



STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

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Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation Work Session

Wednesday, March 9, 2022

1. Updated staffing schedule showing number of authorized positions and number filled/vacant. Please include positions by fund (i.e., STF, Federal Grants, Emissions).

As of March 4, 2022:

- 595 active, appropriated positions
- 287 active, non-appropriated positions
- 882 authorized and/or funded positions
- 150 vacant positions

	STF	CANNABIS	IGNITION INTERLOCK	EMISSIONS	FEDERAL	Total
Full Time Approved	78	2	1	11	3	95
Part Time Approved	55					55
						150

2. What is the implementation status of the waiver for non-driver IDs for youth and homeless as enacted in Sec. 72 of PA 21-121.

The process has been implemented in our branch offices, however, the comprehensive communications roll-out to all current and new stakeholders is in progress.

Upon evaluation of the current process, we have had identified opportunities to streamline and modernized the process to make it easier and more user friendly. In addition to updating the fee waiver request form, the website is also being updated. The following actions are in progress:

- Updating the policies and procedures for clarity
- Updating the form and on-line access to relevant information
- Creating training curriculum for internal and external partners
- Planning for a comprehensive communications rollout for internal and external partners

3. Does DMV have a process for allowing shorter-term license renewals (along with proportionate reduction in the fee)? No.

Statutes 14-41 and 14-41a address renewal, expiration and associated costs of operators' licenses and identity cards.

Credential Type	Term Offered	Cost
Over 65 Driver's License Renewal	2 years	\$24.00
Driver's License Renewal	6 years	\$84.00
	8 years	\$96.00
Non-Driver Identification	6 years	\$24.00
	8 years	\$32.00

4. REAL ID

New deadline for REAL ID enforcement - **May 3, 2023**

Connecticut REAL ID Data:

REAL ID	Number of Licenses and IDs	Percentage
Compliant (Verified)	1,755,810	61.7%
Non-Compliant (Non-Verified)	1,110,305	38.7%

Verified Credential Eligibility:

- United States citizens and permanent residents
- Citizens without a valid US Passport, US Birth Certificate or US Consular Report of Birth Abroad are subject to verification using the Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements Program (SAVE).

Proof of identity requirements for US Citizens (Expanded list of accepted documents in appendix):

- Original US or US territory birth certificate or registration of birth, social security card, permanent residency papers and verification of name change if applicants name is different than the name on the birth certificate

How does REAL ID affect the drive-only community? Are they all generally eligible or only a subset?

The Drive Only community is not eligible for REAL ID based on the following:

The Drive Only license program was authorized under Public Act 2013-89 with the sole purpose to ensure public safety. The program requires drivers to demonstrate driving proficiency and knowledge of road safety rules and laws.

REAL ID is a federal law requiring states who issue driver licenses and identification cards to verify identity of lawful citizens and permanent residents.

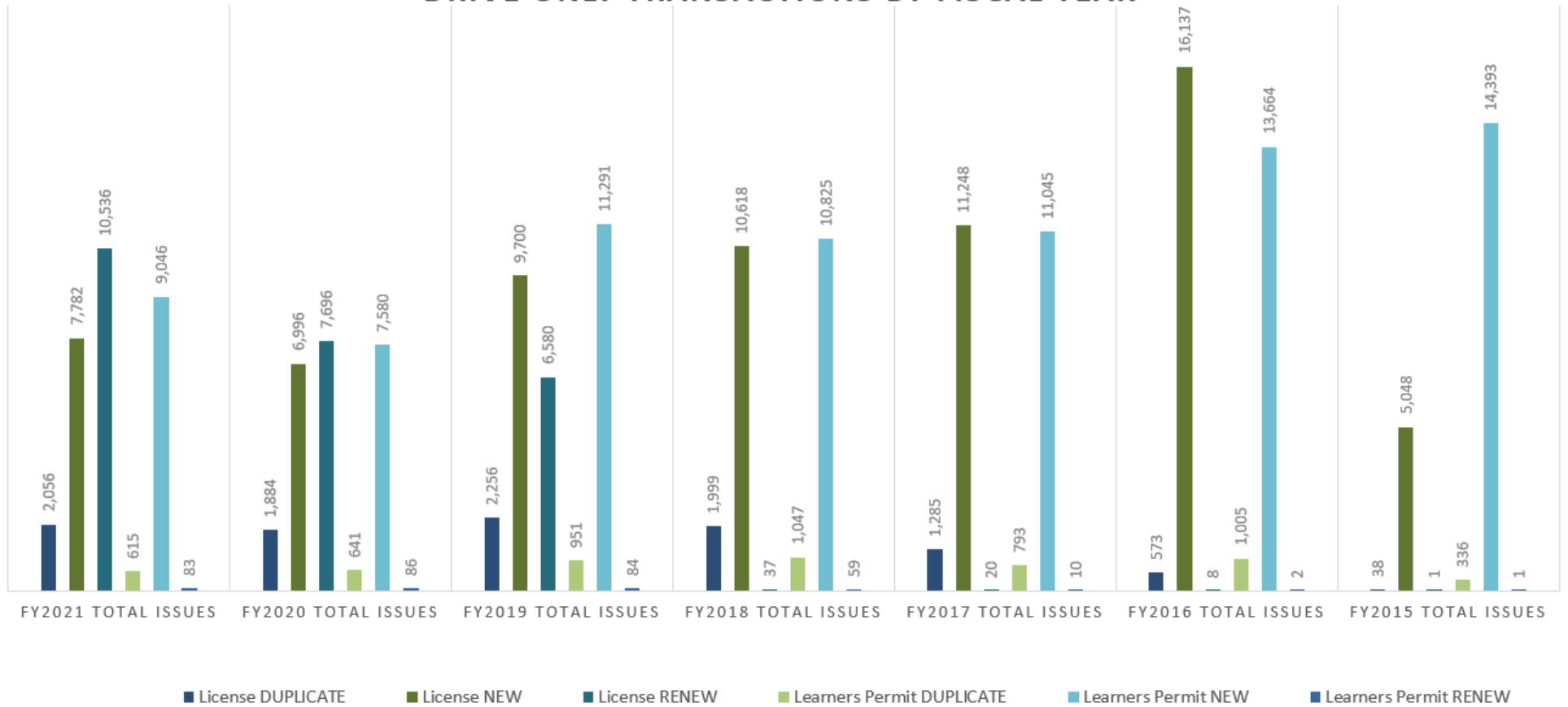
5. Data on the number of Drive Only cards issued by year (since program inception and associated fee revenue).

Total Credentials Granted 2015 – 2021: 187,399

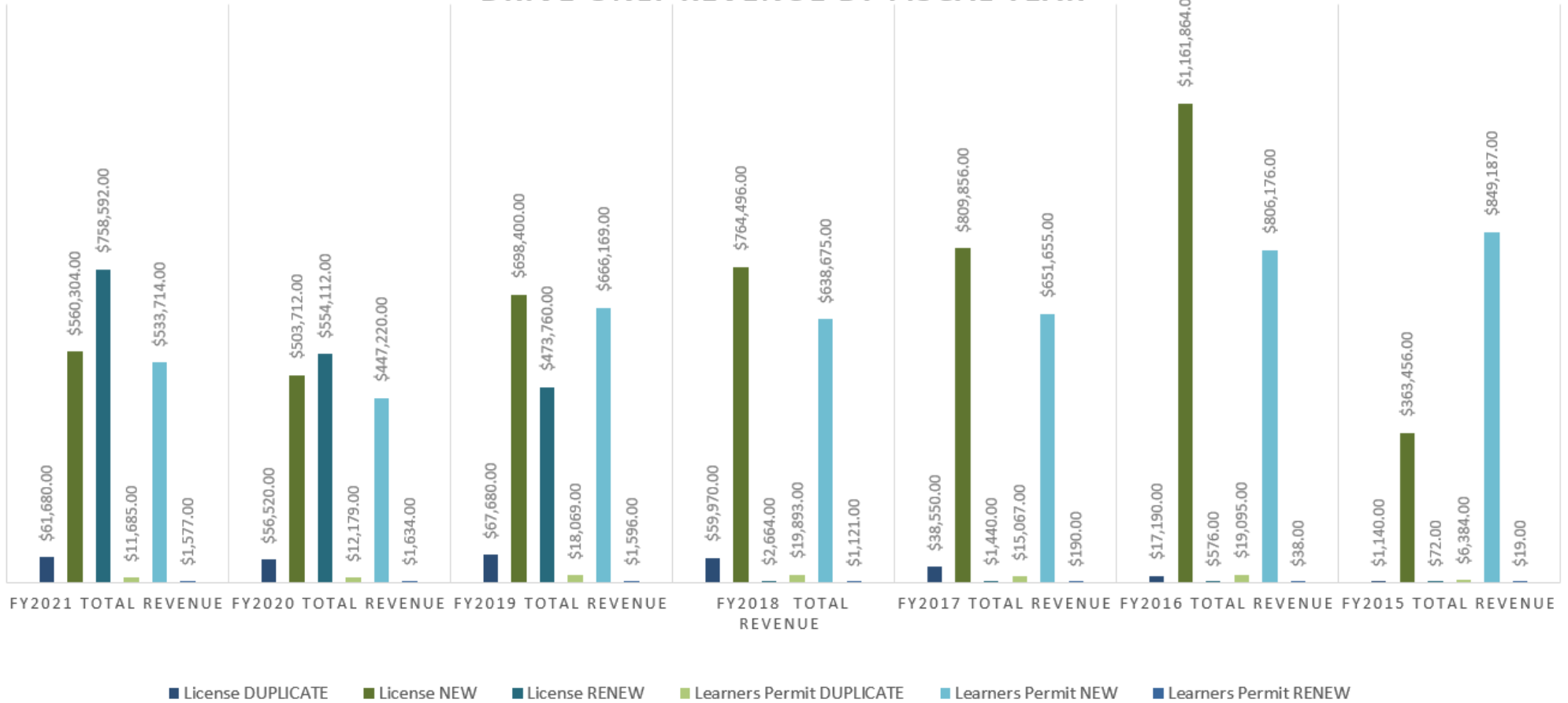
Overall Revenue 2015 – 2021: \$11,690,977

	Total Credentials Granted Since Inception	Total Revenue Since Inception	2021 Credentials	2021 Revenue	2020 Credentials	2020 Revenue	2019 Credentials	2019 Revenue
License - New	67,529	\$4,862,088	7,782	\$560,304	6,996	\$503,712	9,700	\$698,400
License Duplicate	10,091	\$302,730	2,056	\$61,680	1,884	\$56,520	2,256	\$67,680
License - Renew	24,878	\$1,791,216	10,536	\$758,592	7,696	\$554,112	6,580	\$473,760
License - Late Fee	1,344	\$33,600	322	\$8,050	659	\$16,475	350	\$8,750
Permit - New	77,844	\$4,592,796	9,046	\$533,714	7,580	\$447,220	11,291	\$666,169
Permit - Renew	325	\$6,175	83	\$1,577	86	\$1,634	84	\$1,596
Permit - Duplicate	5,388	\$102,372	615	\$11,685	641	\$12,179	951	\$18,069
	2018 Credentials	2018 Revenue	2017 Credentials	2017 Revenue	2016 Credentials	2016 Revenue	2015 Credentials	2015 Revenue
License - New	10,618	\$764,496	11,248	\$809,856	16,137	\$1,161,864	5,048	\$363,456
License Duplicate	1,999	\$59,970	1,285	\$38,550	573	\$17,190	38	\$1,140
License - Renew	37	\$2,664	20	\$1,440	8	\$576	1	\$72
License - Late Fee	13	\$325	0	\$0	0	\$0	0	\$0
Permit - New	10,825	\$638,675	11,045	\$651,655	13,664	\$806,176	14,393	\$849,187
Permit - Renew	59	\$1,121	10	\$190	2	\$38	1	\$19
Permit - Duplicate	1,047	\$19,893	793	\$15,067	1,005	\$19,095	336	\$6,384

DRIVE ONLY TRANSACTIONS BY FISCAL YEAR



DRIVE ONLY REVENUE BY FISCAL YEAR



APPENDIX

REAL ID DOCUMENT CHECKLIST For Identity Verification

PRIMARY document list

US born

- US or US Territory Birth Certificate or Registration of Birth (Hospital issued and Puerto Rico issued prior to July 1, 2010 not acceptable; foreign place of birth see Non-US Born)
- US Passport or Passport Card

Non-US born

- US Passport or Passport Card
- Foreign Passport w/ supporting documents (See Legal Presence noted below)*
- Certificate of Naturalization*
- Certificate of Citizenship*
- Permanent Resident Card*
- US Consular Report of Birth Abroad (Issued by the Department of State)

LEGAL PRESENCE in the UNITED STATES (Non-US born):

Legal status will be verified using Systematic Alien Verification of Eligibility (SAVE) which may take 10 business days or more.

- US Passport or Passport Card
- I-94
- I-551 Stamp in foreign passport
- Permanent Resident card or Resident Alien card
- Employment Authorization card
- Refugee Travel document
- B1/B2 requires Employment Authorization Card and verified Adjustment of Status Application
- F1 requires I-20 and I-94
- J1 requires DS2019 and I-94

*Non-US Citizens not eligible for a Social Security number must present proof of ineligibility from the Social Security Administration and are not qualified for a verified driver license or ID card.

*Only US Citizens and Permanent Residents are eligible for a **verified** driver license or ID card.

*B1/B2 visitor status is NOT eligible to obtain a CT credential.