

Applying for an Alaska **Real ID** License, Permit or ID Card?

U.S. Citizens, Permanent Residents, Temporary Resident with Lawful Status in the U.S. need the following documents:



To ensure your application process is as smooth as possible, please complete all elements below:

Use the checklist below to ensure that you have the correct documentation before visiting a Driver License office. If you have any questions about what is required, please visit our website at www.Alaska.gov/DMV

To be issued an Alaska **Real ID** driver license, permit or ID card, you must prove the following elements: your full legal name, identity, date of birth, lawful status in the United States, social security number, and proof of residential address.

All documents presented must be unaltered certified originals, certified amended originals, or true copies certified by the issuing agency. Documents **must** be valid and unexpired and may not be laminated. Foreign documents must have certified English translation (DMV Form COFAT.PDF).

If you cannot prove each of the required elements with the documents set forth below, you may be eligible to apply for a standard card. These guidelines may not cover every situation. Knowledge, vision, and/or other eligibility criteria may apply to your individual situation.

Proof of your Name, Identity, Date of Birth, Lawful Status, and Primary Residency:

You can provide any combination of documents that prove the elements (some documents may be used to prove more than one element)

Identity <small>Name / Date of Birth</small>	Lawful Status	Name Change <small>Multiple documents may be required to show all name changes.</small>	SSN	Primary Residency <small>Two documents must be presented and cannot be handwritten. Resident documents may have account numbers and balances redacted.</small>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Valid, unexpired U.S. passport or passport card <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of U.S birth certificate (issued by a city, county, or state vital statistics office) <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of birth certificate from a U.S. Territory. Puerto Rico birth certificates issued on or after July 1, 2010 <input type="checkbox"/> Consular Report of Birth Abroad of U.S. Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Unexpired foreign passport with valid U.S. Visa and approved I-94 form <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Naturalization or Certificate of U.S. Citizenship <input type="checkbox"/> Valid, unexpired Permanent Resident Card <input type="checkbox"/> Valid/unexpired Employment Authorization Document (EAD) Card (I-766) <input type="checkbox"/> Valid REAL ID license or ID card from a compliant state (Note: Documentation of U.S. citizenship or lawful status is required) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Valid, unexpired U.S. passport or passport card <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of U.S birth certificate (issued by a city, county, or state vital statistics office) <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of birth certificate from a U.S. Territory. Puerto Rico birth certificates issued on or after July 1, 2010 <input type="checkbox"/> Consular Report of Birth Abroad of U.S. Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Citizenship <input type="checkbox"/> US Adoption Order w/birth information <input type="checkbox"/> Refugee/Asylee I-94 <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Naturalization <input type="checkbox"/> I-551 Resident Alien / Permanent Resident Card <input type="checkbox"/> I-766 Employment Authorization Card 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Adoption documents that contain the legal name as a result of the adoption <input type="checkbox"/> A name change document that contains the legal name both before and after the name change <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage certificate <input type="checkbox"/> A certificate, declaration, or registration document verifying the formation of a civil union or domestic partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Dissolution of marriage/civil union/domestic partnership document that contains the legal name as a result of the court action 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Social security card (not laminated or metal) <input type="checkbox"/> W-2 form <input type="checkbox"/> Social Security Administration (SSA) 1099 form <input type="checkbox"/> Non-SSA-1099 form <input type="checkbox"/> Pay stub with full SSN <input type="checkbox"/> I am ineligible for a social security number, a letter from SSA may be required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Rental or Lease Agreement with The Signature of The Owner/Landlord and The Tenant/Resident <input type="checkbox"/> Deed or Title to Residential Real Property <input type="checkbox"/> Mortgage Bill <input type="checkbox"/> Home Utility Bills (Including Cellular Phone) <input type="checkbox"/> Employment Documents <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance Documents, Including Medical, Dental, Vision, Life, Home, Rental and Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Internal Revenue Service (IRS) or Alaska Franchise Tax Board (FTB) Tax Return <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Address Confirmation by The U.S. Postal Service. <input type="checkbox"/> Property Tax Bill or Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Faith-Based Documents, That Includes Name and Address of Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Records from A Financial Institution/Bank <input type="checkbox"/> Voter Registration Confirmation Letter or Postcard Issued by The Alaska Division of Elections <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of Payment of Resident Tuition at A Public Institution of Higher Education in Alaska <input type="checkbox"/> A Letter on Letterhead from A Homeless Shelter, Shelter for Abused Women, Nonprofit Entity, Faith-Based Organization, Employer or Government Agency Within the United States Attesting That the Applicant Resides in Alaska <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Certificate of Vehicle Titles or Registration (Issued At Least 30 Days Prior To The Date of Application) <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Tribal Card (For Non-Standard Remote Alaska Addresses Only, Within the Tribal Area Indicated on The Card) <input type="checkbox"/> Parental Consent Form 433 (Minors Only) <input type="checkbox"/> At DMV's Discretion Other Documents May Be Accepted. Please Contact 907-269-5551 For Assistance

For Renewals, you may be able to skip the office completely – Go to ALASKA.GOV/DMV to see if you are eligible!

Applying for an Alaska Standard License, Permit or ID Card?

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To be issued a Standard Alaska driver license, permit or ID card, you must prove the following elements: your full legal name, identity, date of birth, lawful status in the United States, social security number, and proof of residential address.

All documents presented must be unaltered certified originals, certified amended originals, or true copies certified by the issuing agency. Documents must be valid and unexpired and may not be laminated. Foreign documents must have certified English translation (DMV Form COFAT.PDF).

FEDERAL LIMITS APPLY

Proof of your Name, Identity, Date of Birth, Lawful Status and Primary Residency:

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Identity Name / Date of Birth	Lawful Status	Name Change <small>Multiple documents may be required to show all name changes.</small>	SSN	Primary Residency <small>(Cannot Be Handwritten)</small>	Secondary
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> US Birth Certificate (State or County Issued) or Consular Report of Birth Abroad <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of birth certificate from a U.S. Territory. Puerto Rico birth certificates issued on or after July 1, 2010 <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Citizenship <input type="checkbox"/> US Passport / Card (unexpired) <input type="checkbox"/> US Adoption Order w/birth information <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Naturalization <input type="checkbox"/> AK Driver License, Permit or ID Card <input type="checkbox"/> Out of State Real ID document <input type="checkbox"/> Military ID / Common Access Card <input type="checkbox"/> Bureau of Indian Affairs ID Card w/photo <input type="checkbox"/> ID Card issued by Federal Bureau of Prisons or State DOC <input type="checkbox"/> I-551 Resident Alien / Permanent Resident Card <input type="checkbox"/> I-766 Employment Authorization Card 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> US Birth Certificate (State or County Issued) or Consular Report of Birth Abroad <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of birth certificate from a U.S. Territory. Puerto Rico birth certificates issued on or after July 1, 2010 <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Citizenship <input type="checkbox"/> US Passport / Card (unexpired) <input type="checkbox"/> US Adoption Order w/birth information <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Naturalization <input type="checkbox"/> Refugee / Asylee I-94 <input type="checkbox"/> I-551 Resident Alien / Permanent Resident Card <input type="checkbox"/> I-766 Employment Authorization Card 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> US Passport / Card <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Birth Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Adoption papers <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Marriage certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Court Order <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Divorce Decree <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Dissolution, Divorce or Annulment <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Naturalization <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Name Change <input type="checkbox"/> Court Order That Contains the Full Name, Date of Birth and Court Seal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> SSN on application verified by SSA <input type="checkbox"/> Social Security Card (not laminated or metal) <input type="checkbox"/> W-2 Form <input type="checkbox"/> SSA-1099 Form <input type="checkbox"/> Non-SSA-1099 Form <input type="checkbox"/> Pay stub with your name and full SSN <input type="checkbox"/> I am ineligible for a social security number, a letter from SSA may be required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Driver License, Permit or ID Card with Current Residential Address <input type="checkbox"/> Utility / Phone Bill <input type="checkbox"/> Voter Registration Document <input type="checkbox"/> Transcript / Report Card <input type="checkbox"/> Bank / Credit Card Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Tax Document <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance Policy <input type="checkbox"/> Parental Consent Form 433 (minors only) <input type="checkbox"/> Pay Stub <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Registration/Title <input type="checkbox"/> Mortgage or Rental Document <input type="checkbox"/> Deed or Title to Residential Real Property <input type="checkbox"/> Faith-Based Documents, That Includes Name and Address of Organization <input type="checkbox"/> 1st Class Mail with Postmark (mail may be handwritten) <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Address Confirmation by the U.S. Postal Service <input type="checkbox"/> A Letter on Letterhead from A Homeless Shelter <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Tribal Card (for non-standard remote Alaska addresses only, within the tribal area indicated) <input type="checkbox"/> Medical / Public Assistance Card <input type="checkbox"/> A Letter on Letterhead from an Employer <input type="checkbox"/> At DMV's Discretion Other Documents May Be Accepted. Please Contact 907-269-5551 For Assistance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Any Document in a Previous Column <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Tribal Card <input type="checkbox"/> State Issued Driver License or ID Card That Has NOT Been Expired Over A Year <input type="checkbox"/> Court Order That Does Not Contain the Applicant's Date of Birth <input type="checkbox"/> Photographic Employer Identification Card <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Birth Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Health Insurance Card <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage License or Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Individual's Medical Records from A Doctor or A Hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Military Dependent Identification <input type="checkbox"/> Military Discharge or Separation Papers (DD214) <input type="checkbox"/> Gun Permit <input type="checkbox"/> Pilot's License <input type="checkbox"/> Certified School Record or Transcript <input type="checkbox"/> Photographic School Identification Card <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Title (must be issued 30 days prior to application) <input type="checkbox"/> Welfare Card <input type="checkbox"/> Prison Release Document or Photographic Prison Identification Card <input type="checkbox"/> TWIC Card (Transportation Worker Identification Credential)

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