

NOTICE OF PROPOSED GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

Transfer a Vehicle to an Heir

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 227.112, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation is hereby seeking comment on Transfer a Vehicle to an Heir, ch. 342, a proposed guidance document.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION

Comments may be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for 21 days by:

1. Department's website:

<https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wi/dot/guidance-docs?guidDocId=DMV453>

2. Mailing written comments to:

Division of Motor Vehicles
Wisconsin Department of Transportation
4822 Madison Yards Way
PO Box 7336
Madison, WI 53707-7336

WEBSITE LOCATION OF FINAL GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

The final version of this guidance document will be posted at wisconsin.gov to allow for ongoing comment.

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An heir or heirs may transfer ownership of a vehicle when a decedent leaves solely-owned property not exceeding \$50,000 in value. An heir may title the vehicle in his/her name as owner or may sign as heir to sell the vehicle. In both cases, Statement of Transfer of Vehicles to a Surviving Spouse, Domestic Partner or Heir form [MV2300](#) is required as a supporting document. A copy of the death certificate is not required when deceased owner was a Wisconsin resident and death occurred in Wisconsin. A death certificate may be required for residents of other states.

If you want ownership in your name, submit:

- Statement of Transfer of Vehicles to a Surviving Spouse, Domestic Partner or Heir form [MV2300](#)
- Certificate of Title
- Wisconsin Title & License Plate Application form [MV1](#)

- Transfer fee is \$69.50 for each vehicle

If the decedent's solely-owned property exceeds \$50,000, the vehicle(s) must be transferred by submitting a copy of the personal representative papers, instead of the MV2300 form, along with the application. These papers are issued by the court identifying the individual(s) authorized to sign for the interest of the decedent. The personal representative will sign the title as seller and write "personal representative" after their name.

See also information for vehicle transfers to a [□ surviving spouse or domestic partner](#).

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