



## CIVIL AIR PATROL DRIVER INFORMATION

1. You must have driver's privileges on your CAPF 101 card listing the type of vehicle you're authorized to driver. Also, at least an "F" endorsement on your state driver's license is required to operate any cap 12/15 passenger vans with passengers.
2. Upon renewal, upload in Ops Qual under driver's license, a copy of your Connecticut state driver's license and current copy of your state driver's history record or a copy of the "Connecticut wing release authorization for state driver's record".
3. You must complete monthly safety requirements to retain CAP driver privileges.
4. Ensure that only CAP members use and are passengers in any CAP vehicle as per CAPR 77-1 and wing commander's policy letter.
5. Never use a CAP vehicle for personal use
6. Per CT state law & CAP regulation, hand-held cellular phones and texting devices will not be used while driving a CAP vehicle.
7. Seat belts must be used at all times by the driver & passengers.
8. Headlights should be on at all times.
9. Smoking is prohibited in any CAP vehicle.
10. Ensure that a working flashlight is in the vehicle and that the backup alarm is operational.
11. Spotters are required for backing up a vehicle, if more than one person is available
12. Vehicle checklist, CAPF 73 "CAP Vehicle Inspection Guide and Usage Data", is completed every time a CAP vehicle is used or inspected, along with notation of any vehicle discrepancies/problems. Review the attached information on proper completion of CAPF 73.
13. Review information located in the CAP vehicle log book, on carbon monoxide poisoning & tire safety/maintenance information.
14. Review attachments on operating 12/15 PAX vehicles, if applicable (also good general information).
15. When a POV is used for official CAP transportation it will have a safety check performed using CAPF 73, prior to use, as required by CAPR 77-1, para 2-1a, along with the unit commanders approval letter. A POV will not be used, if not in safe working order. Wing and AF will not reimburse fuel for POV without prior written permission from Wing Commander.
16. Be aware of CAPR 77-1, para; 4-1d, (& CAPR 174-1) on members assessment of liability.