



BREAKING NEWS

DC Department of Motor Vehicles

There has been a recent change to the vehicle excise tax rate table due to the Motor Excise Tax Amendment Act of 2024.

Effective Tuesday, February 18, 2025, Destiny will automatically calculate the vehicle excise tax based on the excise tax formula.

Formula- Fair Market Value (FMV) x MPG Taxable Percentage (%) = Excise Tax on the unladen weight x fuel efficiency of the vehicle.

****Note: Electric vehicles are no longer exempt from excise tax.****

The chart below shows the new excise tax rate changes.

Red = NEW Excise Tax Rate

Purple = No Change in Excise Tax Rate

Green = NEW Excise Tax Rate for Electric Vehicles

Unladen Weight	20MPG or less	20MPG or less	21MPG - 25MPG	21MPG - 25MPG	26MPG - 30MPG	26MPG - 30MPG	31MPG - 39MPG	31MPG - 39MPG	40MPG or more	40MPG or More	NEW! Electric Vehicle
3,499 or less	8.1%	9.0%	4.4%	5.0%	3.1%	3.1%	2.2%	2.2%	1.0%	1.5%	1.0%
3,500 - 4,999	9.1%	10.0%	5.4%	6.0%	4.1%	4.1%	3.2%	3.2%	2.0%	2.5%	2.0%
5,000 or More	10.1%	11.0%	6.4%	7.0%	5.1%	5.1%	4.2%	4.2%	3.0%	3.5%	3.0%