

WALTON COUNTY CITIZENS TO SEE FEE INCREASES AT TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE ON SEPTEMBER 1

The legislative enacted fee increases will affect
motor vehicle and hunting and fishing transactions.

ALL INCREASES GO TO STATE'S GENERAL REVENUE FUND.

The Florida Legislature voted in May to significantly increase the fees associated with several services offered by Tax Collectors. Many of the transaction fees have more than doubled in cost. The revenues generated from the fee increases will be remitted back to the State for the general revenue fund. None of these increased fees will stay at the local level to fund local services.

Citizens can expect to see increases in vehicle tag and titling fees as well as hunting and fishing permit fees.

A full list of the fee increases is available at
www.waltontaxcollector.com.

"I'm disappointed the legislature has chosen to approve such significant fee increases at a time when citizens across the state are already struggling financially."

**-Rhonda Skipper,
Walton County Tax Collector**

SNAPSHOT OF SOME OF THE MOST SIGNIFICANT FEE INCREASES

Transaction	Old Cost	New Cost*	% Change
Original Certificate of Title	\$ 24.00	\$ 70.00	192%
Original Certificate of Title (Motor Vehicle for Hire Lease)	\$ 3.00	\$ 49.00	1533%
Duplicate copy of Certificate of Title	\$ 24.00	\$ 70.00	192%
Duplicate Certificate of Title (Motor Vehicle for Hire Lease)	\$ 3.00	\$ 49.00	1533%
Salvage Certificate of Title	\$ 2.00	\$ 3.00	50%
Subsequent Exam for Certificate of Title for Rebuilt Car (Additional Fee)	\$ -	\$ 20.00	
Fast Title	\$ 7.00	\$ 10.00	43%
FRIVIS Fee	\$ 0.50	\$ 1.25	150%
Registration Service Charge	\$ 2.50	\$ 5.00	100%
Retroreflection material charge	\$ 0.50	\$ 1.25	150%
Replacement License Plate, sticker or decal	\$ 10.00	\$ 28.00	180%
Initial Vehicle Registration Fee	\$ 100.00	\$ 225.00	125%
Service Charge - Issuance of License Place Validation Sticker, Vessel Decal and Mobile Home Sticker	\$ 1.00	\$ 3.00	200%

* Cost noted does not include the local service fee for the Tax Collector's Office, which varies per transaction and will not increase from the current rates.



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