

## Business and Professional Licensing

Point-In-Time Snapshot of Individual & Business Licenses	
Profession	6/30/2018
Architects	7,956
Body Piercing & Tattooing	3,853
Combative Sports	703
Cosmetologists	80,373
Driver Training Schools	1,815
Engineers & Land Surveyors	50,022
Funeral Directors & Embalmers	1,720
Geologists	2,239
Limousine & For Hire	1,704
Notaries Public	74,812
Private Investigators	1,554
Real Estate Appraisers	3,021
Real Estate Professionals	44,344
Security Guards	12,456
Vehicle Dealers & Transport/Disposal	7,223
Other	7,926
<b>Total</b>	<b>301,721</b>
Type	6/30/2018
Total Individual Licenses	265,757
Total Business Licenses	35,964
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License Transactions — FY18 Count		
Activity	Originals	Renewals
Total Licenses	34,126	126,410

License Renewals by Channel		
Channel	FY18 Count	Percent
Paper	52,919	42%
Internet	62,338	49%
BLS Partner (DOR)	11,153	9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>126,410</b>	

Firearms Program*	
Activity	FY18 Count
Law Enforcement Inquiries to Firearms Database	1,203,991
Pistol Sales & Transfers Received	181,914
Concealed Pistol Licenses Issued by Law Enforcement	141,757
Point-In-Time Snapshot as of 6/30/2018	
Active Concealed Pistol Licenses	586,340

\*DOL updates and maintains the firearms database for use by law enforcement.

Prorate & Fuel Tax Services	
Activity	FY18 Count
Fuel Tax Business Audits	201
Prorate & Fuel Tax Licenses	5,563
Annual Fuel Tax Collected	\$ 1,751,364,389

Uniform Commercial Code* — FY18 Count			
Activity	Internet	Paper	Total
Filings Processed	76,520	12,906	89,426
Searches Completed	235,135	1,910	237,045
Point-In-Time Snapshot as of 6/30/2018			
Total Active Filings in Database			602,748

\*DOL records liens on personal property and makes information available to the public through searches.

## Mission

*With a strong commitment to great service, we advance public safety and consumer protection through licensing, regulation, and education, and we collect revenue that supports our state's transportation system.*

Agency Facts	
Driver Licensing Services Offices	56
Vehicle Agent & Sub-Agent Offices	179
Allotted Full Time Positions (FTEs)	1,406

Biennial Budget 2017-2019	
Transportation	\$ 367 Million
Omnibus	\$ 52 Million
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 419 Million</b>

Revenue Collected — by Recipient	
Recipient	Fiscal Year 2017*
WA State	\$ 2,581,493,219
Federal	\$ 631,875
Other States (IRP, IFTA)	\$ 28,792,763
Local (TBD, RTA)	\$ 214,593,251
Other	\$ 2,678,977
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2,828,190,084</b>

\*Fiscal year (FY) revenue is not available at FY end. Once released, it is updated in the calendar year end publications.

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## Statistics At-A-Glance



*Fiscal Year 2018*

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## Drivers Licensing

Point-In-Time Snapshot of Card Holders					
Type	6/30/2014	6/30/2015	6/30/2016	6/30/2017	6/30/2018
Driver License (DL)	5,403,959	5,520,214	5,639,066	5,790,487	5,915,688
<i>18 years old &amp; over</i>	5,342,086	5,442,292	5,559,815	5,710,677	5,835,557
<i>Intermediate (under 18)</i>	61,873	77,922	79,251	79,810	80,131
Identification Card (ID)	621,256	616,934	619,100	634,320	647,756
Instruction Permit	86,427	89,308	89,700	88,363	89,358
Enhanced Documents (Counts are included in Driver License and ID Card counts above)					
Driver License (EDL)	401,369	446,791	548,673	641,028	737,227
Identification Card (EID)	21,708	22,724	25,097	25,653	27,191
Endorsements (Counts are included in Driver License counts above)					
Motorcycle	408,949	420,392	406,532	419,218	450,362
Commercial (CDL)	176,782	188,929	191,731	185,096	183,404
Ignition Interlock	5,317	5,120	5,012	4,846	5,304

**Transactions/Count:** Count of card holders or registrations issued, renewed, or replaced during the reporting year.

**Point-In-Time Snapshot:** Counts of all current card holders, vehicle/vessel registrations, or licenses on the date specified.

**NOTE:** Customer transactions can be counted in multiple places. For example, when they have both motorcycle and commercial endorsements, or combination plates (such as personalized on a special background).

DL & ID Renewal Transactions by Channel		
Channel	FY18 Count	Percent
Office	631,369	66%
Internet	289,122	31%
Mail	32,496	3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>952,987</b>	

Driver License Testing — FY18 Count		
Type	Licensing Services Office	Driver Training School
Knowledge	23,476	232,668
Drive	10,389	174,549
<b>Total</b>	<b>33,865</b>	<b>407,217</b>

Regulating Activity	
Action	FY18 Count
Hearings & Interviews Processed	9,746
Point-In-Time Snapshot as of 6/30/2018	
Suspended, Revoked, or Canceled*	349,987

\*Includes unlicensed and out-of-state people.

Driver Transactions — FY18 Count		
Type	Originals	Renewals
Driver License (DL)	290,712	884,882
<i>Motorcycle</i>	19,485	71,462
<i>Commercial</i>	11,661	34,662
Identification Card (ID)	85,461	68,105
Instruction Permit	97,588	27,174

Individual Abstract of Driving Record (ADR) FY18 Requests by Channel		
Channel	Count	Percent
Office	46,141	19%
Internet	149,787	63%
Mail	42,959	18%
<b>Total</b>	<b>238,887</b>	

Commercial Data Broker ADR	
Type	FY18 Count
Monitored	25,227,059
Purchased	2,018,324

## Vehicles/Vessels Licensing

Point-In-Time Snapshot of Currently Registered Vehicles and Vessels					
Type	6/30/2014	6/30/2015	6/30/2016	6/30/2017	6/30/2018
Vehicles	6,866,213	7,038,858	7,213,580	7,872,783	8,063,390
<i>Motorcycles</i>	215,475	220,592	219,031	231,769	236,153
Vessels	250,655	247,187	229,929	247,495	249,787

Vehicle Renewal Transactions by Channel		
Channel	FY18 Count	Percent
Office/Mail	5,048,872	68%
Internet	2,350,046	32%
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,398,918</b>	

Original License Plate Issuances FY18	
Type	Count
Standard Background	1,624,570
<i>Standard Configuration</i>	1,580,741
<i>Personalized Configuration</i>	7,522
<i>Non-Standard Configuration*</i>	36,307
Special Background	20,293
<i>Standard Configuration</i>	16,544
<i>Personalized Configuration</i>	3,749
Metal Tag/Decal	28,885
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,673,748</b>

\*Exempt, Disabled, Veteran, etc.

Email Renewal Notices — FY Counts				
Type Sent	2015	2016	2017	2018
Vehicle Email Renewal Notices*	657,838	705,479	678,088	755,843
Vehicle Paper Notice	6,621,466	6,689,854	5,905,804	6,917,321
New Enrollees				
Vehicle	220,315	195,665	126,734	74,315
Vessel	7,296	5,978	4,390	3,739
<b>Total</b>	<b>227,611</b>	<b>201,643</b>	<b>131,124</b>	<b>78,054</b>

\*Vessels do not have a paper option

Vehicle Title Transactions	
Type	FY18 Count
New to WA	786,507
Transfers	1,094,717
Modifications	479,878
Duplicates	42,394
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,403,496</b>

Vehicle Permit Transactions	
Type	FY18 Count
Trip	133,137
Dealer	804,900
Transit	49,767
Other*	4,559
<b>Total</b>	<b>992,363</b>

\*Farm; military; special fuel; off road; snowmobiles; 30, 60, 90 Day.