

MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES

It is common to receive a tax bill for a vehicle you no longer own. Vehicles that were sold, traded-in, or disposed of during the previous calendar year are still listed on the bill. This is perfectly normal - since vehicles are always taxed in arrears. The bill you receive this year is based on vehicle registration and ownership during the previous year; and, the bill is pro-rated, depending on the date the RI Registration was cancelled.

It is important to return your License Plates to the Registry when a vehicle is taken off the road.