

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES



**Salvage Vehicle Procedure**  
**Acknowledgment**

I \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledge that my vehicle \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Name) (VIN)

has been designated as a Salvage Vehicle. In order to title and/or register “Rebuilt Salvage” said vehicle, I must complete the following steps:

- Take vehicle thru DC Emission and Safety Inspection
  - Customer must inform inspector that they need a “Salvage Inspection” at the time of inspection
  - If unable to pass a “Salvage Inspection,” then the vehicle can only be processed for “Title Only” as Salvage
- After a “Salvage Inspection” of the vehicle, you must return all required documents to the 95 M Southwest Service Center to initiate the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) Salvage Title Inspection Procedure.
  - MPD Anti-Theft Inspection Form
  - Original Vehicle Title
  - Current DC Insurance
  - Current DC DL/ID
  - Passed Salvage Inspection Report (unless TITLE ONLY)
- Once the MPD Salvage Title Inspection is completed, all owners will be notified via text message and/or email.

**Salvage Vehicle transactions will be issued Only ONE (1) 45-day Temporary tag.**

**Please Note: Vehicle titles will be returned regular mail to customers if vehicle is not titled and/or registered within 90 days of approval**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Customer’s Name Printed)

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(Customer’s Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)