

New Applicants For Public Vehicle Driver's License

Drivers may submit an application between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the Public Vehicle Office, 800 Evans St., Cincinnati, Ohio 45204.

All new drivers must bring the following with them to apply:

1. Letter of insurability, on company stationery, addressed to the Public Vehicle Office, stating the applicant is insurable.

2. Criminal and Traffic record check from:

Hamilton County Sheriff's Records
1000 Sycamore St., Room 100
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202
513-632-8284

Criminal and traffic record check must be dated within fifteen (15) days of application. Drivers must be free of any felony arrests or misdemeanor arrests involving narcotics or moral turpitude.

3. A Bureau of Motor Vehicle report from the state of residence, approved by the insurance company dated within thirty (30) days. You may obtain a Bureau of Motor Vehicle report from:

Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles
Any Deputy Registrar

Kentucky Bureau of Motor Vehicles
8120 Dream St. (Exit 181 off I-75)
Florence, Kentucky 41042
859-431-1072

4. Valid state driver's license.
5. Payment for Public Vehicle Driver License fee of \$40.

Applicants for a taxicab driver license will be tested on the Rules and Regulations and their knowledge of the location of the hospitals, hotels, neighborhoods and points of interest in Cincinnati.

All drivers must have a minimum of 20/30 corrected vision in each eye.

All **handicapped livery vehicle drivers shall** also produce satisfactory evidence that the applicant has completed a first aid and life saving course as approved by the director. In addition, a certificate from a reputable physician stating the applicant is free of communicable diseases dated within thirty (30) days of application must also be provided.