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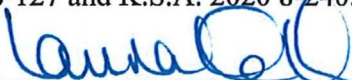www.ksrevenue.org
Laura Kelly, Governor

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PUBLIC DECLARATION of the State's Director of Vehicles, David Harper:

That as Director of Vehicles of the State of Kansas, and in consultation with and support from the Governor of Kansas, Laura Kelly, make this public declaration to authorize the Division of Vehicles to explore and implement all lawful means to support Kansans in Ellis, Gove, Graham, Lane, Logan, Ness, Osborne, Rooks, Rush, Russell, Trego, and Wichita counties, who were adversely impacted by the wildfires caused by power lines, and other causes, knocked over by high winds between December 15 and December 17, 2021.

To support those adversely impacted, the Division shall implement the following procedures for transactions conducted through February 28, 2022 for residents of the above-named counties.

1) Waive any late penalties associated with vehicle registration. This declaration means that vehicle registrants will not be charged a penalty for late submission if they appear at their treasurer's office after their registration deadline. Normally, a penalty of $1.00 per vehicle is added to the registration fee for each month a motor vehicle is late in making timely application for vehicle registration.

2) Waive any fees associated with the reprint or replacement of vehicle registration documentation, printed vehicle certificate of titles, driver's licenses, and/or identification cards.

3) Issue a temporary driver's license to an applicant who cannot provide valid documentary evidence as defined by K.S.A. 8-240, subsection (b)(2), if the applicant provides compelling evidence proving current lawful presence. Any temporary license issued pursuant to this declaration shall be valid for one year.

The States authority for such emergency, public declaration is derived from K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-127 and K.S.A. 2020 8-240.

Laura Kelly   1.4.22   _David Harper_   1.4.22
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