

## Checklist: Rebuilder's Title State of Colorado

C.R.S. 42-5-206, 42-6-102(15), 42-12-101, 102, 103, 42-12-202

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A Rebuilder's certificate of title will be issued to a motor vehicle valued principally because of the vehicle's early date of manufacture, design, historical interest, or value as a collector's item. Vehicle must be physically located in Colorado and not in roadworthy condition to complete this process. Forms can be found online at [DMV.Colorado.gov/Forms-and-Publications](https://dmv.colorado.gov/forms-and-publications)

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**Step 1.** Have the vehicle inspected and the Colorado Certified VIN Inspection completed by a certified Colorado law enforcement officer or P.O.S.T certified inspector (Your local county motor vehicle office can refer you to a P.O.S.T certified inspector in your area).

- Inspection must not be over one (1) year old
- The motor vehicle model year must be 1975 or earlier

[CSP.Colorado.gov/services-we-provide/get-a-vin-inspection](https://csp.colorado.gov/services-we-provide/get-a-vin-inspection)

### Form/Fees:

- DR 2704 (will be provided by P.O.S.T certified inspector)
  - Inspection Fee – Refer to the CSP Inspection page for current pricing.
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**Step 2.** Provide a DR 2444 Statement of Fact or a written statement, made under penalty of perjury in the second degree, providing the following information:

- Why there is no title for the vehicle
- Reason bonding for ownership is required
- Describe the vehicle by year, make and VIN
- From whom and when it was purchased, and the amount paid
- That there are no liens against the vehicle
- That the vehicle is **not** roadworthy

### Form/Fees:

- DR 2444
  - Any other documents proving purchase or ownership
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**Step 3.** A Colorado assigned VIN is required when there are multiple VINs or no VIN exists.

If an assigned VIN **is** required, submit to your local county motor vehicle office:

- DR 2408 Colorado Assigned Vehicle Identification Number Application
- DR 2704 Colorado Certified VIN Inspection (provided by P.O.S.T certified inspector)
- DR 2444 Statement of Fact

All approved assigned VIN applications will be forwarded to the Colorado State Patrol who will contact you for an appointment to physically affix the VIN plate to your vehicle. All supporting documents will be returned to you at that time.

Upon having all supporting documents returned to you by the Colorado State Patrol, complete Steps 4, 5, and 6.

**Forms/Fees:**

- DR 2408
  - DR 2444
  - DR 2704 (will be provided by P.O.S.T certified inspector)
  - Fee – \$3.50 for Assigned VIN
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**Step 4.** For the purpose of purchasing a surety bond or evidence of a savings account, deposit, or certificate of deposit meeting the requirements of section 11-35-101, C.R.S. (See step 5), establish the reasonable value of the vehicle determined by one of the following:

- Price guide books
- Computerized valuation services
- Licensed Colorado automotive dealer
- Certified appraisal

The Vehicle appraisal must identify the vehicle by VIN, year and make.

**Form/Fees:**

- Vehicle appraisal identifying the vehicle, by VIN, year and make
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**Step 5.** Furnish evidence of a savings account, deposit, or certificate of deposit meeting the requirements of section 11-35-101, C.R.S., or a good and sufficient bond with a corporate surety not less than twice the reasonable value of the vehicle. The savings account, deposit, certificate of deposit, or surety bond must indicate the year, make and VIN of the vehicle.

**Form/Fees:**

- Account Deposit Certificate or signed Bond.
  - Indicate year, make and VIN of vehicle
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**Step 6.** Apply for a “**Rebuilder’s Title**” at the county motor vehicle office in the county in which you live. Secure and Verifiable Identification is required to obtain a title and/or registration in the state of Colorado. Please see DR 2841 Secure and Verifiable Identification for acceptable identification documents. Vehicles issued a Rebuilder’s Title shall not be registered and/or driven.

**Form/Fees:**

- Title fee – \$7.20, (Pursuant to C.R.S. 42-6-137(1)(a))

See the DR 2186 for procedures to establish a Regular Title from a Rebuilder’s Title.