Vermont DMV is required to send a Driver’s License renewal notice to everyone; however, Vermont residents on active duty in the US Armed Forces (and their immediate family members) may use an expired Driver’s License for up to four (4) years.

If you wish to renew, please visit mydmv.vermont.gov

If you decide NOT to renew your Driver’s License, carry the military extension card (see below), which outlines the provisions of 23 VSA § 616. While operating a motor vehicle, you must have your last Driver’s License, the military extension card (VL-012), and your military ID card.

To renew the extended Driver’s License, you must provide -

- A statement on the Armed Forces letterhead, signed by a commissioned officer, other than yourself, or a copy of your¹ discharge papers and,

- A copy of your expired Driver’s License.

If your Vermont Driver’s License is expired more than seven (7) years ago, you will be required to retake the Driver’s License exam at a Vermont DMV office. Your Driver’s License must be renewed within thirty (30) days of the service member’s discharge.

See dmv.vermont.gov/military for more information on military benefits for Vermont residents.

¹ For dependents/spouses provide discharge documents for service member and indicate relationship.