

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES
POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE, MOBILE HOME, VESSEL or VESSEL with TRAILER

Please submit this form to your local tax collector office or license plate agent.

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1 As of today, 08 / 14 / 2026, I/we hereby name and appoint, Colette M. Rivard,
(Full Legibly Printed Name is Required)

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to be my/our lawful attorney-in-fact to act for me/us, in applying for an original or duplicate certificate of title, to register, transfer title, or record a lien to the motor vehicle, mobile home, vessel, or vessel with a trailer described below, and to print my/our name and sign their name, in my/our behalf. My attorney-in-fact can also do all things necessary to the application or any other related instrument and to bind me/us in as sufficient a manner as I/we or myself/ourselves could do, were I/we personally present and signing the same.

With full power of substitution and revocation, I/we hereby ratify and confirm whatever my/our said attorney-in-fact may lawfully do or cause to be done in the virtue hereof.

Please check only one of the following options:

3 ☒ Motor Vehicle ☐ Mobile Home ☐ Vessel ☐ **Vessel with an Untitled Trailer**
(Trailers less than 2,000 pounds) ☐ **Vessel with a Titled Trailer**
(Trailers 2,000 pounds or more)

Year	Make/Manufacturer	Body Type	Title Number	Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)/ Hull Identification Number (HIN)
4 2014	Honda	MPV	147902583	5FNRL6H71EB214703

NOTICE TO OWNER(S): Please complete this form in its entirety prior to signing.

Under penalties of perjury, I/we declare that I/we have read the foregoing document and that the facts stated in it are true.

5 Legibly Printed Name of Owner ("Grantor") Marguerite L. Ashby	Signature of Owner ("Grantor") Marguerite Ashby		
Driver License, Identification Card or FEID Number of Owner B516-284-71-330-0		Date of Birth of Owner, if applicable 11/26/1961	
Owner's Address 1427 Bayshore Loop	City Bradenton	State FL	Zip Code 34209
Legibly Printed Name of Co-Owner ("Grantor"), if applicable		Signature of Co-Owner ("Grantor")	
Driver License, Identification Card or FEID Number of Co-Owner		Date of Birth of Co-Owner, if applicable	
Co-Owner's Address	City	State	Zip Code

This non-secure power of attorney form may be used when an individual or entity appointed as the attorney-in-fact will be completing the odometer disclosure statement as the buyer only or the seller only. However, this form cannot be used to allow an individual or entity (such as a dealership) to sign as both buyer and seller for the purpose of disclosing the odometer reading. This may be accomplished only with the secure power of attorney (HSMV 82995) when:

- (a) the title is physically being held by the lienholder; or
- (b) the title is lost.

A licensed dealer and his/her employees are considered a single entity. The Owner and/or Co-owner must be the same for ALL vehicles, mobile homes, vessels, or vessels with a trailer listed above.

How to fill out HSMV 82053 — Power of Attorney for a Motor Vehicle, Mobile Home, Vessel or Vessel with Trailer

Florida · written against HSMV 82053 (Rev 06/16/22), issued under section 319.225(6), Florida Statutes - the provision that separates this non-secure form from the department's secure version

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One page appointing somebody to act for you on one vehicle. The grant is wider than people expect - it covers applying for an original or a duplicate certificate of title, registering, transferring title and recording a lien, and it lets your attorney-in-fact print your name and sign their own on your behalf. It also carries full power of substitution, which means the person you appoint may pass the authority on.

This sheet is not the form. Download the blank HSMV 82053 from the Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles at <https://www.flhsmv.gov/pdf/forms/82053.pdf> — always take the current revision from the agency rather than a copy. Print this and keep it beside you while you complete theirs.

Every line, in the order you meet it

1	YOU	The date at the very top	Month, day and year in the three boxes before the words I/we hereby name and appoint. Watch out: It is the date the authority begins, and it is the first thing on the page rather than the last. A form dated after the day your attorney-in-fact used it is a form that did not authorise what they did.
2	YOU	Who you are appointing	The full name of the person or entity, printed legibly - the form says so beneath the line. Watch out: What you are handing over is set out in the paragraph underneath: applying for an original or duplicate certificate, registering, transferring title, recording a lien, and printing your name and signing their name on your behalf. It is broader than most people expect, and it comes with full power of substitution.
3	YOU	Which kind of thing this covers	Motor vehicle, mobile home, vessel, vessel with an untitled trailer, or vessel with a titled trailer. Only one. Watch out: The form says please check only one of the following options, and the trailer distinctions are by weight - under 2,000 pounds is untitled, 2,000 or more is titled. Ticking two makes the document ambiguous about what was authorised.
4	YOU	The vehicle table	Year, make, body type, title number and VIN, on one row. There is a second row for a second vehicle. Watch out: The line at the foot is the constraint: the owner and co-owner must be the same for all vehicles listed. Two cars in two different names need two forms.
5	YOU	Your printed name and your signature	Printed name of the owner-grantor on the left, signature on the right, under the perjury declaration. Watch out: The notice above it asks you to complete the form in its entirety prior to signing. Signing a power of attorney with blanks still in it is handing somebody a pen as well as an authority.
6	YOU	Licence number, date of birth and address	Driver licence, identification card or FEID number, date of birth, and the full address underneath. Watch out: This is the non-secure power of attorney, and the paragraph at the foot draws the line that matters: whoever is appointed may complete the odometer disclosure as the buyer only or the seller only, never as both. A dealership signing both halves needs the secure HSMV 82995 instead.

What gets this one rejected

- Signing it before it is filled in. The notice to owners asks for the form to be complete first, and an appointment over a blank vehicle description is not a limited power of attorney at all.
- Using it to let a dealership disclose the mileage on both sides of the deal. The form directs that to the department's secure version, and only where the paper title is held by the lienholder or lost.
- Different owners on different vehicles. The form says the owner and co-owner must be the same for every vehicle listed on it.
- Using it on the electronic-title route. The department's transfer procedure states that a power of attorney cannot be used where an electronic title is being reassigned at the counter.
- Treating a dealership's staff as separate people. A licensed dealer and their employees are considered a single entity for this purpose.

☒ Amber is what you write ☐ Grey is a block somebody else completes The filled-in example is at the start of this sheet.