

Oklahoma Senate Committee on Appropriations

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Used Motor Vehicle and Parts Commission

AGENCY MISSION STATEMENT:

The Commission's mission is to license and regulate used motor vehicle dealers, vehicle salespersons, automotive dismantler and parts recyclers, automotive rebuilders, manufactured home dealers, manufactured home manufacturers and manufactured home installers in order to create an environment of fair competition among equally regulated licensees and to protect the interests of the consuming public by requiring conformity to the licensing laws by both the licensees and those parties attempting to evade the licensing laws.

LEAD ADMINISTRATOR:

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GOVERNANCE:

The UMVPC is governed by a board of 10 independent Commissioners appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. Each member serves a six (6) year term, except the Chairman, whose term is coterminous with the Governor. The Commission meets monthly.

The board hires the Executive Director to oversee the daily functions of the commission.

Current members: John Longacre, Chairman, (Kellyville), Julian Coddling, (Oklahoma City), Jim Davis, (Holdenville), Jim Holman, (Oklahoma City), John Holt, (Chickasha), Norm Latham, (Tulsa), Ralph Rooks, (Valliant), Steve Ross, (Oklahoma City), Terry Shreve, (Barnsdall), Kerry Siegfried, (Broken Arrow).

There is a manufactured home advisory committee comprised of five (5) members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. Each member serves a three (3) year term of office.

Current members: Bo Radley, Chairman, (Tulsa), Steve Russell, (Ardmore), Scott Valdez, (Oklahoma City), Doug Gorman, (Tulsa), Pete Hogstad, (Duncan).

GOVERNANCE ACCOUNTABILITY:

Each commissioner is expected to monitor their attendance and participation, making every effort to attend as many meetings as possible.

MODERNIZATION EFFORTS:

Since July 1, 2010, the Commission has implemented or begun implementation of the following changes to modernize and streamline the functions of the agency:

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- 1) Contracted with OMES for most of the financial operations of the agency;
- 2) Begun the remaking of the Commission's website to provide more information to licensees, other state agencies and the public;
- 3) Begun integration of the Commission's database with the website to provide real time updates on licensees.

CORE MISSION:

There are many functions and reports that Commission personnel provide because the Commission is a state agency. Many of these things detract from the ability of the Commission to perform its core mission, but are accepted as necessary because it is a state agency.

PRIVATE ALTERNATIVES:

None of the services this Commission provides is also provided by any private industry in the State of Oklahoma.

All states license and regulate our mandated industries through similar government agencies.

The commission has not been approached by any private service in an effort to privatize the duties of the commission.