

Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles

APPLICATION FOR SURVIVING SPOUSE TRANSFER OF FLORIDA CERTIFICATE OF TITLE FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE

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

<https://www.flhsmv.gov/locations/>

SECTION 1: OWNER INFORMATION

Owner's Name as it Appears on Driver License (First, Full Middle/Maiden & Last):

Date of Birth:

FL DL Or ID Card Number:

Marguerite Louise Ashby

11/26/1961

B516-284-71-330-0

Owner's Mailing Address:

Owner's Email Address:

1427 Bayshore Loop, Bradenton, FL 34209

m.ashby@example.com

Owner's Physical Street Address in Florida (Mandatory, Unless A Member of the Military)

1427 Bayshore Loop, Bradenton, FL 34209

Owner's One Time Mail To Address or Mail To Customer Name and Address (If Requested)

SECTION 2: MOTOR VEHICLE DESCRIPTION

Florida Title Number

Vehicle Identification Number

Make/Manufacturer

Year

Body

Color

147902583

5FNRL6H71EB214703

Honda

2014

MPV

Silver

I Am Requesting:

☐ Expedited Title

☐ Title To Be Mailed

☒ Title To Be Held Electronic

☐ I certify that the vehicle identified will not be operated on the streets and highway of Florida until properly registered.

☐ I certify the certificate of title is lost or destroyed.

UNDER PENALTIES OF PERJURY, I DECLARE THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING DOCUMENT AND THAT THE FACTS STATED IN IT ARE TRUE.

Signature of Owner:

Type Name of Owner:

Marguerite Ashby

Marguerite L. Ashby

Date:

Title Number:

Audit Control Number:

08/07/2026

Fast Title Issued By:

How to fill out HSMV 82152 — Application for Surviving Spouse

Transfer of Florida Certificate of Title for a Motor Vehicle

Florida · written against HSMV 82152 (Rev 07/25), issued under section 319.32(7)(a)-(b), Florida Statutes, cited on the form itself

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A two-page route for one narrow, common situation: a car titled in two names, one of whom has died, and the survivor is the spouse. It takes the deceased co-owner off the title, and the form's second page carries the reason it exists - Florida charges no title fee at all for doing it.

This sheet is not the form. Download the blank HSMV 82152 from the Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles at <https://www.flhsmv.gov/pdf/forms/82152.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	Your name as the driver licence prints it	First, full middle or maiden, and last, with your date of birth and Florida licence or identification card number beside it. Watch out: The surviving spouse is the applicant here, and the name on this line is the name the new certificate will carry. If it changed after the marriage certificate was issued, bring the document that shows the change.
2	YOU	Mailing address, email, and the physical address in Florida	Two separate address blocks, and the second is mandatory unless you are a member of the military. Watch out: The form says so in the label rather than in a footnote, which is how easily it is missed. A post office box in the first block and nothing in the second is an incomplete application.
3	YOU	Florida title number and the vehicle	Title number, VIN, make, year, body and colour, along one row. Watch out: Take the title number from the certificate if you have it. If you cannot find the certificate, there is a box further down to certify it is lost or destroyed - which saves you filing a duplicate application as well.
4	YOU	What you want the department to do with the title	Expedited title, title to be mailed, or title to be held electronic. One box. Watch out: The statute waives the title fee for this transfer, but it does not waive the expedited fee - the form spells out that an expedited title is available for a \$10 fee. Held electronic costs nothing and is the sensible choice if the next thing you do is sell the car.
5	YOU	Your signature and typed name	Signature on the left, name typed or printed on the right, under the perjury declaration, with the date beneath. Watch out: What has to go in the envelope with it is not on the front of the form: an original or certified copy of the death certificate is mandatory, and a copy of the marriage certificate is required unless the surviving spouse is named on the death certificate.
6	DEALER	The block at the foot	Title number, audit control number and fast title issued by - filled in when the title is printed over the counter. Watch out: There is one more thing the form warns about and it is a bill rather than a box: the registration fee was not included in the no-fee title transfer, and it will vary with the order of the names on the title and with your birthdate.

What gets this one rejected

- A photocopied death certificate. It must be an original or a certified copy.
- No marriage certificate where the death certificate does not name the spouse.
- Using it where the deceased was the sole owner. This form removes a deceased co-owner from a title registered in two names - a sole owner's vehicle goes down a different route.
- Expecting the registration to be free as well. Only the title fee is waived.
- Driving it in the meantime without registering. The certification on the face of the form is the alternative, and it is a statement made under penalties of perjury.

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

Read off HSMV 82152 (Rev 07/25) and the Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles's own pages, current as of 2026-08-23. Plain-language help with a form, not legal advice — where this and the agency differ, the agency governs.

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