



Weber County I/M Bulletin

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To: Weber County I/M certified test/test and repair technicians, managers, and owners. Post a copy of this technical bulletin by your analyzer for easy reference and ensure all certified testers, managers, and owners read and sign it.

I/M Analyzer Replacement

The Weber-Morgan Health Department has recently entered into a contract with Applus Technologies to supply and maintain new Utah 2011 testing equipment. The new equipment will be in all stations and fully operational by February 1, 2012.

The Weber-Morgan Health Department and Applus Technologies will be holding an open house for station owners/operators on Wednesday November 2, 2011 from 6-8:00pm. The open house will allow owners/operators to meet the Applus staff, see the new equipment, and receive the new contracts. The open house will be held at the Weber County Fairgrounds in the Exhibit Hall, 1000 N. 1200 W. Ogden, UT 84404. Separate training courses will be put on for the testers at a later date.

Applus will operate and maintain a new Vehicle Information Database (VID). There will be many benefits of this new database to stations and technicians. Some of the major benefits are:

1. The VID will be real time communication.
2. Stations will be able to purchase certificates through the VID, meaning you will no longer need to come into the health department.
3. Certificates will be loaded into your analyzer as soon as you purchase them.
4. Certificates will be printed on plain white paper.
5. The VID will alert testers if a vehicle has recently failed at another station. The health department will also be able to “flag” a vehicle if it has been reported to be smoking, missing emission control components, etc.
6. Station owners will have more access to reports and data to help manage their station.
7. Service calls and consumable product purchases can be placed through the VID.

Pricing

One of the major benefits to existing stations is that there will be no upfront cost. Pricing for existing I/M Stations will be \$70 per month plus \$1.70 per test. This will cover the cost of the analyzer, the analyzer maintenance contract, the VID, software and hardware development, and data preparation and reports. A \$3.00 per certificate fee will still be charged by the health department.

Emission Application Guide

All test/test and repair stations are required to have a paper emission control application guide, no older than 3 years. So if your station has a 2009 edition it's time to update. Paper emission control application guides can be purchased from Motor by calling 1-800-4A-MOTOR or Mitchell by calling 1-888-724-6742. Make sure you ask for the 2012 edition.

Calibration Values

During the gas calibration you are prompted to enter the values for each gas calibration bottle. Auditors have noticed a lot of stations that are skipping this crucial step. Please ensure that the calibration gas values match those on the gas bottles.

2012 I/M Testing Requirements

2012 Inspection Requirements		
Model Year	Safety Inspection	Emissions Inspection
2012	Yes	Yes
2011	No	No
2010	Yes	Yes
2009	No	No
2008	Yes	Yes
2007	No	No
2006	Yes	Yes
2005	No	Yes
2004 & Older	Yes	Yes

SIGNATURES

At the request of the I/M Advisory Committee, please have each owner, manager, and certified tester/technician sign this bulletin after they read it. This will help us to hold individuals responsible for their actions. Auditors will be checking this from now on as part of their routine audits.

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