

IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT YOUR MOTOR VEHICLE TAX BILLS



The Connecticut Department of Motor Vehicles experienced problems with the way some motor vehicles were and are coded for municipal property tax purposes during 2016 - 2017.

IF YOU RECEIVE A TAX BILL FROM A TOWN THAT YOU DID NOT RESIDE IN OR GARAGE YOUR VEHICLE IN , you must contact the Tax Assessor of that town to request that the vehicle be transferred to the correct town for proper and timely taxation .

If your vehicle registration is due to expire within 60 days, or if your registration has already expired, and you have not received a renewal notification from DMV, then you must contact the DMV. They may have an incorrect address for you.

If you are being reported with a 'tax compliance' or other compliance issue by a town you have never lived in or garaged a vehicle in, then you must contact the town that is reporting the compliance issue for resolution.

The Department of Motor Vehicles is trying to encourage customers to use their online system instead of going in person to the branches. You can avoid the inconvenience of waiting at the branches by attempting to perform your transaction on line with DMV. Please visit: www.ct.gov/dmv/online for the following: Registration renewal * Plate cancellation * Verifying your renewal status after paying back taxes * and more.

You may also choose to visit some **AAA office s upstate** for certain motor vehicle transactions, including driver's license renewals * ID card renewals * duplicates of driver's licenses * ID cards * learner's permits * and more. **Effective Jan. 1, 2017, the Norwalk AAA branch office DOES NOT process DMV transactions any longer.**

"Clearance" for paying delinquent property taxes to the City of Norwalk is now done electronically, online, overnight. If you pay your back taxes in person today, your clearance will be processed overnight and you will be clear to register at DMV the following business day. If you pay online, you must allow at least one extra business day for processing your online payment.