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2012 FDR Annual Report Released

The 2012 Fraudulent Document Recognition training program (FDR) Annual Report is now available! With information compiled from the 2012 FDR Annual Survey, the FDR Annual Report will keep you informed about the continued growth and evolution of one of AAMVA's most widely-accessed programs. Learn how other jurisdictions are utilizing the eLearning courseware, browse best practices, and get a preview of 2013 enhancements! [Access the report here.](#)

Webinars Coming Up on CSTIMS and the Final Permit Rule

AAMVA is offering a Webinar on the Commercial Skills Test Information Management System (CSTIMS), a web-based system which helps state driver licensing agencies (SDLAs) monitor commercial driver's license (CDL) skills test and identify potential incidences of fraud, with emphasis on how CSTIMS can assist jurisdictions in satisfying some of the provisions from 'Final Permit Rule'. The 'Final Permit Rule' (Commercial Driver's License Testing and Commercial Learner's Permit Standards), issued May 9, 2011, includes many requirements that can best be satisfied by an automated system. The Webinar will also highlight CSTIMS' flexibility to incorporate jurisdictions' defined business rules. This will be a great opportunity to learn benefits of using CSTIMS and how it can assist jurisdictions in moving towards the compliance date of July 8, 2014 with the rule. The webinar will be offered on following date and times:

Tuesday, July 17, 2012

- 10:00 - 11:00 AM - [Register Here](#)
- 2:00 - 3:00 PM - [Register Here](#)

Both sessions will be identical (and the same as presented in June) - it is not necessary to sign up for every session. The webinar will be offered by Greg Sensiba, Sr. Systems Analyst, AAMVA.

Join The Voter Registration Issues Webinar

Sign up for AAMVA's Webinar, Curbing Voter Registration Issues at the DMV, coming up on Wednesday, July 25, 2012, 2:00-3:00 PM (ET). The webinar will be hosted by AAMVA's Cian Cashin, Senior Manager of Government Affairs, and will feature speaker David Becker, Director of Election Initiatives, The Pew Center on the States. Join AAMVA for this webinar, in which we invite our colleagues at the Pew Center for the States to discuss voter registration issues and their latest proposal regarding aligning DMV data with voter registration data. For more information and to register, please visit <https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/605760232>.

Drugged Driving Webinar Rescheduled for July 25th

The webinar, "Drugged Driving: A Growing Highway Safety Issue" will take place Wednesday, July 25, 2012, 10:00-11:00 AM (ET). Tom Manuel, AAMVA's Program Director of Driver Fitness, will host this timely webinar on drugged driving. Speakers Cynthia Caporizzo and Dr. Terry Zobeck from the U.S. Office of National Drug Control Policy will discuss new research that shows that drugged driving, involving both legal and illicit drugs, is becoming a serious threat to public safety. Learn what the Office of National Drug Control Policy is doing to encourage safe driving. Register at <https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/210960696>.

Learn About the Military Skills Test Waiver Program

Join us on Wednesday, August 1, 2012, 2:00 - 3:00 PM (ET) for a webinar discussion on changes regarding commercial driver's license (CDL) Skills Tests waivers for military service members that have experience operating heavy vehicles and who meet other specific eligibility criteria. AAMVA, the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) and the Department of Defense have worked together to develop a standardized skills test waiver form for use by all jurisdictions. Hosted by AAMVA's Karen Morton, the webinar will feature

speakers Anna Amos, Director of Safety Programs, FMCSA and LTC Jon Carrico, US Army Reserve. To register, visit <https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/943540337>.

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FHWA Traffic Incident Management Toolkit Now Available

The Federal Highway Administration's (FHWA's) [Traffic Incident Management \(TIM\) Outreach Toolkit](#) has been posted online. TIM consists of a planned and coordinated multi-disciplinary process to detect, respond to, and clear traffic incidents so that traffic flow may be restored as safely and quickly as possible. Effective TIM reduces the duration and impacts of traffic incidents and improves the safety of motorists, crash victims and emergency responders. The resources included in this online toolkit were developed to help TIM programs across the country promote their message clearly and cost-effectively. The toolkit is available at http://www.ops.fhwa.dot.gov/eto_tim_pse/timtoolbox/index.htm.

FMCSA Requests for Nominations to the MCSAC

The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) solicits applications and nominations for interested persons to serve on the Motor Carrier Safety Advisory Committee (MCSAC). The MCSAC is composed of FMCSA stakeholders from the safety enforcement, industry, labor, and safety sectors and is charged with providing advice and recommendations to the FMCSA Administrator on Federal motor carrier safety programs. As part of this solicitation, current members with terms expiring in 2012 will be able to indicate their interest in being reappointed for another term. Applications/nominations for the MCSAC and letters of interest in reappointment must be received electronically on or before August 10, 2012. For more information, visit the [federal register](#) or <http://mcsac.fmcsa.dot.gov>

FMCSA Testifies On Compliance, Safety, Accountability (CSA) Program Before Congress

On July 11, 2012, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) Deputy Administrator Bill Bronrott testified about the Compliance, Safety, Accountability (CSA) program before the U.S. House of Representative's Committee on Small Business. Deputy Bronrott's written testimony discusses CSA's safety benefits and its impact on small businesses, and is posted on [FMCSA's Website](#).

Motor Vehicle Network (MVN) provides customized information and entertainment to DMV customers waiting for service. Viewed in hi definition on flat screen TVs, MVN is used as a communications tool between DMV headquarters and their staff/customers. With 20+ years working exclusively with DMVs MVN is the industry leader in digital signage. Visit www.mvnetwork.com

GAO Reports on Highway Projects

The Government Accountability Office (GAO) has released the following reports on Highway projects:

Highway Projects: Some Federal and State Practices to Expedite Completion Show Promise. GAO-12-593, June 6. <http://www.gao.gov/products/GAO-12-593>

Highlights - <http://www.gao.gov/assets/600/591421.pdf>

Related Product

Highway Projects: Survey of State Departments of Transportation (GAO-12-637SP, June 2012), an E-supplement to GAO-12-593. GAO-12-637SP, June 6.

<http://www.gao.gov/products/GAO-12-637SP>

DOT/FMCSA Grant Opportunities Available

The following grant opportunities are now available:

DOT

Department of Transportation

DOT/Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

FY 2013 MCSAP Basic and Incentive Grants.gov Opportunity Announcement

Modification 1

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppld=184134>

DOT

Department of Transportation

DOT/Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

FY 2013 Border Enforcement Grant Program Notice of Funding Availability

Modification 1

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppld=184173>

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U.S. Conference of Mayors Passes Resolution in Support of School Bus Stop Arm Enforcement Cameras

The nation's leading mayors united behind a resolution that addresses the growing problem of illegal passing of school buses that are stopped and boarding or disembarking children. At the 80th annual U.S. Conference of Mayors a resolution was passed in support of school bus stop arm enforcement cameras to protect children who ride a school bus to and from school every day. The resolution "strongly supports the use of school bus safety cameras to help reduce the number of vehicles that pass school buses illegally" and the Conference of Mayors pledges to provide information to the nations' mayors and legislators about the benefits of these lifesaving devices.

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Alberta Extension Regulation to Allow Drivers with Expired Motor Vehicle Documents to Use Their Vehicles

As work progresses to re-establish Registries services that were interrupted by the Shaw Court fire in Calgary on July 11, a special regulation has been approved to ensure drivers with expired or soon to be expired driver's licenses, vehicle registrations and commercial vehicle permits can continue to use their vehicles. This Motor Vehicle Document Expiry Date Extension Regulation will ensure drivers can still use their vehicles to travel within or outside the province even if their licenses are expired. The short term regulation is in effect between July 1 and until registry services are fully restored. Expired licenses, registrations and permits will be deemed valid provided that they have not been suspended or the drivers have not been disqualified from driving.

Virginia DMV Electronic Signups Surpass 1 Million

The number of people signed up to receive driver's license and vehicle registration renewals electronically from the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) has surpassed 1 million. Commissioner Richard D. Holcomb says nearly one in five licensed drivers in Virginia have now signed up to receive emails, texts or phone messages from the DMV. The agency says it saves 59 cents in printing, processing and postage fees for each renewal notice it doesn't have to send by regular mail.

NJ Motor Vehicle Commission and Division of Travel and Tourism Encourage Driver Safety During Summer

In an effort to bring a new twist to traditional safe summer driving messages, the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission (MVC) has teamed up with the New Jersey Division of Travel and Tourism to encourage car and motorcycle drivers to safely Share the Road in a 30-second spot that began airing on July 12. For more information visit: <http://www.state.nj.us/mvc/PressReleases/archives/2012/071212.htm>

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