



APPLICATION FOR MILITARY AND VETERAN CUSTOM PLATES



HOW TO APPLY FOR MILITARY CUSTOM PLATES

Check the box next to the plate series you are requesting. **Required proof** and initial cost information is in parentheses after each plate series. **You must** provide the appropriate proof when you mail your application to the address shown on page 2 of this form.

NOTE: Plates in one of the series marked below with an asterisk (*), can be issued: (1) in the name of the veteran or military member; or (2) in the name of the spouse of the veteran or military member. Plates will **NOT** be issued to both unless both spouses are eligible for the plates.

(If you need the International Symbol of Access on the plate, please call the Custom Plates Office at 1-800-364-7528).

- * Air Force Reserve (Letter from CO certifying Reserve status — *Initial Fee: \$19.50; cannot be personalized*)
- * Air National Guard (Letter from CO certifying eligibility — *Initial Fee: \$22.25; cannot be personalized*)
- * Airborne (Copy of Airborne Association Membership Card; or copy of DD-214; or Copy of Current Identification Card from Army Airborne — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- * Army National Guard (Letter from CO certifying eligibility — *Initial Fee: \$22.25; cannot be personalized*)
- * Army Reserve (Letter from CO certifying Reserve status — *Initial Fee: \$19.50; cannot be personalized*)
- * Coast Guard Reserve (Letter from CO certifying Reserve status — *Initial Fee: \$19.50; cannot be personalized*)
- * Former Prisoner of War (Proof of POW status: DD-214 or letter from VA — *Initial Fee: \$9.50. For former POWs age 62 or older, there is no initial fee, annual fee, or registration fee; cannot be personalized*)
- * Gold Star Mother (Official document stating that son or daughter died while serving in U.S. Armed Forces — *Initial Fee: \$12.25; cannot be personalized*)
- * Marine Corps Reserve (Letter from CO certifying Reserve status — *Initial Fee: \$19.50; cannot be personalized*)
- * Naval Militia (Letter from CO certifying eligibility — *Initial Fee: \$22.25; cannot be personalized*)
- * Navy Reserve (Letter from CO certifying Reserve status — *Initial Fee: \$19.50; cannot be personalized*)
- * Pearl Harbor Survivor (Discharge papers and official statement of service **at Pearl Harbor** on or before 12/7/41 — *Initial Fee: \$22.25; cannot be personalized*)
- * Purple Heart Recipient (Proof of award: DD-214 or letter from VA — *Initial Fee: \$9.50/Personalized Fee: \$38.00*)
- * State Guard (Letter from CO certifying eligibility — *Initial Fee: \$22.25; cannot be personalized*)
- American Legion (Contact American Legion Department Adjutant for application information — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Coast Guard Auxiliary (Copy of Auxiliary Card - both sides — *Initial Fee: \$24.50/Personalized Fee: \$53.00*)
- Combat Infantryman (Copy of DD-214 — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Congressional Medal of Honor (Proof of Award - *No initial fee, annual fee, or registration fee; cannot be personalized*)
- Disabled American Veterans (Contact Disabled American Veteran's Group for application information — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Disabled Veteran (Proof of service-connected disability; **and** for applicants who do not already have a plate with the International Symbol of Access, MV-664.1, "Application for License Plates or Parking Permits for People with Severe Disabilities", OR a letter from a Medical Doctor, Doctor of Osteopathy or Doctor of Podiatric Medicine — *Initial Fee: \$8.50; cannot be personalized*)
- Eastern Paralyzed Veterans Association (Letter from Association — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Jewish War Veterans of America (Letter from Association — *Initial Fee: \$22.25; cannot be personalized*)
- Korean War Veterans (DD-214 issued between 6/27/50 - 1/31/55 — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Marine Corps League (Letter from MCL Paymaster — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- U.S. Submarine Veterans (Contact U.S. Submarine Veteran's Group for application information — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- U.S. Veteran (Copy of Discharge Papers or DD-214 — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Veterans of Foreign Wars (Copy of Veterans of Foreign Wars Membership Card — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Vietnam Veterans (DD-214 issued between 12/22/61 - 5/7/75 — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- Vietnam Veterans of America (Letter from Vietnam Veterans of America **and** DD-214 issued between 12/22/61 - 5/7/75 — *Initial Fee: \$19.50; Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)
- West Point (*Initial Fee: \$34.50/Personalized Fee: \$63.00*)
- World War II Veterans (Copy of Discharge Papers or DD-214 — *Initial Fee: \$19.50/Personalized Fee: \$48.00*)

NOTE: Not all military plates can be personalized. Only those plates that refer to a "personalized fee" can be personalized.

PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION BELOW

Last Name		First	M.I.	Date of Birth (Month/Day Year)	
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Address (Include Street Number and Name and/or Rural Delivery Box No.)		Apt. #	City	State	Zip Code
Signature (Sign Name in Full)			Date	Daytime Phone (Area Code)	
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Current License Plate Number		Vehicle Model Year	Vehicle Make		

Personalized Military Plates

The military emblem or picture will be shown on the left side of the plate. A maximum of six spaces is allowed. Put a period (.) on any line in the choices below to show where you want a space on your plate.

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____

Payment Method: Check MasterCard Discover

Money Order Visa American Express

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Name (as it appears on credit card) _____

Card Account Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Authorized Signature _____

Please do not send cash! Make check or money order payable to "Commissioner of Motor Vehicles".

Please allow 4 to 6 weeks for delivery. Annual fees for these plates (if there is an annual fee for your plate) are in addition to the renewal fee to register your vehicle. You will be billed for the plates every two years when you renew your registration.

Return this completed form, the required proof shown on page 1, and payment to:

Department of Motor Vehicles
Custom Plates Unit, Rm. 231
6 Empire State Plaza
Albany NY 12228

NOTE:

- All checks are cashed upon receipt.
- Plates will not be ordered until we receive ALL required documents and fees.
- The lowest available plate number in the series will be assigned.
- Falsifying documents will result in cancellation of the custom plates.

If you have any questions, or need some additional information, call 1-800-364-7528.

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