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Hello Car Guys & Gals,

Happy & Safe New Year from the Officers and Directors of the ACCC. I wanted to write and bring you up to date on some of the happenings inside the ACCC going into 2013.

First off, with the New Year comes new legislation and regulations. We will be sure to keep our ear to ground and inform you of any issues that may be harmful to the collector car hobby. I don't need to tell you that we need to be more vigilant than ever now that the California Legislature has a Super-Majority. I would also encourage you all to keep your ears open and let us know if you hear of any issues that we should be aware of.

## Latest News On The Legacy License Plate Program

The Legislature introduced the California Legacy License Plate program offering vehicle owners the opportunity to purchase replicas of California license plates similar to those issued in the 1950's, 1960's, and 1970's. The program requires a minimum of 7,500 pre-paid applications prior to January 1, 2015.

Legacy License plates can be ordered for any year model automobile, commercial vehicle, motorcycle, or trailer. The Legacy License Plate Program will not replace the current Year of Manufacture (YOM) license plate program.

The DMV is accepting pre-orders until January 1, 2015. A pre-order form California Legacy License Plate Pre-Order Form (REG 17L) (PDF) is available for these plates. The completed form and \$50 payment must be mailed to the address provided on the form. Payment can only be made by check, money order, or cashier's check made payable to Department of Motor Vehicles. Pre-orders will NOT be processed at DMV Field offices or Auto Club offices. California Legacy Plate Pre-Order Form (REG 17L) (PDF) can be downloaded at http://www.dmv.ca.gov/legacyplates/index.htm

**PAYMENT**: Check, Money Order, or Cashier's Check ONLY. Payable to: DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

Mail Registration Form WITH a \$50 PAYMENT to:

Department of Motor Vehicles Legacy License Plates Customer Service/Operations Support, MS H203 PO Box 825393 Sacramento, CA 94232-5393

PRE-ORDERS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED AT DMV OFFICES or AUTO CLUB OFFICES

<u>**REFUNDS**</u>: Your payment will be refunded shortly after January 2015 if this plate program is not implemented, or if your desired personal plate configuration is not available and you did not request a sequential plate substitution.

## Upcoming Events

We will conduct our 1<sup>st</sup> quarter business meeting in Pomona at the Grand National Roadster Show. John Buck, promoter of the show, has been kind enough to offer not only a complimentary ACCC Information Booth at the show, but also a meeting room there as well. The meeting will be Saturday, January 26, 2013 at 10:00 AM in Building #6 at the Fairplex.

The ACCC will once again, for a 2<sup>nd</sup> year, host the "Clubhouse" at the Sacramento Autorama. The show will be at Cal Expo February 15-17, 2013. There are over 200 cars registered for the "Clubhouse" and we are anticipating a great show.

The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual ACCC Spring Legislative Conference is scheduled for Friday & Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>, 2013 at the California Auto Museum. We have a great line-up of speakers scheduled including; Assemblyman Mike Gatto; Assemblyman Curt Hagman; Assemblyman Tim Donnelly; Senator Ted Gaines; Barbara Rooney, Legislative Advocate for the California DMV; Karen McClaflin, Executive Director California Auto Museum; Ken Hamel, Automotive Academy Educator; and more. This is one Conference you won't want to miss!

The Butch Gardner Memorial "Save Our Cars" Car Show is scheduled for Saturday, August 3, 2013. Live music with two bands; DJ "Smitty" will be spinning the vinyl; Dash Plaques; Awards; Great Chow; and Great a Line-up of Beautiful Hot Rods, Street Rods, Classic & Muscle Cars...More information will be forthcoming as the date grows closer...

Contact us with comments, suggestions, question, concerns, or just to talk anytime.

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