle that is not eligible for registration by the commissioner due to the absence of necessary equipment or other characteristics of the vehicle that make it unsuitable for highway operation, unless the operation of such vehicle is expressly permitted by another provision of this chapter or chapter 248.