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2015 Region I Conference Gets Started



The Region I conference got underway this week at the Hershey Lodge in Hershey, Pennsylvania. Region I President Kurt Myers was joined by the rest of the Region I Board, as well as Chair of the AAMVA Board, Mark Lowe, and AAMVA President and CEO, Anne Ferro, in welcoming attendees to the conference, kicking off several days of informative sessions and networking opportunities. [Visit the Region I Conference Website](#) throughout this week to see content from the conference.

AAMVA at the White House Conference on Aging



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AAMVA's Program Director of Driver Licensing, Karen Morton, attended the [White House Conference on Aging](#) today, which focuses on the issues facing Americans as they plan for retirement, care for older loved ones, and work to improve our quality of life as we age. For more information on the discussions taking place, [view this fact sheet](#) and visit the [conference website](#).

Register Now for the 2015 Annual International Conference



Online registration for AAMVA's premier event – the [2015 Annual International Conference \(AIC\)](#), August 25-27 – is now open. Join Chair of the Board Mark Lowe in Des Moines, Iowa, and experience a unique networking and educational event. **The early-bird registration rate ends on July 18th.**

Session Spotlight
Next Generation Documents
Tuesday, August 25th
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Don't miss this session exploring the future of the "mobile Driver's License" and its impacts on the development of electronic identity. How does the evolution of the DL compare with other identity documents? In addition to presentations by jurisdictions and industry partners, this session will include a presentation by the Department of State on the next generation Passport.

[View the preliminary program and more session topics here.](#) [Register now online](#), and watch the [2015 AIC Promo Video](#) to get a taste of what you can expect in Des Moines!

Registration Open for Region III Information Exchange

2015 region III information exchange

Oak Brook, IL | November 3-5

Registration is now open for the 2015 Region III Information Exchange, November 3-5, 2015 at the [Hilton Chicago/Oak Brook Hills Resort & Conference Center](#). Visit <http://www.aamva.org/2015-Region-III-Exchange/> for more information and to register online.

Upcoming Webinars



NMVTIS: A New Direction

Wednesday, July 29, 2015, 2:00 - 3:00 PM (EDT)

As NMVTIS gets closer to 100% participation, there is a need to look at ways and methods to improve the system as a tool as part of your state's title system. Join us as we discuss concepts to map a new direction for NMVTIS to help improve vehicle safety and reduce fraud in your jurisdiction. This webinar is for AAMVA jurisdiction and federal government members only. If you are a member and wish to register for this webinar, please login to the site, and go to the [Members Only webinars page here](#).

SAVE Revises Paper Version of Form G-845

USCIS' Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements ([SAVE](#)) Program introduced a revised version of Form G-845 on June 16, 2015. The new version bears an expiration date of May 31, 2018.

SAVE will develop and integrate an electronic (pre-populated) version of the revised Form G-845 into the VLS System. SAVE will notify user agencies when it becomes available. Until further notice from SAVE continue to use the electronic Third Step Form G-845 bearing an expiration date of January 31, 2015.

AAMVA Systems Training

Course I

- Course Name: Introduction to the National Driver Register
- Course Description: This introductory session provides history, background, purposes and uses on NDR and PDPS, State's Responsibility, and the Relationship between NDR, PDPS, States, and AAMVA.
- Training Session: Tuesday, July 21, 2-4 ET
- [Register Here](#). You will have to register if you are new to the training site by clicking on "Register"

Course II

- Course Name: PDPS Inquiry Transactions
- Course Description: This is a detail session that will clarify the relationship between driver's license and driving privilege. It will also provide detail information on the different types of PDPS Inquiry Transactions; when, how and by whom these transactions are used.
- Training Session: Wednesday, July 22, 2-4 ET
- [Register Here](#) You will have to register if you are new to the training site by clicking on "Register"

Share Information with Other Jurisdictions

Please respond to these surveys from Wisconsin, Quebec, Florida, Virginia, and Ontario. The jurisdictions that have already responded are listed after each survey.

- [Document Management](#) (Ends 08/31/2015) Responses received from AL, FL, GA, ID, MO, NH, RI, SC, VT.
- [Vehicle Registration Fees Based Upon GVWR](#) (Ends 07/31/2015) Responses received from AL, CA, ID, NC, NE, NH, RI, UT.
- [Salvage Rebuildable Titles](#) (Ends 07/30/2015) Responses received from AL, AR, CA, ID, KY, NE, NH, NV, PA, TX, UT, VT, WY.
- [Dealer and Title Clerk Training](#) (Ends 07/24/2015) Responses received from AB, AL, ID, IL, LA, ME, MT, NC, ND, NE, NH, NJ, PA, QC, UT.
- [Third Party Providers Listed on DMV Web Sites](#) (Ends 07/20/2015) Responses received from AB, AL, CO, CT, FL, GA, ID, IL, KS, LA, ME, MN, MO, ND, NE, NJ, PA, RI, SC, TN, VA.

These jurisdictions appreciate your assistance with their research. If you need a Web password or have any questions about using the survey tool, please send an e-mail to webportalsupport@aamva.org or call Janice Dluzynski at 703-908-5842. All online surveys can be found on the AAMVA Web site at <http://www.aamva.org/Survey/User/SurveyDefault.aspx>

AAMVA Community Mourns Passing of Friend and Mentor, Maurice Beckham



It is with great sadness that we report the passing of [Maurice Beckham](#) on June 29, 2015. He was 82. He is survived by Peggy, his devoted wife of 64 years, their two children, eight grandchildren, an older sister and two older brothers. Maurice was a Master Mason, and longtime member of Onion Creek Lodge #220 in Austin. A Korean War veteran he served with both the U.S. Army 24th Infantry division, and the First Marine division. Maurice was a 38 year veteran of the Texas Department of Public Safety, a Special Texas Ranger, he retired at the rank of Major as the Chief of

Administration in 1993. Maurice not only served as Past Region II President and a member of the AAMVA International Board of Directors, but also served on numerous other professional boards, committees and groups. In earlier years, Maurice was a softball pitcher of note, played semi-pro baseball in the old Central Texas League, and coached little league baseball. He performed nationally as a professional humorist, educator, trainer, and was a prominent "After Dinner", Key Note Inspirational speaker, and Entertainer. For the past 20 years Maurice has performed as the Resident Virtuoso on the all-volunteer Austin Steam Train Association Hill Country Flyer, and other ASTA special excursion trains. A Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, August 1, 2015 at Cook-Walden Capital Parks Memorial Chapel with a Reception to follow. In Lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Maurice's memory to any of the following: (1) The American Cancer Society, (2) The Texas DPS Historical Museum & Research Center at P.O. Box 141603, Austin, Texas 78714-1603 or to, (3) The Austin Steam' Train Association, 401 E. Whitestone Blvd., Ste C-100, Cedar Park TX 78613. [Learn more about the life of Maurice Beckham.](#)

Federal Grant Opportunities

AAMVA tracks federal grant opportunities that are made available to our state-based membership. The following federal grants are open for application currently:

- FY2016 Border Enforcement Grant Notice of Funding Availability
- FY 2016 New Entrant Notice Of Funding Availability Department of Transportation
- FY 2016 High Priority Notice of Funding Availability

These grants can be found on AAMVA's [Federal Grant](#) page with more information on each individual grant.

Career Opportunity

The following career opportunity has just been posted to the AAMVA website:

Oregon DOT, Department of Motor Vehicles

- [PE/M G - Office of Transformation Program Leader in Salem, Oregon](#) (initial screening begins 7/20/2015)

For more information on this and other opportunities within the AAMVA Community, visit AAMVA's [Career Center](#).