



Marion County Tax Collector Newsletter



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Registration Fee Reduction

The Florida Legislature has recently passed a bill that will lower the cost of motor vehicle registrations by up to \$25.00 per year. The legislative change will take effect September 1, 2014.

In an effort to save you money, the Marion County Tax Collector recommends renewing your motor vehicle registration for one year versus two years. There is no cost advantage with two-year registration renewals. Refunds will not be given for any registration issued prior to September 1, 2014.

As we receive more information regarding the upcoming changes, we will update our website for your convenience.

Medical Examiner's Certifications

If you are a current CDL holder and are required to maintain a Medical Examiner's Certification, you will be required to be examined by a medical examiner listed in the National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners for any Medical Examiner's Certificate that is issued on or after May 21, 2014.

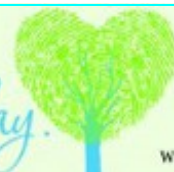
Medical Examiner's Certificates issued on or after May 21, 2014 that do not include the National Registry number will be invalid and the CDL holder will need to provide a valid Medical Examiner's Certificate to maintain or be issued a CDL.

Medical Examiner's Certificates issued before May 21, 2014 that have not expired with no National Registry Number will be accepted as a valid medical card as part of the self-certification.

If you have any further questions in regards to your CDL self-certification and the Medical Examiner's Certificates, please our office at 352-368-8200 for further assistance.

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Tax Collector Crape Myrtle Sale

We would like to invite you to our 1st Annual Tax Collector's Crape Myrtle Sale! The sale will be held on July 12, 2014 in the Tax Collector and Property Appraiser parking lot in the McPherson Government Complex located at 503 SE 25th Ave in Ocala from 8:00 AM to 11:30 AM. The flowers will be located on the south side of the Tax Collector building in the area dedicated to VIN verifications.

There will be 5 varieties of crape myrtle's that you may choose from. Pre-sale orders are accepted and highly recommended. Please contact our Call Center at 352-368-8200 for more information. All pre-orders can be picked up Saturday, July 12th during normal sale hours.

All proceeds will benefit the Marion County Schools 'Stuff the Bus' program and the Interfaith Emergency Services warehouse.



4th of July Fireworks

This year there will be multiple choices to enjoy beautiful fireworks!

Circle Square Commons is hosting a celebration and fireworks display on July 4th beginning at 5:00 PM. Circle Square Commons is located at 8413 SW 80th St in Ocala.

The event will feature music, food, face painting and performers.

God & Country Days will be hosting their annual fireworks and celebration at the corner of US 27 and CR 225A near Golden Ocala on July 4th. For more information please contact 352-426-5971.

We hope you enjoy the wonderful entertainment with your family! Wishing you a safe and Happy 4th of July from the Tax Collector's office!



Drivers Handbooks

Please visit www.floridadmbooklet.com to download or view the latest version of the Florida Drivers License handbooks as well as the CDL and motorcycle handbooks. They are available in English and Spanish.

Check this website out for helpful links, helpful resources and other links that may interest you. Below you will find a QR code that will allow you to access the Drivers License handbooks using your Smartphone.



Access Class E, CDL, and Motorcycle Driver License Handbooks by scanning this code with your Smart Phone.

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