

# MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION INFORMATION BULLETIN

THE COMMISSION

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OFFICIAL NOTICE OF  
MOTOR CARRIER HEARINGS AND OTHER MATTERS  
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**LANSING, MICHIGAN**

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## MPSC BUILDING REMAINS CLOSED STAFF RELOCATED

The Mercantile Way building in Lansing, which sustained flood damage, remains closed until further notice.

MPSC motor carrier staff have been relocated to a temporary work facility.

All MPSC applications continue to be processed at the temporary location.

We thank you for your patience during this time. Rest assured, we are working diligently to meet the needs of the carriers while we are in our temporary facility and will keep you updated via our website.

Refer to Page 11 for Website, Business Hours, and Contact information.

*The MPSC Office will be CLOSED on  
Monday February 20<sup>th</sup>*

## MICHIGAN MOTOR CARRIER ADVISORY BOARD 2012 SCHEDULE

This Board serves in an advisory capacity to the Michigan Public Service Commission on policy and procedural matters which impact the Michigan trucking industry. The Board Members are appointed by the Commission for a term of one year. Board information at:

<http://www.dleg.state.mi.us/mpsc/motor/board/>

All meetings are open to the public and are held at the Michigan Public Service Commission  
6545 Mercantile Way  
Hearing Room A  
Lansing, MI  
at 9:30 a.m.

### 2012 MEETING SCHEDULE

**March 15**

**May 17**

**July 19**

**September 20**

**November 15**

## INTRASTATE AUTHORITY REVOKED: FAILURE TO RETURN 2012 RENEWAL APPLICATIONS

**MOTOR CARRIERS THAT DID NOT RETURN THEIR 2012 APPLICATIONS FOR RENEWAL OF INTRASTATE AUTHORITY BY THE FINAL POSTMARK DATE OF 12/31/2011 SHOULD TAKE NOTE THAT THEIR OPERATING AUTHORITY IS AUTOMATICALLY REVOKED AS OF 01/01/2012 AND THE CARRIER HAS NO AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT INTRASTATE OPERATIONS.**

2403 BOWLUS TRUCKING COMPANY, INC.  
L- 7314 GUS MATONEK, INC.  
L- 8697 WATERLAND TRUCKING SERVICE, INC.  
L- 9165 MOHAWK TRANSPORT, INC.  
L- 9249 WILLIAM D. VANDERPOEL  
L-12165 AAA DELIVERY SYSTEMS, INC.  
L-12526 M. L. ASBURY, INC.  
L-13477 E. & L. SERVICE, INC.  
L-16551 C & M SAND AND GRAVEL INC  
L-16826 GAYLORD MOVING AND STOR-ALL  
L-17048 FLINT RIGGERS & ERECTORS, INC.  
L-18653 CALCUT TRUCKING COMPANY  
L-19281 MICHIGAN CARTAGE & STORAGE CO.  
L-19283 GARVIN TOWING, INC.  
L-19296 COMMERCIAL DELIVERY INC.  
L-19347 GRAEBEL/MICHIGAN MOVERS, INC.  
19524 C P TRUCKING INC.

L-19740 MICHIGAN MOTOR FREIGHT, INC.  
L-19905 TOP FLITE EXPRESS, INC.  
L-19987 GALAXY TRANSPORT, INC.  
20191 JUSTINA M. DUNN TRANSPORTATION SERV., INC.  
20447 COMPUTER VAN LINES, INC.  
20514 DAWN TRUCKING INC  
21144 J B TRUCKING  
L-21504 RELIABLE COURIER SYSTEMS, INC.  
L-21717 MID - CON FREIGHT SYSTEMS, INC.  
21822 M & L TRUCKING, INC.  
21851 V.L. WATKINS TRANSPORT CO.  
L-21941 PAUL'S COLLISON  
L-22015 LAFOND EXPRESS, INC.  
L-22138 PROTOTYPE MOVERS, INC.  
L-22429 ROGER SMITH'S EXCAVATING  
L-22512 GOLEN TRAFFIC SERVICES, INC.

L-22539	DEECO TRANSPORTATION	28074	MASON DYNAMICS, INC.
22685	MUSGROVE TRUCKING	28194	DALE'S 24 HR TOWING
23163	PAJTAS TRUCKING, INC.	28370	RIVES TRUCKING, INC.
23267	WALLY KIPP TRUCKING	28429	CRYSTAL FLASH LIMITED PARTNERSHIP OF MICH
L-23343	MIKE & LOUIS MOVING	28434	RIVER VALLEY SALES, INC.
L-23418	LYONS SERVICENTER INC.	28526	ALPINE TOWING
L-23560	EXPRESS FILM DELIVERY	28528	GREAT LAKES CONTRACTOR'S SERVICES, LIMITED
L-23724	TOTAL TRANSPORTATION, INC.	28598	C. TRUCKING, LLC
L-23792	OVERTIME EXPRESS FREIGHT, CO.	28735	SABRELINE TRANSPORTATION, INC. I
L-23808	EMT - TANKER LOGISTICS	28756	POTPOURI TRUCKING COMPANY
C-23864	GREAT LAKES SPECIALIZED CARRIERS, INC.	28771	BELINE HAULERS, INC.
23875	TED DECKER TRUCKING INC.	28777	PATTULLO & SONS TRUCKING, INC.
23986	J & K TRANSPORTATION, INC.	28791	DISCOVER TRANSPORT SERVICES, INC.
L-24020	FREEDOM EXPRESS, INC.	28810	21ST CENTURY EXPRESS, INC.
24304	PARAGON EXPRESS, INC.	28991	SIDEWINDER ENTERPRISES INC.
24488	WOODS TOWING & SERVICES, INC.	29099	ZWAGERMAN TRUCKING CO.
L-24525	R & R TIRE AND AUTO SERVICE, INC.	29144	EMPOWER FREIGHT SYSTEMS, INC.
L-24582	J & C RECOVERY, INC.	29176	THE EMERALD GROUP, L.L.C.
L-24640	GORNO TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, INC.	29254	C & N MARINE TRANSPORT, INC.
L-24675	VAL'S SERVICE	29258	SHAMROCK AUTO TRANSPORT, INC.
L-24715	MIDWAY TOWING, INC.	29265	TRIPLE O TRANSPORT LLC
24759	CHANDLER CAR CARRIERS	29385	JERRY COOLMAN TRUCKING
L-24874	HARTLAND TOWING & GARAGE, INC.	29443	T. BUHLMAN TRUCKING
L-24936	JUNTTI'S SERVICE	29554	CRB LOGISTICS, LLC
25209	MCDANIEL TRANSPORTATION	29600	MOTOR CITY EXPRESS, INC.
25263	M C TRUCKING	29601	DAVE'S AUTO REPAIR
L-25338	PREMIER ADJUSTMENT SERVICES, INC.	29632	SOMMERS ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION, INC.
L-25393	LEASEWAY MOTORCAR TRANSPORT COMPANY	29925	RIVERSIDE TRUCKING
25611	G.J. TRANSPORT, INC.	29926	COMMERCIAL CARTAGE, LLC
25640	R & E TRUCKING, INC.	29931	GREAT LAKES TRANS, INC.
25646	CHESTER FARRELL MOBILE HOME SERVICE	29973	OR TRUCKING, LLC
25662	BONNER AND SONS TRUCKING	29993	GREEN BROS. TIRE & SERVICE, INC.
25679	PRELL'S TOWING	30049	A G D TRUCKING
25682	NICK UNEMA EXCAVATING, INC.	30087	R2C ROAD SERVICES, LLC
25732	SPIERLING TRUCKING & EXCAVATING, INC.	30171	RISELAY TRUCKING
25778	ALL MOVERS	30194	ROYAL TRANSPORT, INC.
25829	HOLLOW TRUCKING COMPANY	30269	PENNINGTON ENERGY CORPORATION
25856	SABRE FREIGHT SYSTEMS, INC.	30289	EMPIRE MOVING SYSTEMS, LLC
26069	EXPERT TOWING-STORAGE	30311	LIBERTY LOGISTICS, INC.
26240	DAVE & TERI'S TOWING	30398	LESTER BROTHERS EXCAVATION INC.
26257	FAMILY MOBILE HOME MOVERS, INC.	30447	ACCURATE AUTO CARRIERS, INC.
26261	STILSON TRUCKING & WATER HAULING	30565	NAUTIC MARINE, LLC
26273	JAMES A. BILSKI	30603	STACIE TRANSPORT
26371	SPIRIT EXPEDITING, INC.	30633	LAND DEVELOPMENT CONTRACTORS, LLC
26428	JURICNY ENTERPRISES, INC.	30644	ECHO RIDGE FARM & TRANSPORTATION
26555	T L EXPRESS	30690	BULK TRANSPORT, INC.
26595	MIKE CHISHOLM TRUCKING	30716	SIGMA TRANSPORTS LLC
26623	ABA IMPOUND, INCORPORATED	30736	WINWELL GREAT LAKES, LLC
26693	RCT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, INC.	30748	MICHIGAN ROAD MAINTENANCE COMPANY, L.L.C.
26841	MCCLAIN'S TOWING & RECOVERY	30769	ON TIME EXPEDITING, INC.
26866	ENCORE SERVICES INC.	30797	HERITAGE OAKS FARM TRANSPORTATION SERV LLC
26896	AERO BULK CARRIER, INC.	30839	MR. WRECKER
26961	JOHN MYERS	30904	INTERNATIONAL QUALITY CONTROL INC.
27091	PROMESA LOGISTICS LLC	30958	PACER
27357	BANTEK WEST, INC.	30995	H R LEASING
27360	ELITE MOVING SYSTEMS	31032	RMK INDUSTRIES, INC.
27390	L. A. SYSTEMS TRANSPORT SERVICES	31036	J 2 TRUCKING, LLC
27440	OBX LOGISTICS	31105	MIRROR MOUNTAIN TRANSPORT
27462	WJ SNEAD INC.	31219	STORMY'S DELIVERY SERVICE
27472	JOES TOWING	31309	E & J LOGISTICS LLC
27483	WALECHKA INCORPORATED	31320	CTC TRANSPORTATION
27543	KEN'S HAULING	31327	BAY CITY TOWING
27561	E.S.G. DELIVERY SERVICE	31413	FARMBOYS EXPRESS INC.
27575	DOUG'S TRUCKING, INC.	31419	D & B BEARDSLEY TRUCKING
27627	BEACH-N-DELIVERY, INC.	31440	G.E. SLAUGHTER TRUCKING & PLOWING
27645	GUTTING TRUCKING, INC.	31449	DOUBLE D EXPRESS
27715	KAMINSKI TRANSPORT, INC.	31476	D. SHURLOW TRUCKING, INC.
27780	DOUBLE TROUBLE TRUCKING, INC.	31526	PJ'S TRUCKING SERVICE, INC.
27865	STATEWIDE AUTO TRANSPORT, INC.	31621	LOVELESS TRUCKING, LLC
27883	J.B. TRUCKING OF KALKASKA	31636	HAMLET TOWING
27980	BRUNS TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	31678	BIRDIE ENTERPRISE TRANSPORTATION SYS., INC.
28021	M. A. D. TRANSPORT	31811	UNA TRANSPORTATION LLC
		31822	Q-TRANS

31832	MIKES ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, LLC	33921	SUPPLY CHAIN SHIPPING LLC
31914	CENTRAL TRANSPORT INTERNATIONAL, INC.	33923	JOT HOLDINGS & INVESTMENTS, INC.
31969	PHASE III DELIVERY, LLC	33928	TOM LARGENT TRUCKING
32006	SCHULTZ EXCAVATING & ASPHALT, INC.	33938	T & L TRANSPORT, INC.
32090	ELDORADO USA, INC.	33957	SAN MARINO EXCAVATING, INC.
32153	RADIUS 100, INC.	33976	ASSURED COLLATERAL EXPEDITERS
32205	J.P. SMITH TRUCKING	33978	FLUSHING TRANSIT SYSTEM
32254	CVA ENTERPRISES, INC.	33990	PROGRESSIVE ASSET RECOVERY, LLC
32279	LENNY B'S TOWING L.L.C.	34028	JOE DAVIS AUTO REPAIR
32298	ROYCE II TRANSPORT	34034	FAST TRACK TRUCKING, L.L.C.
32307	FREEDOM TRANSPORTATION GROUP, INC.	34046	FLORENCE NIGHT-N-GALE, INC.
32310	MATTHEW TRUCKING LLC.	34053	CEDAR CREEK CARRIERS INC.
32323	HFS NORTH AMERICA LLC	34056	K & D TRANSPORT TRUCKING LLC
32348	MICHIGAN DISCOUNT MOVERS LLC	34072	DON MCKAY CORPORATION
32402	MOVE SOMETHING EXPRESS CO	34084	WOLVERINE MOVING AND STORAGE, LLC
32405	QUACKENBUSH TRUCKING, LLC	34085	CHUBBY'S TOWING
32491	PSS EXPRESS INC	34094	HAULING SOLUTIONS LLC
32530	BOBBY G'S ENTERPRIZES', INC.	34108	PRO TOW, INC.
32538	JBA TRUCKING LLC	34111	A 1 MAN AND A TRACTOR
32593	UNI-TRANS	34117	P.S. WILLIE TRANSPORTATION, LLC
32603	G & G FREIGHT EXPEDITORS, INC.	34128	BCS EXPRESS INC.
32604	NICE CAR TRANSPORT	34131	PEAK TRUCKING, L.L.C.
32645	MARCHING ANT MOVING LLC	34152	WEST MICHIGAN IMAGING CENTER
32788	STUFF A TRUCK L.L.C.	34157	NOUR (LIGHT) PETROLEUM TRANSPORT LLC
32897	ZUBEK MOTORS INC.	34159	TWO DOGS TRUCKING, L.L.C.
32898	STONEMAN TRUCKING, L.L.C.	34189	RKJ ENTERPRISE
32967	D. L. ACTON TRUCKING L.L.C.	34191	C. & A. LOGISTICS, LLC
33025	TURN TRANSPORT	34197	BUSTER B'S TRANSPORT
33034	RAINMAKER SALES, INC.	34214	NW LOGISTICS LLC
33054	EXPRESS TRANSPORT	34229	PROTEGE DELIVERY, INC.
33065	POTOCKI TRANSPORT LLC	34267	FIVE STAR AUTO RECOVERY, INC.
33094	SHAITANA TRANSPORTATION LLC	34276	CORDELL ENTERPRISES, INC.
33105	3-B TRUCKING, INC.	34280	QUALITY LOGISTICAL SOLUTIONS, INC.
33124	K & B TRANSIT, INC.	34282	D & D VADER TRUCKING AND EXCAVATING, LLC
33130	LANSING DELIVERY SERVICE, INC.	34303	50/50 EXPRESS EXPEDITING, LLC
33154	MELCHING, INC.	34310	TOM EVENS DELIVERY
33158	EZ EXPEDITING, INC.	34319	SPECIFICATION STONE TRANSPORT
33177	PLATINUM KEY LEASING LLC	34322	TOMMIE LEWIS TRUCKING, INC.
33230	XCLUSIVE TRANSPORT, LLC	34335	ART'S TOWING
33252	GG& L LOGISTICS, INC.	34356	ANYTIME MOVING 247
33253	GEORGETOWN CONSTRUCTION CO.	34362	NW TRANSPORTATION LLC
33269	JMT EXPRESS, LLC	34389	JSC TRANSPORT
33283	EFFICIENT HAULING SERVICES LLC	34390	FORTY DOLLAR TOWING
33285	OVERWEG TRUCKING LLC	34402	JAY'S DELIVERY LLC
33313	SZIKSZAY & SON TOWING & AUTO	34405	STRAIGHTWAY TRANSPORT
33330	R & A EXPRESS TRUCKING, INC.	34412	AFTER MIDNIGHT RECOVERY & TOWING
33338	FLATBEDS EXPRESS	34418	SPECIAL DELIVERY MOVERS
33381	BOSS FREIGHT LOGISTICS	34423	MIO TRANSPORTATION, LLC
33417	J & S AGGREGATE, LLC	34446	R & G TRUCKING INC
33425	SNAPPY EXPEDITE SERVICE LLC	34451	URI-FARR CARRIERS INC
33434	ACTION FREIGHT SERVICES, LLC	34461	WOOD RECYCLERS INC.
33447	HAYDEN TRANSPORT L.L.C.	34486	COAST TO COAST TOWING LLC
33477	SHORELINE WEST TRANSPORT LLC	34506	NICHOLAS LOGISTICS
33554	CJB MARINE ENTERPRISES LLC	34509	RANDY'S AUTO SERVICE, INC.
33640	BELLS BUILDING SUPPLY, INC.	34521	BETTER BUSINESS MANAGEMENT, INC.
33652	SUPERIOR INTERNATIONAL, LLC	34522	FULL HOUSE MOVING LLC
33678	TAYLOR TRANSPORTATION SERVICE (US), INC.	34525	RIGHT TOUCH FREIGHT, LLC
33729	NITRO TOWING, INC.	34542	MARKAM TRANSPORT INC
33787	BEST MOVING & STORAGE COMPANY	34575	DOUBLE UP TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS LLC
33795	JIM LOWE'S TRUCKING AND EXPEDITING	34597	DETROIT AUTO RECOVERY INC.
33825	R & C DRIVEAWAY, LLC	34604	GREAT LAKES TOWING & REPAIR
33827	TREV'S TRUCKING INC.	34606	TWO JAY'S TRUCKING LLC
33832	HATFIELD & SONS LLC	34618	LARAWAY & SONS
33851	JTW TRANSPORT, INC.	34625	PCH EXCAVATING & CONCRETE
33875	R & J FORREST PRODUCTS, INC.	34636	M.J. MURRAY CO.
33881	CASUAL TRUCKING	34663	OPPORTUNE TRANSPORTATION, L.L.C.
33885	RMM TRANSPORT	34693	MIDWEST SPEEDWAGEN
33889	S.R.J. EXPEDITE U.S.A. LLC	34710	HANS EXCAVATING, INC.
33898	EVERGREEN TOWING AND RECOVERY		
33910	OUTLAW TRANSPORT		
33916	KWK TRUCKING, LLC		
33920	RIVER VALLEY AUTO		

Total Number of Carriers Identified: 318

# MPSC GRANTS TEMPORARY OPERATING AUTHORITY TO CERTAIN MOTOR CARRIERS

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter, on the Commission’s own motion,	)	
granting temporary motor carrier authority	)	
to certain applicants requesting a permanent	)	Case No. T-1865
certificate of authority under MCL 476.3.)	)	
_____	)	

At the January 26, 2012 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing, Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. John D. Quackenbush, Chairman  
Hon. Orjiakor N. Isiogu, Commissioner  
Hon. Greg R. White, Commissioner

### ORDER

Under the Motor Carrier Act, MCL 475.1 *et seq.* (the Act), a motor carrier must obtain a certificate of authority from the Commission before transporting property upon the public highways of this state. To receive a certificate of authority, a motor carrier must file an application with the Commission, which is then reviewed to determine if various conditions outlined in the Act and applicable rules have been met. The certificate terminates on December 31 of the calendar year during which the certificate is issued. Applications for renewal must be submitted prior to termination and after October 1 of the same year. MCL 479.10.

On July 26, 2011, the Commission office, including the Motor Carrier Division, suffered extensive flood damage to its leased office space and was forced to relocate. Due in part to myriad logistical issues caused by the flood, many of the renewal applications for 2012 were not timely received. Those who did not timely file their renewal applications must begin a new application process to receive authority. The Commission treats any new application for certificate of authority as an application for temporary authority to operate until a final determination is made.

The Commission is convinced that those applicants who held 2011 certificates of authority, failed to timely apply for renewal, but apply for new certificate of authority for 2012 and received by March 1, 2012, should be granted temporary authority to provide transportation services as requested in their 2012 application, provided that they have proof of applicable insurance and a safety clearance.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that any “person” as defined under the Motor Carrier Act that held a certificate of authority for 2011, applies for a new certificate of authority for the 2012 calendar year and received by March 1, 2012, and meets the conditions of this order is granted temporary authority to operate consistent with the terms and conditions of its 2011 certificate of authority.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## NEW LEGISLATION UPDATE – PUBLIC ACT 111 OF 2011

### Companies towing and/or transporting vehicles Intrastate (point to point within Michigan) are now required to obtain MPSC Operating Authority.

Public Act 111 of 2011 amended the Motor Carrier Act by mandating the Public Service Commission regulate all towing and motor vehicle transporters. Effective January 1, 2012, all businesses that transport vehicles for hire as a part of their business operations are subject to the Michigan Motor Carrier Act and must obtain intrastate operating authority from the Michigan Public Service Commission. All previously existing exemptions for towing companies have been eliminated from the law.

Any business operating a commercial motor vehicle, for hire, that transports vehicles intrastate must obtain operating authority. This includes towing companies, repossession operations, repair facilities, auto auctions, and dealerships.

The initial application fee is \$100.00 per carrier. Upon completion of the application process, vehicle specific cab cards and decals are issued for each registered vehicle in the carrier's fleet used in for-hire operations. The decals and cab cards are valid January 1 through December 31 of each year, and must be renewed by the carrier. The price for each set of decals and cab cards is \$100.00 annually.

Failure to register is a misdemeanor punishable with a fine up to \$500.00 and/or 90 days in jail.

Additional applications may be found on the Motor Carrier page under 'forms' or by calling 517-241-6030.

## APPROVED APPLICATIONS

From January 10, 2012 through January 24, 2012 the following applications were approved under the provisions of the Motor Carrier Act, 1933 PA 254, as amended (the Act), MCL 475.1 et seq., and the rules and regulations of the Commission. Each applicant has submitted a written verification to support its request for issuance of a motor carrier certificate.

Therefore, it is ordered that, subject to the conditions set forth in this order, the applications for motor carrier certificates are granted.

### GENERAL COMMODITIES APPLICANT

### FILE NUMBER

Alexander Transport, Inc.	29417
Swartz Investments, Inc., d/b/a Larry's Service & Towing	31599
Craig's Auto Electric, Inc.	34768
Palmer Service, Inc.	34822
Gregory B Riley, d/b/a Greg's Hook	34826
ABC Toledo, LLC, d/b/a ABC Detroit-Toledo	34836
Blackhawk Recovery and Investigations, LLC	34841
Plumbrook Autocare of Sterling Inc.	34842
Peter J. Albrecht, d/b/a Petes Auto Wrecking	34843
Pickleman's Performance, Inc.	34844
Hookline Towing Inc.	34845
Adins Expediting LLC	34846
Manheim Remarketing, Inc.	34847
DRW Expediting, LLC	34849
George Russell, d/b/a Maple Rapids Auto Parts	34850
National Trailer Center of Michigan, Inc.	34852
Homrich Garage, Inc.	34853
City Wide Towing, Inc.	34854
Angela L. Barham & Mack Dunaway, d/b/a Taker Towing/Taker Radiator Repair Shop	34856
Bullet Auto & Truck Service Center, LLC	34857
Ronald D Lordy, d/b/a Lordy's	34860
Chuck Renze Ford, LLC	34861

### CHANGE OF NAME APPLICANT

### FILE NUMBER

McKays Repair Service LLC change name to:	24706
McKays Towing LLC	24706
A & N Trucking Services, Inc., d/b/a A & A Transport, Inc. change name to:	32669
Capital Trucking, Inc.	32669

## DISMISSED APPLICATIONS

From January 10, 2012 through January 24, 2012 the following applications were dismissed for failure to comply or by request of the applicant under the provisions of the Motor Carrier Act, 1933 PA 254, as amended (the Act), MCL 475.1 et seq., and the rules and regulations of the Commission. The applications were filed and appropriately processed; however, the applicant either failed to comply or requested a withdrawal of the application.

Therefore, it is ordered that the applications are dismissed without prejudice.

### DISMISSAL (failure to comply)

### FILE NUMBER

Gary Michael MacNeil & Shawn Orlan Blackledge, d/b/a Flushing Transit System	33978
Better Business Management, Inc, d/b/a BBM Moving change name to: Better Business Management, Inc.	34521
Capital Trucking, Inc.	34603
Anthony Abe Incorporated Company (Household Goods)	34621
Greg's Roofing & Siding, Inc.	34637
Edward Lee Fritts, d/b/a Centerline Trucking	34650
Trident Trade Group LLC, d/b/a Trident Transport	34715
Hubert Lewiel, d/b/a Hubert's Towing and Auto Repair	34749
GLFS, Inc., d/b/a Designer Furniture Services (Household Goods)	34751

## Unified Carrier Registration (UCR)

**\*\*\*\*2012 UCR REGISTRATION OPENED OCTOBER 1, 2011 \*\*\*\***

**\*\*ENFORCEMENT OF 2010 and 2011 UCR IS IN EFFECT, CITATIONS FOR NON-COMPLIANCE ARE BEING ISSUED. \*\***

### **What is Unified Carrier Registration?**

The Unified Carrier Registration (UCR) is a base-state system for registering Interstate Motor Carriers with vehicles having GVWR or GVW over 10,000 lbs., including private, for-hire, and exempt carriers; farmers operating in interstate commerce; and brokers, freight forwarders, and leasing companies.

The UCR registration requirement is enforced on motor carriers for the current year and the previous two UCR registration years. Please ensure that you have registered for 2010 and 2011 UCR when registering for 2012 UCR, if you are registered with the FMCSA as a motor carrier conducting interstate operations during that time.

### FEES UNDER THE UNIFIED CARRIER REGISTRATION PLAN AND AGREEMENT FOR REGISTRATION YEARS 2010, 2011, 2012

Bracket	Number of CMVs owned or operated by exempt or non-exempt motor carrier, motor private carrier, or freight forwarder	Fee per entity for exempt or non-exempt motor carrier, motor private carrier, or freight forwarder	Fee per entity for broker or leasing company
B1	0-2	\$ 76	\$ 76
B2	3-5	\$ 227	--
B3	6-20	\$ 452	--
B4	21-100	\$ 1,576	--
B5	101-1,000	\$ 7,511	--
B6	1,001 and above	\$73,346	--

### **How do you apply and pay for your UCR registration?**

To register online go to: [www.ucr.in.gov](http://www.ucr.in.gov) and pay by credit card. Otherwise, to obtain additional information or to obtain a hard copy of the application call (517) 241-6030 or visit [www.michigan.gov/mpsc](http://www.michigan.gov/mpsc) under the "Motor Carrier" tab in the "Forms" area.

## APPLICATIONS FOR GENERAL COMMODITY AUTHORITY

The following companies have submitted an application for an intrastate Motor Carrier Certificate. This Certificate, if granted by the Commission, will be issued for the transportation of all commodities, except Household Goods, to all points in the State of Michigan.

All applications for operating authority include application for temporary authority. Notification in the bulletin of an application for operating authority constitutes notification for temporary authority.

A motor carrier filing a protest to an application shall submit a fee of \$50. Any protest submitted without the required fee will be returned.

A protest, to an application other than a temporary application, shall be filed with the Commission within twenty (20) calendar days of the publication of the application. A protest to temporary authority shall be filed within ten (10) calendar days of the publication of the application.

A submitted protest shall include a certificate of service verifying the date the protest was mailed by first class mail or served in person upon the applicant or the applicant's representative. Failure to file a protest in a timely manner waives participation in the proceeding.

Protests of these applications are limited to safety and insurance reasons only.

### GENERAL COMMODITIES - ORIGINAL

MPSC #	CARRIER	CITY, STATE	USDOT#
# 35075	A-1 MECHANICS INC.	ROSEVILLE, MI	2251340
# 35053	Mohanad Habash, d/b/a AMARI'S TOWING	HAZEL PARK, MI	2019667
# 35094	Terry L. Schramm, d/b/a AUTO REPAIR, RADIATORS & AIR CONDITIONING	BRECKENRIDGE, MI	1995761
# 35084	BARNEY'S AUTO SERVICE, INC.	WARREN, MI	1726445
# 35034	Motown Harley-Davidson, Inc., d/b/a BIKER BOB'S HARLEY-DAVIDSON MOTOWN	TAYLOR, MI	1806242
# 35095	BOWDEN BODY SHOP, INC.	LENNON, MI	2007736
# 34832	BREWER SALVAGE LLC	EATON RAPIDS, MI	1784278
# 33141	HBIC Enterprises, Inc., d/b/a BURTON CITY TOWING	BURTON, MI	1765639
# 34954	Charles White C&C TOWING SERVICE	DETROIT, MI	1885088
# 35063	CERTIFIED AUTO L.L.C.	GRAND BLANC, MI	1537939
# 35040	Chris Chaplinski, d/b/a CHAP'S AUTO REPAIR	FILION, MI	1720088
# 35041	David Copeland, d/b/a DAVE'S AUTO SALES	FILION, MI	1979892
# 34484	William Selep, d/b/a DOA TOWING	FRASER, MI	1538545
# 35073	E&M AUTO PARTS, LLC	CANTON, MI	1871586
# 33688	Bahjet Kagoga, d/b/a EEKARA TOWING	SHELBY TWP, MI	1709305
# 35066	James A & Emma L Elkie, d/b/a ELKIE'S COLLISION	HILLMAN, MI	1835566
# 35043	Emery Harris & Roxanne Cameron, d/b/a ER RECOVERY	ATTICA, MI	1953484
# 35078	FLATOUT TOWING LLC	SOUTHFIELD, MI	2256047
# 21797	FOUR D TRUCKING, INC.	MARION, MI	363510
# 35057	G & G AUTO SERVICE, INC.	REDFORD, MI	1786817
# 34953	Gregory Hertz GREG'S TOWING & RECOVERY	WARREN, MI	1687078
# 35038	HESS AUTOMOTIVE LLC	REESE, MI	1892651
# 35044	HI-QUALITY TOWING, INC.	DEARBORN, MI	1071633
# 35064	HOWARD'S TOWING AND COLLISION, L.L.C.	WAYNE, MI	1810043
# 35051	JESS'S SERVICE CENTERS, INC.	GROSSE POINTE PARK, MI	535059
# 34949	James Avery JIM AVERY ENTERPRISES	LAPEER, MI	1812184
# 35076	Certified Towing & Recovery, Inc., d/b/a JOE'S TOWING & RECOVERY	MILFORD, MI	2188662
# 35062	JORDAN'S TOWING & TIRE LLC	STANDISH, MI	2260069
# 35074	KEN'S TOWING & HAULING, INC.	BROWNSTOWN, MI	1732241
# 35054	Robert Brian Lepley, d/b/a LEPLEY & SONS TOWING	OWOSSO, MI	1694541
# 35048	LOU'S AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE, INC.	HADLEY, MI	2110662
# 35091	Michael Jebb, d/b/a M & B RECOVERY	WHITE CLOUD, MI	1846585
# 35056	Manheim Remarketing, Inc., d/b/a MANHEIM DETROIT	CARLETON, MI	1760012
# 35085	MASTERS AUTO PARTS INC.	DETROIT, MI	2267070
# 35089	Larry Balone Inc., d/b/a METRO TOWING	WATERFORD, MI	1693148
# 35083	MICHIGAN AUTO RECOVERY SERVICE INC.	DETROIT, MI	1824101
# 35036	MORAN'S TOWING, INC.	DUNDEE, MI	1680458
# 35060	NA'CAEL'S TOWING INC.	DETROIT, MI	1730286
# 34374	NORTH STAR RECOVERY LLC	DORR, MI	1845117

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# APPLICATIONS FOR GENERAL COMMODITY AUTHORITY

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MPSC #	CARRIER	CITY, STATE	USDOT#
# 21687	OFFICIAL TOWING, INC.	ST CLAIR SHORES, MI	526948
# 35090	PACE TRAILER SALES AND SERVICE, INC.	BYRON CENTER, MI	1318896
# 35081	PARDIAC TOWING AND RECOVERY LLC	BRIGHTON, MI	2051297
# 28070	PAUL'S AUTO & TIRE REPAIR, LLC	HART, MI	1606399
# 35080	PEPINO'S MUFFLER & TOWING L.L.C.	GRAND RAPIDS, MI	1852423
# 35092	QUINN'S TIRES & TOWS, INC.	LUDINGTON, MI	1772403
# 34914	R & M HOLLISTER TRUCKING LLC	BRONSON, MI	1992998
# 35037	Mainstay Motors Inc., d/b/a RED'S TOWING SERVICE	DETROIT, MI	2211477
# 35035	REPOSSESSION MANAGEMENT SERVICES, LLC	GRAND RAPIDS, MI	1647237
# 35097	Luciano Roman, d/b/a ROMANS CORE BUYER	GRAND RAPIDS, MI	2261066
# 35093	RUDELL REPAIR, INC.	HARTFORD, MI	1042886
# 35096	Ryan's Hubbell Auto Parts, Inc., d/b/a RYAN'S AUTO PARTS	DETROIT, MI	1814912
# 35052	S.E. FREIGHT SYSTEMS OF MICHIGAN LLC	SOUTHGATE, MI	2208049
# 33209	SITE SUPPLY, INC.	ROMULUS, MI	1525195
# 34965	SOBESKI'S TOWING, LLC	BRONSON, MI	1721491
# 34926	Ibrahim Raad STALLION TOWING, INC.	DEARBORN HEIGHTS, MI	1725475
# 35039	T-CAR, INC.	MONTAGUE, MI	1870288
# 34915	Dillon-1 Inc., d/b/a TEL TWELVE TOWING SVC	SOUTHFIELD, MI	1790768
# 35088	TEL-FORD SERVICE, INC.	DEARBORN HEIGHTS, MI	2206150
# 35050	THUNDER VALLEY POWERSPORTS, INC.	LIVONIA, MI	
# 35045	TIM'S TOWING L.L.C.	HOLLAND, MI	1840331
# 35059	Thomas E. Mackley Jr., d/b/a TM TOWING	SAGINAW, MI	1712485
# 35055	TRAILER CONNECTION LLC	CARLETON, MI	1743596
# 34972	Dennis Darnell Daniel d/b/a TRIPLE D'S TOWING	STERLING HEIGHTS, MI	1531599
# 35032	U.P. OFF ROAD & PERFORMANCE, INC.	NEGAUNEE, MI	1674815
# 35042	VALLEY COLLISION, LLC	UBLY, MI	1626210
# 35061	YOUNG CHEVROLET, CADILLAC, INC.	OWOSSO, MI	1671346

## GENERAL COMMODITIES - NAME CHANGE

MPSC #	CARRIER	CITY, STATE	USDOT#
# 34006	Gail Phelps & Ralph Hamilton, d/b/a HAMILTON'S RECOVERY To:		
# 34006	RALPH & GAIL HAMILTON, D/B/A HAMILTON TOWING	ALLEGAN, MI	1777810

# APPLICATIONS FOR HOUSEHOLD GOODS AUTHORITY

The following companies have submitted an application for an intrastate Motor Carrier Certificate. This Certificate, if granted by the Commission, will be issued for the transportation of all commodities to all points in the State of Michigan and would include the transportation of Household Goods as specified.

All applications for operating authority include application for temporary authority. Notification in the bulletin of an application for operating authority constitutes notification for temporary authority.

A motor carrier filing a protest to an application shall submit a fee of \$50. Any protest submitted without the required fee will be returned.

A protest, to an application other than a temporary application, shall be filed with the Commission within twenty (20) calendar days of the publication of the application. A protest to temporary authority shall be filed within ten (10) calendar days of the publication of the application.

A submitted protest shall include a certificate of service verifying the date the protest was mailed by first class mail or served in person upon the applicant or the applicant's representative. Failure to file a protest in a timely manner waives participation in the proceeding.

Protests of these applications are limited to safety and insurance reasons only.

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS - ORIGINAL

MPSC #	CARRIER	CITY, STATE	USDOT#
# 35058	MIKE & LOUIS PIANO MOVING ENGINEERS, INC. HOUSEHOLD GOODS to be transported ONLY within forty (40) miles from point of origin to point of destination LOCAL MOVES ONLY within the State of Michigan. GENERAL COMMODITIES between all points within the State of Michigan.	PONTIAC, MI	1700991
#L-23906	PROFESSIONAL MOVING SERVICE LLC HOUSEHOLD GOODS between all points within the State of Michigan. GENERAL COMMODITIES between all points within the State of Michigan.	JACKSON, MI	1628273

## CERTIFICATES

MPSC #	CARRIER	USDOT#
# 34807	AUTO WORLD RECOVERY & TOWING INC	2204228
# 34766	William R Knauf, d/b/a BILL KNAUF & SON	1785658
# 34784	BRIGHTON TRANSPORT OR TOWING LLC	1742600
# 34772	Robert J. Campbell, Jr., d/b/a CAMPBELL'S AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE	1811057
# 34763	Jeff Bassett, d/b/a J. BASSETT'S TOWING & AUTO REPAIR	2101634
# 34590	JP'S PIANO MOVING, LLC	1747538
# 34795	LARRY FARMER & SONS TRUCKING CO.	1518792
# 34794	MICHIGAN TOURNAMENT FLEET, INC.	1574982
# 34399	MIDWEST AUTO AUCTION, INC.	1787424
# 34812	SAWGLE TRUCKING, LLC	1556113

## INSURANCE

As of 01/25/2012, the following carriers had no insurance on file with the MPSC in violation of Rules 1101-1103:

MPSC#	CARRIER	CITY, STATE	USDOT#
24598	JOHN JOSEPH STACK, SR., DBA ABC TOWING	COMSTOCK PARK, MI	1360160
33703	AMERICAN EXCAVATING CONTRACTORS LLC	DETROIT, MI	1601011
25449	WERNER KNEIP, DBA BUSY BEAVERS MOVING SERVICE	PORT HURON, MI	
24779	C.W.'S TOWING, INC.	WATERFORD, MI	1693163
21099	DAILY EXPRESS INC	CLAWSON, MI	2251550
25966	E F S CO. INCORPORATED	WOODHAVEN, MI	603735
20901	VERO FRADY FRADY'S PACKAGE EXPRESS	DETROIT, MI	
28755	GALLY TRUCKING INC.	ROYAL OAK, MI	1490611
33483	GEROU EXCAVATING, INC.	MUNISING, MI	495968
33848	Barry Hall, d/b/a HALL'S TRUCKING	SOUTHFIELD, MI	1875701
34240	HAYES LAND CORPORATION	DETROIT, MI	1795797
30065	HOME SET CONSTRUCTION, INC.	UNION CITY, MI	817667
34727	Donald Ogle Jr., d/b/a ORCHARD LAKE TOWING	WEST BLOOMFIELD, MI	1963975
26233	JAMES W. POST D/B/A POST'S CUSTOM HAULING HART, MI		621141
32529	Raymond Steinhaus and Linda J Steinhaus d/b/a RAY'S AUTO REPAIR & TOWING	COLOMA, MI	1285972
34469	SILVERBACK MOVING LLC	BIRMINGHAM, MI	2054813
27752	WEBB TRUCKING INC.	WESTLAND, MI	754790

## INTRASTATE USDOT NUMBERING PROGRAM

In accordance with Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSR § 390.21(c)(1)), the display of a USDOT number on a commercial motor vehicles must *"appear on both sides of the self propelled CMV"*. A commercial motor vehicle is any self-propelled or towed motor vehicle that has a gross vehicle weight rating or gross combination weight rating, gross vehicle weight, or gross combination weight of 10,001 pounds or more, whichever is greater.

The USDOT # is available free of charge and is easy to obtain via telephone or online. The phone number to call is 1-888-464-8736. The hours of operation are Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 12:00 noon and 1:00 pm – 4:30 pm. This web site has step-by-step instructions in obtaining a USDOT number or updating an existing registration:

<http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/registration-licensing/online-registration/onlineregdescription.htm>

This service involves **no fee** and provides step-by-step explanation and guidance to complete registration. Upon completion of all requested information, carriers will be issued their unique USDOT number while on line. The screen displaying the assigned USDOT number should be printed and a copy retained in your file. A USDOT notification letter will be sent to you by mail.

## Commercial Motor Vehicle (CMV) Hand-Held Mobile Telephone Ban 49 CFR Parts 177, 383, 384, 390, 391, and 392

The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) and the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), DOT (FMCSA and PHMSA) are amending the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSRs) and the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR) to restrict the use of hand-held mobile telephones by drivers of commercial motor vehicles (CMVs). This rulemaking will improve safety on the Nation's highways by reducing the prevalence of distracted driving related crashes, fatalities, and injuries involving drivers of CMVs.

### Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: What is the effective date of the Mobile Telephone rule?**

A: The effective date of the rule is January 3, 2012.

**Q: Are wired or wireless earpieces allowed?**

A: Yes. Hands-free use of a mobile telephone is allowed using either a wired or wireless earpiece, or the speakerphone function of the mobile telephone. Wireless connection of the mobile telephone to the vehicle for hands-free operation of the telephone, which would allow the use of single-button controls on the steering wheel or dashboard, would also be allowed.

**Q: Are CMV drivers allowed to use push-to-talk mobile communications equipment while driving?**

A: Yes. Provided the driver does not reach for, dial, or hold the actual mobile telephone in his/her hand while driving and the driver is able to touch the button needed to operate the push-to-talk feature from the normal seated position with the safety belt fastened. Generally, the use of this type of communications equipment does not require drivers to take their eyes off of the forward roadway because the button used to enable the driver to communicate can be operated from the normal seated position with the safety belt fastened. For example, if the mobile phone is mounted in a cradle or similar device near the driver, or there is a remote push-to-talk button near the vehicle controls to allow the driver to communicate without reaching for, dialing, or holding the actual mobile telephone in his/her hands while driving, the equipment may be used.

**Q: Are holders of a commercial driver's license (CDL) subject to the regulation only when driving a CMV, as defined in 49 CFR 383.5, or any vehicle?**

A: CDL holders are subject to the Federal rule only when driving a CMV.

**Q: What drivers are covered by the Federal rule: intrastate or interstate? CDL holders? All CMVs?**

A: The rule covers both drivers of CMVs in interstate and intrastate commerce (vehicles with a GVWR or CGVWR greater than 10,000 pounds). Also drivers who operate a vehicle transporting a quantity of hazardous materials requiring placarding under 49 CFR Part 172 or any quantity of a material listed as a select agent or toxin in 42 CFR part 73.

If a CMV driver is employed by the State or a political subdivision of the State (e.g., county, city, township, etc.), FMCSA safety regulations (part 382, 391, 392, 393) apply, even if the driver is only engaged in intrastate transportation.

**Q: What is required of the employer in terms of company policy or training?**

A: The rule does not require motor carriers to establish written policies in terms of company policy or training programs for their drivers. However, employers are prohibited from allowing or requiring their drivers to use hand-held mobile phones. A motor carrier may establish policies or practices that make it clear that the employer does not require or allow hand-held mobile telephone use while driving a CMV in interstate and intrastate commerce. The carrier is responsible for its drivers' conduct.

**Q: Is dialing a phone number allowed under this rule?**

A: No. Dialing a mobile telephone while operating a CMV in interstate commerce is prohibited by the rule. A driver can initiate, answer, or terminate a call by touching a single button on a mobile telephone, earpiece, steering wheel, or instrument panel – comparable to using vehicle controls or instrument panel functions, such as the radio or climate control system.

**Q: Can a driver reach for a mobile telephone even if he/she intends to use the hands-free function?**

A: No. In order to comply with this rule, a driver must have his or her mobile telephone located where the driver is able to initiate, answer, or terminate a call by touching a single button while the driver is in the seated driving position and properly restrained by a seat belt. If the mobile telephone is not close to the driver and operable while the driver is restrained by properly installed and adjusted seat belts, then the driver is considered to be reaching for the mobile phone, which is prohibited by the rule.

**Q: Are tow trucks exempt?**

A: No. The operations of a tow truck that meets the definition of a CMV are not exempt. Tow trucks, however, are exempt when responding to police emergencies in accordance with 49 CFR 390.23(a)(3).

[FMCSA Web Site: Restricting the Use of Cellular Phones](#)

## Important Notice

# MSPC Biweekly Information Bulletin – Electronic Mailing

Beginning September 26, 2011, the MPSC Information Bulletin will no longer be provided by regular U.S. mail. Many motor carriers have subscribed to the "Bulletin by Email" program. Due to the success of this program and ever increasing costs associated with printing and mailing the bulletins on a biweekly basis, the MPSC will transition into providing the bulletin solely through electronic means. The bulletin will continue to be available at the MPSC web site [www.michigan.gov/mpsc](http://www.michigan.gov/mpsc) under "Motor Carrier."

Biweekly Bulletins will be mailed to Carriers until their email listing has been activated or the September 26, 2011 deadline is surpassed. For those Carriers that are not current subscribers or for Carriers needing to change their current email, it is imperative that you provide us with your contact information by sending an email to: [mpsc\\_mcbulletin@michigan.gov](mailto:mpsc_mcbulletin@michigan.gov). Enter "Subscribe to Emails" in the subject line and provide our office with your email address, MPSC #, MC# & USDOT # if applicable. Those carriers wishing to receive a paper copy of the bulletin after September 26, 2011 must provide this request in writing. Mail request to:

Michigan Public Service Commission  
Motor Carrier Division  
6545 Mercantile Way, Suite 1  
Lansing, Michigan 48911

### MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION WEB SITE INFORMATION

Information, forms, and quick links to related motor carrier web sites may be obtained by accessing the Commission web site at [www.michigan.gov/mpsc](http://www.michigan.gov/mpsc) and clicking on the Motor Carrier tab.

## OFFICE HOURS

*The MPSC Office will be CLOSED on  
Monday February 20<sup>th</sup>*

### BUSINESS HOURS

Monday - Friday:  
8:00 A.M. – Noon  
1:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Transactions submitted after 11:30 A.M. may not be processed until after 1:00 P.M.; transactions submitted after 4:30 P.M. may not be processed until after 8:00 A.M. the next scheduled state work day.

The following listing of personnel and their respective contact numbers is provided to assist you in identifying personnel dealing with your specific concerns.

Director, Motor Carrier Division.....	(517)241-6175
Executive Secretary to the Director.....	(517)241-6175
Division General Inquiry Line.....	(517)241-6030
Division Secretary.....	(517)241-6030

Motor Carrier Regulation Safety & Compliance Section.....	(517)241-6030
Authority Applications.....	(517)241-6042
Safety Reviews.....	(517)241-4057
Complaints	(517)241-6042
Moving Company Rates, Tariffs & Annual Reports Concerns and Complaints.....	(517)241-9770

Motor Carrier Credentials & Customer Service Section.....	(517)241-6030
Decal Processing.....	(517)241-6034
or.....	(517)241-6045
Intrastate Authority Renewals.....	(517)241-6030
Insurance Processing.....	(517)241-6030

Unified Carrier Registration.....	(517)241-6030
Intrastate USDOT Number Application	(888)464-8736
Plate Room Transactions.....	(517)241-6034
or.....	(517)241-6045
Fax - Plate Room Location.....	(517)241-6032
Alternate Fax Connections.....	(517)241-6031
Request Line for Authority Application Packets.....	(517)241-6035

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