



# DVS Driver & Vehicle Services

## *Required Documents Guide for Standard, REAL ID, and Enhanced Driver's License or Identification Cards*

### **Standard driver's license/ID card:**

Available now.

In order to apply for a standard driver's license or identification card, you'll need to provide:

- A Minnesota driver's license, identification card or permit that is current or expired five years or less with a photo, or one year or less if it does not have a photo.

OR:

- One primary document - must include full name and date of birth.
  - Includes birth certificate, passport or adoption certificate
- One secondary document
  - Includes another primary document, photo ID or driver's license from another state, Social Security card, etc.

A complete list of acceptable documents for a standard driver's license or identification card can be found on the DVS website at [dvs.dps.mn.gov](http://dvs.dps.mn.gov).

### **REAL ID driver's license/ID card:**

Available now.

Applying for a REAL ID-compliant card requires additional documents compared to a standard MN license.

In order to apply for a REAL ID driver's license or identification card, you'll need to provide documents that meet these requirements IN PERSON:

- Proof of identity and date of birth (one document)
- Proof of full legal U.S. status, if proof of identity document does not do so. (one document)
- Proof of Social Security number (one document)
- Proof of Minnesota residency (TWO documents required-must have current name and address)

A complete list of acceptable documents is listed on Minnesota's REAL ID website found at [REALID.dps.mn.gov](http://REALID.dps.mn.gov).

### **Enhanced Driver's License/ID Card:**

Available now. Requires additional \$15 fee. Applying for an EDL or EID includes additional requirements:

- Completion of an interview questionnaire at time of application.
- An EDL/EID must list the Minnesota residence address

In order to apply for an EDL/EID, you'll need to provide documents that meet these requirements:

- Proof of date of birth (one document)
- Proof of full legal name (If your name has changed, you must provide proof of **each** name change.)
- Proof of Social Security number (one document)
- Proof of photographic identity (one document)
- Proof of United States citizenship (one document)
- Proof of Minnesota residency (TWO different documents required - must have current name and address)

A complete list of acceptable documents for an EDL or EID can be found on the DVS website at [dvs.dps.mn.gov](http://dvs.dps.mn.gov).

**NOTE:** If your name on the documents does not match your current name, you will be required to submit proof for each name change.