

Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles
ATTN: Compliance
P.O. Box 16725
Columbus, OH 43216-6725



OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
OHIO BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES

APPLICATION – FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY SURETY BOND SECURED BY REAL ESTATE

(Ohio Revised Code [R.C.] 4509.59)

INSTRUCTIONS

Proof of financial responsibility as required by R.C. Chapter 4509 may be shown by a surety bond in the amount of \$30,000.00 signed by two individuals who own real estate in Ohio having equity of at least \$60,000.00.

The bond shall be:

1. In the amount of \$30,000.00;
2. Signed by two individuals who own Ohio real estate having equity of at least \$60,000.00;
3. Completed in full, including the legal description of the real estate;
4. Duly notarized;
5. Approved by a Judge of a court of record (county court, municipal court, or common pleas court);
6. Accompanied by a check or money order made payable to the County Recorder for the county in which the real estate is located in the amount of \$10.00 (This amount may change. Please confirm the correct amount with the County Recorder before submitting the check or money order to the BMV).

FIRST SURETY NAME		OHIO DRIVER LICENSE OR ID NUMBER
STREET ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
SECOND SURETY NAME		OHIO DRIVER LICENSE OR ID NUMBER
STREET ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
MARKET VALUE OF REAL ESTATE PER COUNTY AUDITOR	CURRENT BALANCES OF ALL MORTGAGES	
CURRENT BALANCES OF ALL LIENS	CURRENT EQUITY	

After the bond is completed, notarized, and approved by a Judge of a court of record, send this application, the bond, and the check or money order to:

Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles
Office of Driver Services - Compliance
P.O. Box 16520
Columbus, Ohio 43216-6520

If you have any questions, you may contact the BMV at the above address or by telephone at (614) 752-7019.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY BOND AND LIEN

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES – R.C. 4509.59

The undersigned Sureties are obligated to the State of Ohio, Bureau of Motor Vehicles, in the amount of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) for payment of which we bind ourselves and our successors, heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally. This Bond is given in accordance with R.C. 4509.59.

Upon acceptance by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles and recording by the County Recorder, this Bond shall constitute a lien in favor of the State of Ohio upon the real estate and the lien shall exist in favor of any holder of a final judgment against any person who filed the Bond, for damages arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use of any motor vehicle for damages, including damages for care and loss of services because of bodily injury to or death of any person, or for damages because of injury to or destruction of property, including the loss of use thereof, or upon a cause of action on an agreement or settlement for such damages. The real property subject to this Bond and Lien is:

Situated in the County _____ of _____ in the State of Ohio and described as follows:

Multiple horizontal lines for describing the real property subject to the bond and lien.

Prior Instrument Reference: _____ of the Deed Records of _____ County, Ohio.

The undersigned Sureties hereby certify that their equities in the subject real property are equal to at least Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) in value.

FIRST SURETY'S NAME (Printed)	SECOND SURETY'S NAME (Printed)
FIRST SURETY'S SIGNATURE X	SECOND SURETY'S SIGNATURE X

Notary:

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this _____ day of _____, 20 ____ in _____ County,

State of _____.

(Notary Seal)

Signature of Notary Public **X** _____ My commission expires _____

APPROVED BY A JUDGE OF A COURT OF RECORD

This Financial Responsibility Bond and Lien is hereby approved by:

The Honorable _____,

Judge of the _____ Court.

JUDGE'S SIGNATURE X	DATE
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APPROVED BY THE REGISTRAR OF MOTOR VEHICLES

This Financial Responsibility Bond and Lien is hereby approved on behalf of the Registrar of Motor Vehicles by:

APPROVER'S NAME	APPROVER'S TITLE
APPROVER'S SIGNATURE X	DATE

Prepared by and return to: Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles
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