

## Understanding Off Highway Vehicle Registration and Decal Requirements

There are two ways to register your OHV:

1. Street legal - residents and non-residents
2. Title only - residents only

Residents and non-residents are required to purchase an OHV decal. All OHV's designed by the manufacturer primarily for use over unimproved terrain that weigh 2,500 pounds or less, are required by law to display a valid OHV decal to operate on public and state trust lands in Arizona.

### Street Legal Registration

Anyone who wishes to operate their OHV on maintained roads as well as trails must register their machine as "street legal" through the Motor Vehicle Division (MVD) office, using authorized third-party MVD service providers or register online at [www.servicearizona.com](http://www.servicearizona.com). This applies to both residents and non-residents. Street legal registration comes with a motorcycle (MC) license plate. The registration sticker displaying the valid month and year goes in the upper right corner. The OHV decal goes in the upper left corner. In addition to the registration requirements, the following is required to make an OHV street legal (A.R.S. 28-1179):

- One brake which can be operated by hand or foot
- Brake light
- Headlight(s) and taillight(s) visible at 500 feet
- One red rear reflector
- License plate securely fastened to the rear
- License plate light
- Horn
- Muffler
- Rearview mirror
- Seat and footrests for the operator
- Fuel tank cap
- Vehicle insurance

### Title Only Registration

Title only registration (RV license plate) and non-resident OHV decals only allow operation on unimproved roads and trails. They do not allow for travel on pavement or graded dirt roads except for the incidental crossing of these roads while accessing trails. If you have an RV plate or a non-resident OHV decal, you must trailer your OHV to a location where you can access the unimproved roads and trails. Title only registration is available to residents through the MVD, an authorized third-party MVD service provider, or online at [www.servicearizona.com](http://www.servicearizona.com).