

Titles for Rebuilt or Restored Vehicles

A salvage titled vehicle must go through the Rebuilt Inspection process before a rebuilt title can be issued on vehicles that require titles.

To obtain a rebuilt title:

Be a Licensed Rebuilder – Anyone who purchases a salvage or wrecked vehicle for the purpose of restoring or rebuilding must be **licensed as a rebuilder** (<https://sos.ga.gov/georgia-state-board-registration-used-motor-vehicle-parts-dealers>).

Pass Inspection – When the vehicle is restored but before it is painted, it must pass inspection by one of the Department's **approved private inspectors or stations** (<https://dor.georgia.gov/state-approved-inspection-stations>).

To apply for a rebuilt title and vehicle inspection, submit the following to one of the Department **approved private inspectors or stations** (<https://dor.georgia.gov/state-approved-inspection-stations>):

1. One or more photographs of the vehicle in its salvaged/wrecked condition before any repairs are made.
2. Completed and signed **Form MV-1 Title/Tag Application** (<https://dor.georgia.gov/documents/mv-1-dor-motor-vehicle-title-tag-application>).
3. Original valid salvage title issued in the vehicle owner's name or properly assigned to the owner.
4. Completed and signed **Form T-22R Request for Inspection of a Rebuilt Motor Vehicle** (<https://dor.georgia.gov/documents/t-22r-request-inspection-rebuilt-motor-vehicle>).
5. Completed and signed **Form T-129 Labor and Parts Certification** (<https://dor.georgia.gov/documents/t-129-labor-and-parts-certification>).
6. Provide receipts for new or used parts used to restore/rebuild the vehicle should including:

Part names and stock numbers

Show the vehicle owner or rebuilder as the purchaser of the parts. (The rebuilder's name, as shown on the parts receipts must be shown of Form T-129.)

For used parts, show the part name and the vehicle identification number (VIN) of the vehicle from which the part was taken.

- Parts vehicle must have a title on file with the Department or submitted at the time of the application.
- If the parts are from another state, provide a letter of certification from the other state.

7. Copy of Rebuilder's License.
8. \$100.00 inspection fee for the inspection station.

Note: All of the above items must be available at inspection. The vehicle must be towed, not driven to the inspection site.

Once the vehicle passes inspection, all of the above paperwork along with the inspectors report and registration must be submitted with:

\$118.00 made payable to the Department of Revenue (\$18.00 title fee and \$100.00 state inspection fee).

Submit to:

DOR/Motor Vehicle Division
Attn: Salvage Unit
P. O. Box 740384
Atlanta, Georgia 30374-0384

Vehicles must go through the Rebuilt process if:

Branded "Salvage" in Georgia.

Out of state branded "Salvage," "Flood," "Water," "Fire," and "Total Loss."

Tractor cab restored with a glider kit.

If the out-of-state title is branded as "Rebuilt" or "Restored," (indicating that the vehicle is no longer in a damaged condition) the rebuilt vehicle procedures must be completed except for the following:

Photographs of the vehicle in its salvaged/wrecked condition.

Receipts for parts used to restore the vehicle.

Form T-129 Labor and Parts Certification.

Helpful Information

Titles & Registration

(<https://dor.georgia.gov/motor-vehicle-titles-and-registration>)

Insurance (<https://dor.georgia.gov/insurance>)

Online Services (<https://dor.georgia.gov/online-services>)

County Tag Offices

(<https://mvd.dor.ga.gov/motor/tagoffices/SelectTagOffice.aspx>)

Customer Service Operations

(<https://dor.georgia.gov/customer-service-operations-o>)

Register & Title and New Vehicle

(<https://dor.georgia.gov/inspection-stations>)

State Certified Salvage Inspectors

County	Inspector's Name	Location Name and Address	City	Phone Number/Email
Banks	Bradley Sullens		Lula	706-768-1918 Cr125r@ymail.com (mailto:Cr125r@ymail.com)
Butts	Mike Metzler, Jr.	AMP Auto Inspection 2121 Hwy 42N Ste B	Jenkinsburg	470-880-9735 Office@AMPAutoGA.com (mailto:Office@AMPAutoGA.com)
Carroll	Wes Phillips	Phillips Paint, Body & Towing 103 Lane Drive	Carrollton	770-834-6919 Front@phillipspaintandbody.com (mailto:Front@phillipspaintandbody.com)
Catoosa	Jonathan Broom	By appointment only.	Ringgold	770-500-2570 423-847-5289 sisga2013@yahoo.com (mailto:sisga2013@yahoo.com)
Catoosa	Michael Gregory	Gregory Auto 2597 Hwy 41 By appointment only.	Ringgold	706-937-5337 gregorycollision@yahoo.com (mailto:gregorycollision@yahoo.com)
Chatham	John Hurley	Will travel to owners location by appointment only.		912-502-2674 hurleyinspectionsservices@gmail.com (mailto:hurleyinspectionsservices@gmail.com)
Clark	Jeff Sapp	Modern Body Shop 1105 Hull Rd	Athens	706-548-1169 Call for appointment
Clayton	Dean McDonald Jason McDonald	McDonald's Collision Repair 4367 Jonesboro Rd	Forest Park	404-363-9030
Cobb	Mike Metzler, Jr.	AMP Auto Inspection 1011 S Marietta Pkwy SE	Marietta	470-880-9735 470-251-5255 Office@AMPAutoGA.com (mailto:Office@AMPAutoGA.com)
Fannin	Mike Weaver	Fannin Inspection Service By appointment only.	McCaysville	706-455-1042 912-665-0454 fcfd624@gmail.com (mailto:fcfd624@gmail.com)
Grady	Robert Nowell	Automotive Collision Center 1664 GA Highway 93 South	Cairo	229-377-6565 Call for appointment
Gwinnett	Bode Onasanya	By appointment only.	Lawrenceville	404-519-2957 olabode.onasanya@gmail.com (mailto:olabode.onasanya@gmail.com)
Habersham	Ricky Umbehant		Cornelia	706-499-6954 rickumba@windstream.net (mailto:rickumba@windstream.net)
Hall	Aldo Ramos	By appointment only.	Gainesville	770-369-3973 salvageinspections@gmail.com (mailto:salvageinspections@gmail.com)
Hall	Bradley Sullen	Bradley's Inspection Station 2395 Monroe Drive	Gainesville	706-768-1918 770-297-9432
Haralson	Johnny Williams	Johnny's Paint & Body Shop 3493 Georgia Highway 120 By appointment only.	Tallapoosa	770-646-8296 jjw8296@gmail.com (mailto:jjw8296@gmail.com)
Jeff Davis	R & D Auto-Truck Salvage, Inc.	565 Baxley Hwy	Hazlehurst	912-379-0388 rdauto96@gmail.com (mailto:rdauto96@gmail.com) Call for appointment
Peach	Sidney McLeod Sonny McLeod Stephen McLeod	McLeod Auto Co. 3731 Lakeview Rd	Ft. Valley	478-953-5000 mcleodautoco@windstream.net (mailto:mcleodautoco@windstream.net)

Helpful Information:

Rebuilding a Salvage Vehicle (<https://dor.georgia.gov/titles-rebuilt-or-restored-vehicles>)