

Special Background Plates

A brand-new passenger vehicle receives 4-year registration. All subsequent renewals receive 2-year registration. See the [License Plate Manual](#) for pictures of all current Oregon plates and descriptions of the vehicle types that qualify for the plates.

Fees apply at registration and at every renewal unless otherwise indicated. [Visit this page](#) for additional vehicle title and registration fees. The chart below only shows the surcharges for each plate type.

PLATE	2- YEAR REGISTRATION SURCHARGE	4-YEAR REGISTRATION SURCHARGE	ORGANIZATION THAT RECEIVES FUNDS	QUALIFICATIONS TO APPLY
<i>Plates requiring one-time fee (collected at initial registration only)</i>				
Amateur Ham Radio Operator	\$5		N/A	Must complete Application for Amateur Radio Operator Registration Plates
Crater Lake	\$30		Oregon Community Foundation	Anyone may apply for these plates
Disabled Veteran (Not parking placard)	\$15		N/A	Must complete Application for Disabled Veteran Plates and provide proof of service-connected disability
Ex-POW	\$15		N/A	Must complete Ex-POW Registration Application
National Guard	No additional surcharge		N/A	Must be an active member of National Guard and obtain AGO Form 4309 from unit commander
Pacific Wonderland	\$100		Oregon State Capitol Foundation; Oregon Historical Society	Anyone may apply for these plates
Share the Road	\$10	\$20	Cycle Oregon; Street Trust Community Fund	Anyone may apply for these plates
<i>All other plates listed below require fees at registration and at every renewal.</i>				
Custom Plates (add-on charge to regular or special backgrounds)	\$100	\$200	Oregon Passenger Rail	Must complete Custom Plate Application
Cultural Trust	\$50		Oregon Cultural Trust	Anyone may apply for these plates

PLATE	2- YEAR REGISTRATION SURCHARGE	4-YEAR REGISTRATION SURCHARGE	ORGANIZATION THAT RECEIVES FUNDS	QUALIFICATIONS TO APPLY
Fallen Public Safety Officer	\$32	\$64	Law Enforcement Memorial Trust Fund	Anyone may apply for these plates. Complete application and write plate name under “Group” if not listed on form
Oregon Professional Firefighters	\$10	\$20	Hillsboro Firefighters Random Acts	
Paralyzed Veterans of America			Oregon Paralyzed Veterans of America	
Salmon	\$30	\$60	Watershed Conservation Operating Fund; Parks & Recreation	
Wine Country	\$30		Oregon Tourism Commission	
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Golf Oregon	\$40		Oregon Junior Golf Fund	Anyone may apply for these plates. Complete application
Gray Whale			Marine Mammal Institute @ Oregon State University	
Oregon Zoo			Oregon Zoo Foundation	
OSU Beaver			Oregon State University	
Pollinator Paradise			Oregon State University Dept. of Horticulture	
Portland Trail Blazers			Portland Trail Blazers Foundation	
Smokey Bear			Keep Oregon Green Association	
UOAA Duck			University of Oregon Alumni Association	
Watch for Wildlife			Oregon Wildlife Foundation	
Veterans’ group plates (Registered owner must qualify)				
Veterans’ Recognition <i>(various insignias and medals)</i>	\$10	\$20	Oregon Veterans’ Home Trust	Must complete Veteran Plates Certification and provide proof of applicable military service and medals
First Marine Division FMF			Oregon Chapter of the First Marine Division	

PLATE	2- YEAR REGISTRATION SURCHARGE	4-YEAR REGISTRATION SURCHARGE	ORGANIZATION THAT RECEIVES FUNDS	QUALIFICATIONS TO APPLY
U.S. Army Special Forces Airborne	\$10	\$20	Oregon Veterans' Home Trust	Must complete Veteran Plates Certification and provide proof of applicable military service and medals
Vietnam Veterans of America			Vietnam Veterans of America, Oregon State Council	
Purple Heart			Military Order of the Purple Heart	
Gold Star Family			Vietnam Veterans of America, Oregon State Council	Must complete Gold Star Family Certification