

**NOTICE**  
**ABANDONED VEHICLE PETITIONS**  
**MCL 257.252a et seq.**

In order to file a petition for a hearing regarding an abandoned/removed vehicle, you must present the following documents/fees:

1. Form TR52P from the Secretary of State
2. \$65.00 filing fee
3. \$40.00 bond/fee
4. ALL accrued towing and storage fees or a receipt from the towing company proving payment of fees

Personal checks will not be accepted for these fees. You must pay by credit card, cash, money order or Cashiers check.

If the accrued towing and storage fees have already been paid by the vehicle owner/lien holder to the tow company, a receipt must be presented to the Civil/Real Estate Cashier.

Court staff is not responsible for obtaining information on towing and storage fees. The Petitioner must provide a written and dated statement from the tow yard, stating the amount owed.

You cannot recover a vehicle which was booted and towed for unpaid tickets by filing a Petition for Abandoned Vehicles. If your car was booted and towed because of unpaid parking tickets, then you must pay the Parking Violations Bureau in order to recover your vehicle

Civil/Real Estate Management  
36<sup>th</sup> District Court  
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