

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**

Date: January 31, 2012
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Location: Ohio Department of Public Safety
1970 West Broad Street, Room 109
Columbus, Ohio 43223

Pursuant to R.C. 119.03, the Ohio Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Motor Vehicles, will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of soliciting comment on the following proposed change to Chapter 4501-27, "License Plates," of the Ohio Administrative Code:

Amendment

4501-27-02 (License plate service life specifications) – This rule is proposed to clarify expiration dates for all current and future license plate designs. Paragraph (G) is amended to provide an expiration date for all license plates designed with a white and gold blended background and blue letters, and paragraphs (H) to (J) are proposed to establish expiration dates for license plates with the "Sunburst," "Ohio Bicentennial," and "Beautiful Ohio" designs. Finally, paragraph (K) is proposed to establish expiration dates for license plates issued on or after January 1, 2013, regardless of design.

Any persons affected by the proposed amendment of this rule may appear at the hearing and be heard in person, or by an attorney, or both, or may present their position, argument, or contention in writing. Persons may offer and examine witnesses and present evidence to show that the proposed change will be unreasonable or unlawful.

Requests for copies of the proposed rule and/or public comments may be submitted in person or by mail at the following address: Ohio Department of Public Safety, Office of Legal Services, Suite 531C, 1970 West Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43223, Telephone: (614) 466-5605.