

Impound Questionnaire

Study Session Overview

This Study Session provides background information that will prepare you for the Vehicle Searches and Impounds in-class Session. You are encouraged to complete this Study Session prior to the class on Vehicle Searches and Impounds (see schedule).

Learner Objectives

- Recognize the difference between private and public impounds
- Apply the RCWs and properly impound an unauthorized vehicle

Total Study Time: 1 hour

Main Topics of Session:

- *Private vs. Public Impounds*
- *Unauthorized Vehicles*
- *Impounding Requirements*
- *Definition of 'Highway'*
- *Definition of 'safe place' Relating to Impounding Vehicles*

Attached Materials:

- *N/A*

You Should Already Have:

- *Pocket Press Books*



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9. Give a common example of what this means.
10. You have come upon an '86 Honda Accord along SR-1234. It has been moved off the roadway and is entirely on the shoulder. The hood is partially up. No one is around the vehicle and you cannot find any notes or other indications that someone is returning. You run the vehicle and find it is not listed as stolen. You decide to start the process to impound the vehicle. What does 46.55.085 require?
11. When can the officer take custody of the vehicle and have it removed to a safe place?
12. What would be a common 'safe-place'?
13. What would you do if the RO contacted you, had seen that their vehicle was marked to be impounded, and asked for additional time to remove the vehicle?



End of Study Session

