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Washington Joins State-to-State (S2S) Verification Service

AAMVA congratulates Washington on successfully implementing [S2S](#) during the weekend of September 3, 2018 and becoming the 19th participant using the new service. All migration activities have completed on schedule. CDLIS and S2S services are fully operational now. AAMVA would also like to thank volunteer jurisdictions Nebraska and North Carolina who assisted with Washington's migration. Washington will henceforth be able to use SPEXS to perform its CDLIS and S2S functions. This means, among other things, that Washington can now also track pointer information related to its Base Driver Licenses, Permits for Base Driver Licenses, and Identification Cards. This supports the goal of limiting any person to only one driver's license. [Read more here.](#)

AAMVA Attends GHSA Workshop and Annual Meeting in Atlanta, Georgia



AAMVA's President and CEO, Anne Ferro, and Director of Law Enforcement, Brian Ursino, attended the [GHSA Annual Meeting](#) on August 29th. Ursino addressed a large audience at the GHSA workshop on Policing AV: Accountability in Autonomy. Ferro represented AAMVA in a panel discussion on Autonomous Vehicles and joined the closing luncheon panel with incoming GHSA chair, Rhonda Craft (Director, CA Office of Traffic Safety). Along with several prior NHTSA Administrators and Deputy Administrators

including Dr. Jeff Runge, David Strickland, Ron Medford and David Kelly, they discussed past and future national highway safety issues and opportunities. [Read more here.](#)

This Week's Webinars

[Using: CD90.7.7 Selective Driver History Record Validation and CD90.7.4 Out-of-State Convictions and Withdrawals Posting Reports \(Federal Members\)](#)

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OUR EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

11-12 | [2018 September State-to-State User Group Meeting](#)

San Antonio, TX

24-29 | [2018 September CDL Examiner Update Class](#)

St. Petersburg, FL

25-26 | [2018 September CDLIS Working Group Meeting](#)

San Antonio, TX

26-27 | [2018 September Autonomous Vehicles Best Practices Working Group](#)

Kansas City, MO

SYSTEMS TRAINING

*Register for the following training sessions [HERE](#).

SEPTEMBER

5 | [CD03 State-to-State Status Request \(intermediate\)](#)

6 | [CD04 State-to-State History Request \(intermediate\)](#)

11 | [Introduction to the National Driver Register \(basic\)](#)

12 | [PDPS Identity Correction \(intermediate\)](#)

13 | [PDPS State to State and NDR Generated Trans \(intermediate\)](#)

18 | [CDLIS A Overview \(basic\)](#)

19 | [CDLIS B Inquiry Transactions \(basic\)](#)

20 | [CDLIS C Update Transactions \(basic\)](#)

25 | [CD01 Search Inquiry](#)

Wednesday, September 5, 2018, 2:00 - 3:00 pm (EDT)

The purpose of this webinar is to provide an overview on the new CD90.7.7 Selective DHR Validation Report and CD90.7.4 Out-of-State (OOS) Convictions & Withdrawals Posting Report to FMCSA. The webinar will also include information on additional training for reports as well as other resources at AAMVA.

Note: This webinar is for federal members only.

[Odometer Fraud Investigative Techniques](#)

Thursday, September 6, 2018, 2:00 - 3:00 pm (ET)

NHTSA estimates annually odometer fraud costs consumers over \$1 billion and impacts over 450,000 vehicles putting unsuspecting buyers at risk of financial loss and impacting the safety of our highways. Odometer fraud is more prevalent today than at any time in recent history and criminals continue to improve techniques by use of technological advancements making detection more difficult. To counter-act this rise and impact of odometer fraud, investigators need to bolster their investigative techniques, skills, and resources. This training, taught by experts in odometer fraud investigations, will help investigators enhance their abilities to combat this crime and learn how they can increase investigative effectiveness and success. This training will also provide insight for administrators as they look at ways to deter and detect odometer fraud during the title issuance process.

Note: This webinar is for AAMVA jurisdiction members only.

JURISDICTION NEWS

Alabama Governor Ivey Issues State of Emergency in Preparation for Tropical Storm Gordon

The State of Alabama is under imminent threat of Tropical Storm Gordon, which is expected to strengthen into a hurricane with the potential to make landfall in Mobil and Baldwin Counties; this storm system is expected to bring increased rain activity and storm surge, with the threat of flooding and isolated tornadoes, the risk of which is expected to dramatically increase over the next 24 to 36 hours. [Read more here.](#)

American Samoa: Major Changes Proposed for Driver's Licenses to Comply with REAL ID Act

To fully comply with the federal REAL ID Act, the Lolo Administration is proposing major changes to current law for issuing driver's licenses, and a new provision is being proposed that would allow a "driving privilege card" to be issued. The legislation — the American Samoa REAL ID Act — was finally introduced in the Fono this week, and it outlines a wide range of changes to current law including that the Department of Public Safety/ Office of Motor Vehicle will take over the issuance of Identification Cards, which are currently issued by the Office of Vital Statistics, a bureau of the local Homeland Security Department. Gov. Lolo Matalasi Moliga informed Fono leaders that the legislation would help bring American Samoa into compliance with the federal REAL ID Act, 'which will enable American Samoans to use their driver's licenses and identification cards' to pass through US Transportation Security Administration security and to access other federal facilities. [Read more here.](#)

ICBC: Last Long Weekend of Summer Brings Deadly Crashes

Every Labour Day long weekend, approximately five people die and 580 people are injured in 2,100 crashes across the province. Whether you'll be driving a car or riding a motorcycle over the long weekend, ICBC is asking you to share the road and do your part to drive smart. [Read more here.](#)

Idaho Driver License Extensions Granted

[\(intermediate\)](#)

26 | [CD02 Verification Inquiry \(intermediate\)](#)

27 | [CD05 AKA Data Inquiry \(intermediate\)](#)

SEPTEMBER SPEXS TRAINING

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OUR WEBINARS

SEPTEMBER

5 | [Using: CD90.7.7 Selective Driver History Record Validation and CD90.7.4 Out-of-State Convictions and Withdrawals Posting Reports \(Federal Members\)](#)

11 | [NMVTIS State Web Interface \(SWI\) – Understanding the Administrative Features](#)

13 | [Using: CD90.7.7 Selective Driver History Record \(DHR\) Validation & CD90.7.4 Out-of-State \(OOS\) Convictions and Withdrawals Posting Reports \(Jurisdiction Members\)](#)

18 | [NMVTIS State Web Interface \(SWI\) – How to Correct Title and Brand Data on the Central Site](#)

19 | [Using: CD90.7.7 Selective Driver History Record \(DHR\) Validation & CD90.7.4 Out-of-State \(OOS\) Convictions and](#)

The Idaho Transportation Department has extended the expiration date for expiring/expired driver's license and identification cards through October 31, 2018. This does not apply to drivers whose privileges are currently withdrawn until reinstatement requirements are fulfilled. Time is needed to implement a lasting solution to the DMV system problems and allow expired residents the opportunity to apply in person after that time. [Read more here.](#)

Sandra Karsten named Missouri's Public Safety director

Governor Mike Parson announced Colonel Sandra Karsten as [Director of the Department of Public Safety](#). Prior to her appointment, Karsten served 33 years at the Missouri Highway Patrol. Colonel Karsten is an exemplary public servant, and throughout her 33-year law enforcement career, she's demonstrated the professionalism and integrity for which the Missouri State Highway Patrol is known. She's a strong, focused leader who has never shied away from tough decisions, and understands the importance of teamwork. The Missouri State Highway Patrol is better, thanks to her service, said Governor Parson. We are excited and have great confidence in her to lead the Department of Public Safety. Karsten was appointed the twenty-third Superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol on February 1, 2017. The Missouri Senate confirmed her appointment Thursday, March 9, 2017. As a result of her confirmation, she was elevated to the rank of Colonel and sworn in on March 14, 2017. [Read more here.](#)

Texas Governor Proclaims August "Watch Your Car Month"

With the end of the summer being historically one of the riskiest seasons for vehicle burglary and theft, Texas Governor Greg Abbott declared August "Watch Your Car Month" to remind Texans they can take steps to protect their vehicles. The proclamation notes Texans experience nearly one billion dollars in losses every year due to motor vehicle burglary and theft. [Read more here.](#)

FEDERAL NEWS

Canadian Feds Approve First Roadside Marijuana Drug Testing Device

Justice Minister Jody Wilson Raybould has approved the Drager DrugTest 5000 "as the first saliva screening equipment to be used by law enforcement to test for THC, the main psychoactive agent in cannabis." The drug-testing equipment will be available to police forces throughout Canada, which can independently decide whether to purchase and adopt the equipment. [Read more here.](#)

CBO Issues Working Paper on Fiscal Substitution of Investment for Highway Infrastructure

The Congressional Budget Office (CBO) has issued a working paper entitled, "Fiscal Substitution of Investment for Highway Infrastructure." CBO details the working paper by abstracting from available economic literature that, "state and local governments use federal grants for transportation infrastructure to substitute for some amount of spending they would have undertaken using nonfederal funds. In most of the literature, researchers studying federal grants for highways have found that state and local governments reduce highway spending from their own funds as federal grants increase. However, less consensus exists over the magnitude of that substitution effect, with a range of effects estimated." CBO notes that further analysis could clarify the scope of the substitution effect and that the further study of this would be beneficial to the work of CBO. [Read more here.](#)

Two NTSB Board Meetings Announced - Motorcycle Safety and Pedestrian Safety

The National Transportation Safety Board announced two upcoming board

[Withdrawals Posting Reports \(Jurisdiction Members\)](#)

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25 | [NMVTIS State Web Interface \(SWI\) – Instant Title Verification Using the VIN Search Feature](#)

27 | [NMVTIS Suspense Resolution for Online States \(AMIE Version\) – Part 1](#)

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OUR SURVEYS

Please respond to these surveys from Maine, Kansas, Ohio, Ontario, Pennsylvania, Iowa, and Wyoming.

[Medical and vision review- electronic processing](#) (Ends 09/25/2018) Responses received from FL, NC, SC, SD, VA.

[CMV Plates - False Claims to be a Business](#) (Ends 09/07/2018) Responses received from AL, FL, ID, LA, MB, MD, ME, NC, NJ, NM, OH, PA, SC, UT, VA, WI.

[Brands Terminology](#) (Ends 09/28/2018)

[Vehicle Licence Plate Program](#) (Ends 09/24/2018) Responses received from AL, AR, BC, DE, FL, ID, KY, LA, MB, ME, MN, MT, NC, NE, ON, OR, RI, UT, VA, WV.

[Human Trafficking Awareness Training](#) (Ends 09/24/2018) Responses received from AB, AZ, CA, FL, ID, IL, IN, LA, MB, MD, ME, ND, NE, NJ, NY, OH, SC, SD, TN, TX, VA, WY.

[Methods for Translating Documents into Languages](#) (Ends 09/17/2018) Responses received from AZ, CO, FL, ID, IN, LA, MB, ME, MN, MS, ND, NE, NH, NJ, OH, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, VA.

meetings open to the public--one on motorcycle safety and one on pedestrian safety. On [September 11, 2018](#), the NTSB will discuss safety issues surrounding the causes of motorcycle crashes, and the prevention of crashes through better integration of motorcycles in crash warning and prevention systems and the use of advanced braking and stability control systems. On [Sept. 25, 2018](#), the NTSB will discuss safety issues related to pedestrian conspicuity, vehicle design, collision avoidance systems, safety infrastructure countermeasures and data needs for better understanding of pedestrian safety problems and solutions.

PARTNER NEWS

Shaq Helps Honor Highway Safety Leaders at GHSA National Awards Luncheon

NBA Hall of Fame legend Shaquille O'Neal helped the [Governors Highway Safety Association](#) (GHSA) honor individuals and programs making a tremendous impact on improving highway safety during its 2018 Highway Safety Awards Luncheon. The luncheon was part of GHSA's 2018 Annual Meeting in Atlanta, Georgia. The [Foundation for Advancing Alcohol Responsibility](#) (Responsibility.org) and The [National Road Safety Foundation](#) sponsored the luncheon. O'Neal's participation in the luncheon was related to his ongoing involvement in traffic safety campaigns through Responsibility.org. A sworn reserve law enforcement officer with the Los Angeles Port Police and Miami Beach, O'Neal is committed to spreading the word about the dangers of impaired and distracted driving and announced Responsibility.org's pledge to fund a 4th year of work to train law enforcement officers and prevent impaired driving. [Read more here.](#)

[DL/ID CARD PRODUCTION](#) (Ends 09/17/2018) Responses received from AR, FL, GA, IN, LA, ME, MI, MN, MS, ND, NY, SC, TN, WA.

[Funding for System Modernization](#) (Ends 09/11/2018) Responses received from CO, FL, GA, LA, MD, MI, MO, NJ, RI, VA.

You can view all open surveys and responses to all surveys by visiting the [survey tool](#). Please contact [Janice Dluzynski](#) if you have any questions about using the survey tool.



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