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Innovating Better Ways to Serve

Driver License Office
904 301 Blvd. W.
Bradenton, FL 34205
Monday – Friday, 9 AM - 4:30 PM
taxcollector.com

Suspension or Revocation: Worthless Checks (Court Directed)

ANY service, including general information, provided by our Driver License Office is subject to \$6.25 at the beginning of the visit. Additional transaction fees may apply.

Not a Manatee County resident? Out-of-County residents can only be served at our [Driver License Office](#), located at 904 301 Blvd W, Bradenton. An appointment is required. Visit taxcollector.com to schedule an appointment. You must select the “Non-Manatee County Resident DL/ID Card Transaction” Service in order to be served. Testing services (e.g. road testing, written exams) are provided for Manatee County residents only.

A **court has ruled** to suspend or revoke your driver license indefinitely because you wrote a bad check and you failed to appear when summoned to court for prosecution.

You have four options when this suspension or revocation is on your record:

1 PAY RESTITUTION TO THE COURT PRIOR TO EFFECTIVE DATE – If you pay restitution to the court prior to the effective date of the suspension/revocation, you will need to provide:

- Form [HSMV 72862](#) properly completed by the court. (The date of payment listed on the form must be prior to the suspension or revocation effective date shown on your driver license record).
- The \$6.25 reinstatement fee.

#2 PAY RESTITUTION TO THE COURT AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE – If you pay restitution to the court after the effective date of the suspension/revocation, you will need to provide:

- Form [HSMV 72862](#) properly completed by the court. (The date of payment listed on the form will be after the suspension or revocation effective date shown on your driver license record).
- The \$61.25 (suspension) or \$81.25 (revocation) reinstatement fee. (This fee is charged for each suspension or revocation.)

#3 PROVE THE REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION WAS ISSUED IN ERROR – If you feel that the suspension/revocation was issued in error, you must contact the court to have Form [HSMV 72862](#) completed. **Do not bring this form to our office**, as we cannot reinstate your license in this case. **You must mail the completed form to the address below:**

Division of Driver Licenses, Bureau of Driver Improvement
2900 Apalachee Pkwy, Room B260, Mail Stop 87
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0570

#4 APPLY TO BAR FOR EARLY REINSTATEMENT – If you are in the process of making restitution (have not made full restitution) or you have a pending court date for action, you may be eligible to apply for a hardship license. Contact the Bureau of Administrative Review ([BAR](#)) to find out if you are eligible for a **hardship license** and **request a hearing**. If BAR approves your application for a hardship license you will be issued a driver license with a specific restriction and it will be mailed from Central Issuance in Tallahassee. *Our office cannot advise you whether or not you are eligible for a hardship license.*

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If BAR refers you to our office after they have approved your application for a hardship license, our office can issue the license, provided BAR has indicated on your record that you have been authorized and the specific restriction that must be added. In this case, you would be required to pay the \$61.25 (suspension) or \$81.25 (revocation) reinstatement fee(s) when our office issues the license.

Need to replace or renew your license?

You will be required to pay an additional \$25 to \$48 at the time of reinstatement and you must submit documents that establish your identity pursuant to the Real ID Act (e.g. US birth certificate, US passport, USCIS/INS documents, proof of name change(s), Social Security Card and 2 proofs of residential address) unless you already have a Real ID compliant Florida driver license. For a complete list of acceptable identity documents, visit flhsmv.gov/whattobring.

✓ Check the status of your license at [https://services.flhsmv.gov/DLCheck/!](https://services.flhsmv.gov/DLCheck/)

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