

Registration and Title System

County Release Notes

Release 26.1 Release



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Version	Date	Description	Author
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About the Release

These Release Notes contain information about new features, enhancements, and reported issues resolved in this release of the Registration and Title System Point of Sale (RTS POS).



Release Notes are located under the **Release Notes & Support** tab on the TAC Hub (www.txdmv.gov/tax-assessor-collectors).

RTS POS Overview

The refactored RTS POS is a web-based application designed to process vehicle registrations, titles, and temporary permits for Texas motorists. RTS POS provides functions for cash accounting, funds allocations, and a full audit trail along with inventory control for license plates, windshield/plate stickers, and temporary permits.

Getting Help

When logged in to the RTS POS, you can display reference information about using the RTS POS and get specific application-level help.

- To get application-level help, click **Help** on the page you are viewing.
- To see the entire user assistance web site, select Help > User Guide on the main page menu bar.

Additional Resources



For additional resources for the RTS POS, see the TAC hub (<u>www.txdmv.gov/tax-assessor-collectors</u>). Open the **Resources** tab, select **Publications & Manuals** | **TAC** | **RTS Support**.





Summary of Enhancements 72-Hour and 144-Hour Temp

RRTS 36737	72-Hour and 144-Hour Temp Permits - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS
RRTS 36742	MVIPay - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS
RRTS 36747	RTS (RSC CCI) - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS
RRTS 36752	TxT - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS (awaiting)
RRTS 38106	(SB1568) Spay Neuter Adopt - State Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38107	(HB3135) Retired Firefighters - State Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38108	(SB927) Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal - Military Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38324	(HB3815) U.S. Army Rangers - Military Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38109	(HB3815) 75th Army Ranger Regiment - Military Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38205	(SB2141) State and Federal Judge Unmarked - State Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38234	(HB791) Central Catholic High School of San Antonio - State Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38174	(SB2001) Disabled Peace Officer - State Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38302	(SB2001) Placards requirement and Disabled Peace Officer (ISA) Specialty License Plate
RRTS 38244	(HB2686) Frac Tank plate
RRTS 37230	HB 3297 Default to 2 YR expiration month/year for new vehicles that are eligible for 2 YR registration
RRTS 38115	HB 718 IMS Inventory Plate Condition Webservice Lookup For MVDI/MVINET Inquires

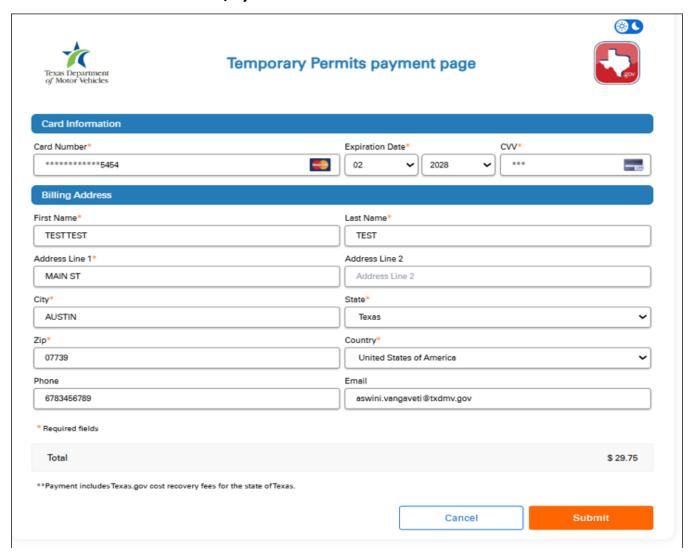


Legislative Enhancements in Release 26.1

The following Enhancements displayed in this section for the 26.1 Release Notes are mainly focused on change in the vendor payment system and other bills.

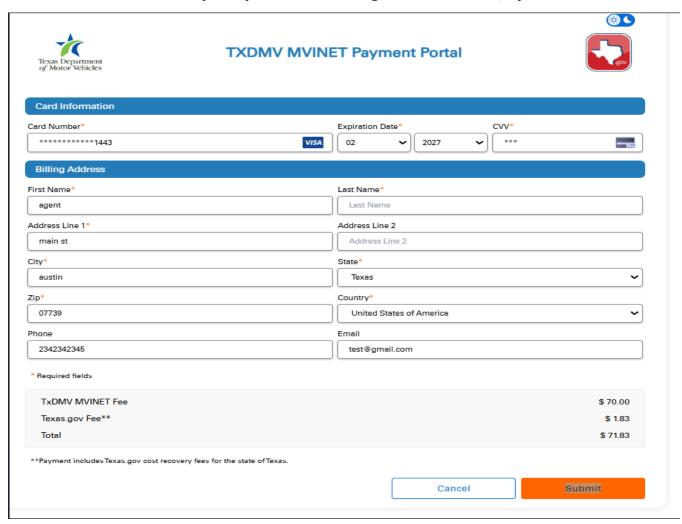
The Department of Information Resources (DIR) has selected First Data Merchant Services (FDMS) as its new Payment Services Provider, replacing NIC/Tyler Tech for webPERMITS, MVINet, payments made through RTS at the Regional Service Centers, and Texas by Texas (TxT). The new payment pages are displayed below:

RRTS 36737 72-Hour and 144-Hour Temp Permits - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS



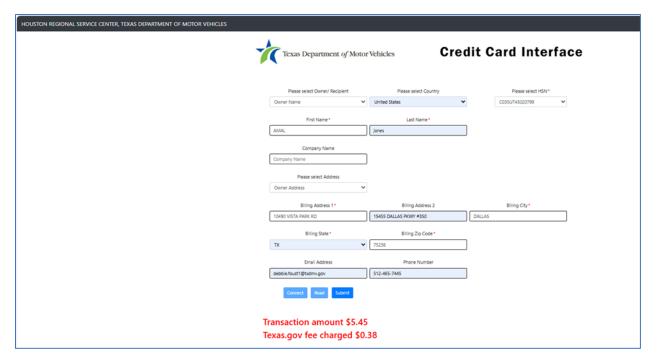


RRTS 36742 MVIPay - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS

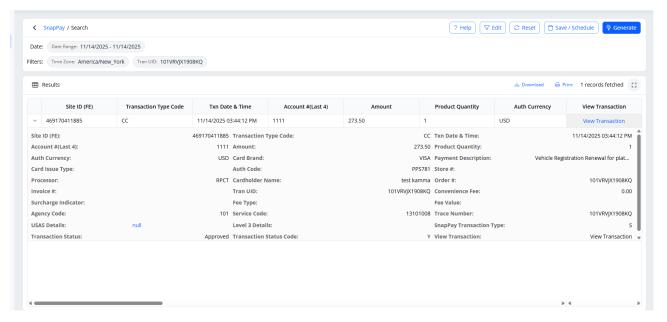




RRTS 36747 RTS (RSC CCI) - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS



RRTS 36752 TxT - Payment vendor migration from NIC/Tyler Tech to FDMS





(SB1568) Spay Neuter Adopt - State Specialty License Plate

The new Spay/Neuter/Adopt Specialty License Plate is now available for purchase on MyPlates.com, and the County TAC office(s), and TxDMV Regional Service Centers. This plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck. Also available to obtain with an ISA symbol.



12 X 6" full size plate, 1/3 graphics, 5 characters and 5 bytes.

Application - VTR-999 Application fee: \$30 Special plates fee: \$8

From the \$30 specialty plate fee, \$22 goes to the Animal Friendly Account.

Replacement fee: \$6

RRTS 38107

(HB3135) Retired Firefighters - State Specialty License Plate

The new Retired Firefighter Specialty License Plate is now available for purchase on MyPlates.com, the County TAC office(s), and TxDMV Regional Service Centers. This plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck, a moped, motorcycle or trailer. Also available to obtain with an ISA symbol.

Passenger/Truck



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.



Trailer



Trailer: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 4 characters and 4 bytes.

Issued to retired volunteer firefighters and fire protection personnel certified by the Texas Commission on Fire Protection or the State Firefighter's and Fire Marshal's Association of Texas.

Application - VTR-311 There is no application fee Replacement fee: \$6



(SB927) Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal - Military Specialty License Plate

The new Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal Specialty License Plates are now available for purchase at the County TAC office(s), and TxDMV Regional Service Centers. This plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck, moped or motorcycle. Also available to obtain with an ISA symbol. Replacement Fee is \$6.

Passenger/Truck



12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 4 characters and 4 bytes.

Application: VTR-421

Users of this plate will NOT pay registration and local fees or the 1st set. Additional sets have no specialty plate fee but will pay registration and local fees.

Disabled Veteran Passenger/Truck





DV Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/8 graphic, 7 characters and 8 bytes.

Disabled Veteran Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 5 characters and 5 bytes.

Disabled Veteran ISA Plate



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/8 graphic, 7 characters and 8 bytes.

Application: VTR-615

The 1st set has a \$3 specialty plate fee and DO NOT pay registration or local fees. Additional sets have no specialty plate fee and will pay registration and local fees.



(HB3815) U.S. Army Rangers - Military Specialty License Plate

The new US Army Ranger Specialty License Plates are now available for purchase at the TAC office(s), and TxDMV Regional Service Centers. This Specialty License Plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck, moped, motorcycle and trailers. Also available to obtain with an ISA symbol. Replacement fee is \$6.

Passenger/Truck



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

Trailer



Trailer: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 4 characters and 4 bytes.

Issued to members that served in the U.S. Army Rangers. Users of this plate will pay registration and local fees.



Disabled Veteran Passenger/Truck



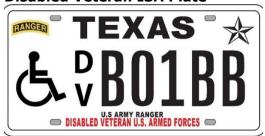
DV Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/8 graphic, 7 characters and 8 bytes.

Disabled Veteran Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 5 characters and 5 bytes.

Disabled Veteran ISA Plate



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/8 graphic, 7 characters and 8 bytes.

Application: VTR-615

The 1st set has a \$3 specialty plate fee and DO NOT pay registration or local fees. Additional sets have no specialty plate fee and will pay registration and local fees.



(HB3815) 75th Army Ranger Regiment - Military Specialty License Plate

The new 75th US Army Ranger Regiment Specialty License Plates are now available for purchase at the County TAC office(s), and TxDMV Regional Service Centers. This plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck, moped or motorcycles and trailers. Also available to obtain with an ISA symbol. Replacement fee is \$6.

Passenger/Truck



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

Trailer



Trailer: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 4 characters and 4 bytes.

Application: VTR-420



Issued to members that served in the U.S. Army Rangers. Users of this plate will pay registration and local fees.

Disabled Veteran Passenger/Truck



DV Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/8 graphic, 7 characters and 8 bytes.

Disabled Veteran Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 5 characters and 5 bytes.

Disabled Veteran ISA Plate



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/8 graphic, 7 characters and 8 bytes.

Application: VTR-615

The 1st set has a \$3 specialty plate fee and DO NOT pay registration or local fees. Additional sets have no specialty plate fee and will pay registration and local fees.



(SB2141) State and Federal Judge Unmarked - State Specialty License Plate

The new State and Federal judge Specialty License Plates are now available for purchase at the TxDMV Headquarters. Renewals are available at the County TAC office(s), and TxDMV Headquarters. This plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck, moped or motorcycle. Also available to obtain with an ISA symbol. Replacement fee is \$6.

State and Federal Judge Passenger/Truck



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

State and Federal Judge Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 4 characters and 4 bytes.

Issued to members that served in the U.S. Army Rangers. Users of this plate will pay registration and local fees.

There is no form, but instead a notification of intent.



(HB791) Central Catholic High School of San Antonio – State Specialty License Plate

The new Central Catholic High School of San Antonio Specialty License Plates are now available for purchase on MyPlates.com, the County TAC office(s) and TxDMV Regional Service Centers. This plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck, moped or motorcycle and trailers. Also available to obtain with an ISA symbol.

Passenger/Truck



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 1/4 graphic, 6 characters and 6 bytes.

Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 4 characters and 4 bytes.

Application: VTR-999 Application fee \$30 Special plates fee \$8

From the \$30 fee, \$22 goes to the General Revenue Fund.

Replacement fee: \$6



(SB2001) Disabled Peace Officer - State Specialty License Plate

The new Disabled Peace Officer Specialty License Plates are now available for purchase at the County TAC office(s) and TxDMV Regional offices. This plate can be placed on a passenger car or truck, moped or motorcycle. Replacement fee is \$6.

Passenger/Truck



Passenger/Truck: 12 X 6" full size plate, 7 characters and 8 bytes.

Moped/Motorcycle



Motorcycle: 7 X 4", 4 characters and 4 bytes.

Application: VTR-617

The 1st set has a \$3 specialty plate fee and DO NOT pay registration or local fees. Additional sets have no specialty plate fee and will pay registration and local fees.

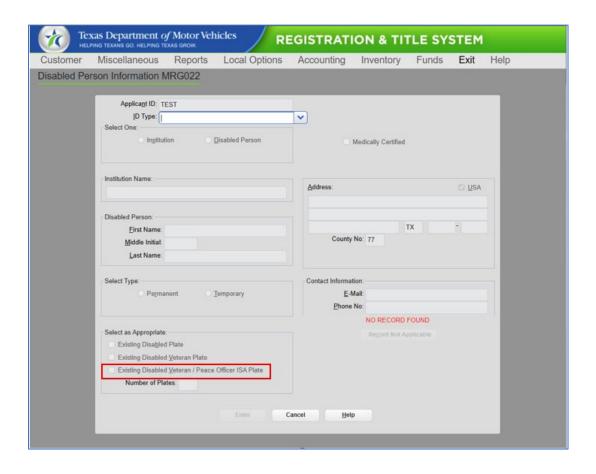


(SB2001) Placards requirement and Disabled Peace Officer (DPO) - State Specialty License Plate

Updates were made to the **RTS (MRG022)** page to include verbiage on the existing selection box to accurately reflect the option to obtain a disabled parking placard with a set of Disabled Peace Officer (DPO) ISA plates.

Details include:

- Page: RTS (MRG0022)
- Enhancement: Allow a disabled parking placard with a set of Disabled Peace Officer (DPO) ISA plates.
- User Interface Change: Update the selection box label text as follows:
 - Current: "Existing Disabled Veteran ISA Plate"
 - Modified: "Existing Disabled Veteran / Peace Officer ISA Plate"

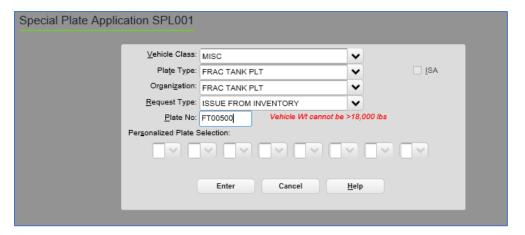




RRTS 38244 (HB2686) Frac Tank plate

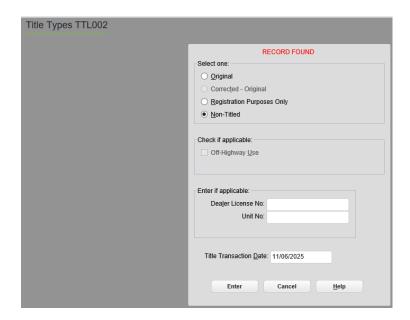
The new non-expiring Frac Tank plate is now available for purchase. Follow these steps below to create a special plate application and issue a Frac Tank plate:

- 1. Select Customer > Special Plates > Application.
- 2. Select **No Vehicle** and **Enter** on the **Inquiry Key Selection KEY001** screen.
- **3.** On the **Special Plate Application SPL001** screen, select MISC as the **Vehicle Class** and FRAC TANK PLT as the **Plate Type**. RTS will populate the **Organization** and **Request Type** fields. Enter the license plate number in the **Plate No.** field and select **Enter**.



- **4.** Proceed to the **Pending Transactions** screen and initiate the title application by selecting Customer > Title/Registration > Title Application.
- 5. Proceed to the **Title Types TTL002** screen; select **Non-Titled** and enter the **Title Transaction Date**. Select **Enter**.



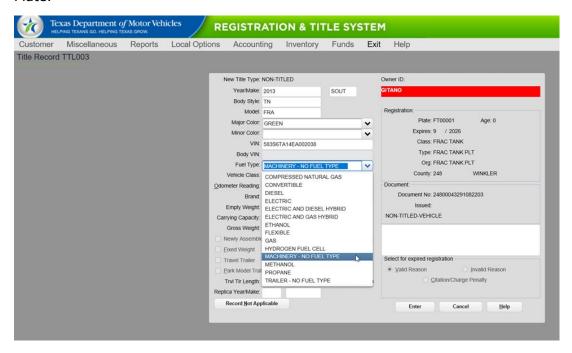


The Class/Plate/Sticker Type Choice REG008 screen will display with Vehicle class defaulted to MISC. Select FRAC TANK for Registration class; change the Plate Type to FRAC TANK PLT, and select Enter.



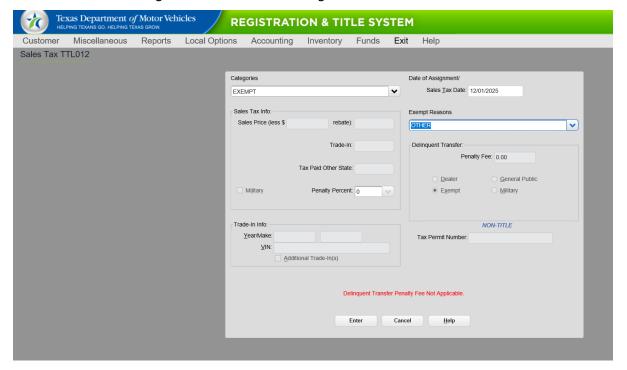


Note: On the **Title Record TTL003** screen you will continue to select Fuel type as "MACHINERY- NO FUEL TYPE" when issuing the Frac Tank License Plate.





6. When processing an <u>existing</u> record in RTS to obtain a Frac Tank License Plate, and there is no change of ownership or lien holders being added to the vehicle reord, on the **Sales Tax TTL012** screen, select "Exempt" under the "Categories" dropdown menu and then select "OTHER" under the "Exempt Reasons" dropdown menu before proceeding. This ensures the existing RTS record is not charged sales tax twice.

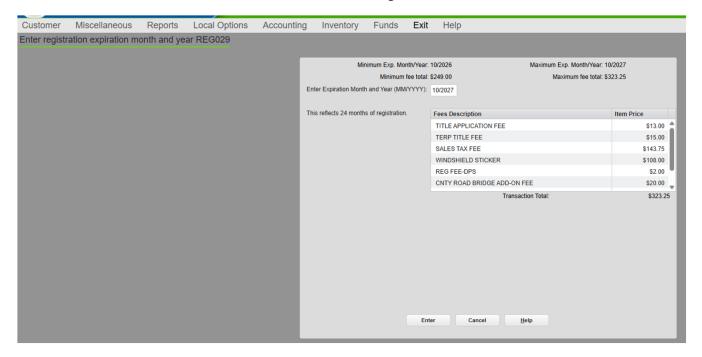


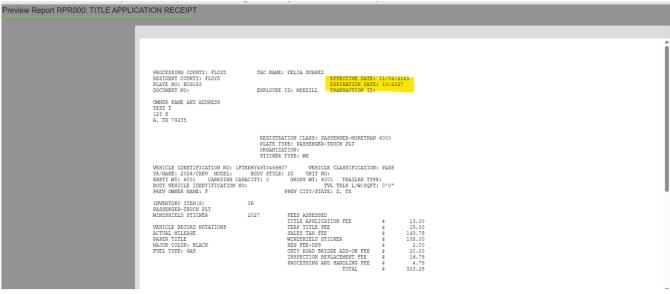
7. Proceed to complete the transaction.



HB 3297 Default to 2-year expiration month/year for new vehicles that are eligible for 2 years of registration

RTS defaults to a 2-year registration period for vehicles that are eligible for 2 years of registration based on the registration class and max weight, so the user does not need to edit the expiration month and year (MM/YYY) on the REG029 screen to calculate the registration fees.







HB 718 IMS Inventory Plate Condition Webservice Lookup For MVDI/MVINET Inquires

Plate Status and Condition will be defined for Dealer Temporary Plates, Outof-State Buyer Plates, Buyer Provisional Plates, General Issue Plates and Temporary Registration Plates.

Plate Condition will only be displayed when available.

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Defects Addressed in RTS POS 26.1

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