

# Utah Consumer Bill of Rights Regarding Towing

*Effective 01/01/2022*

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## Rates for vehicles rated for 10,001 lbs. or less

<b>Non-Consent Police Generated Tow</b>	<b>Non-Consent Non Police Generated Tow (PPI)</b>
Tow Fee – Up to \$179 per hour	Tow Fee – Up to \$179
Storage Fee (outside) - Up to \$40 per day	Drop Fee - \$90
Administrative Fee – Up to \$37	Storage Fee (outside) - Up to \$40 per day
Fuel Surcharge (if applicable) – See R909-19-14	Administrative Fee – Up to \$37
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- All non-consent tows must be reported to the Utah Motor Vehicle Division via the Impound Vehicle System before payment can be collected as per Utah Code Annotated § 41-6a-1406 and §72-9-603. The consumer can verify it has been reported at [www.tow.utah.gov](http://www.tow.utah.gov). The consumer has a right to ask for documentation that the vehicle has been entered into the Impound Vehicle System showing the date and time storage began.
- The tow truck motor carrier, driver(s) and vehicle(s) must comply with Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations. <http://udot.utah.gov>. Click on the Motor Carrier Division link.
- The consumer has the right to file a complaint alleging: overcharges, inadequate certifications for the driver, truck, company and violations of Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations, Utah Code Annotated or Utah Administrative Code. A complaint may be filed with the Utah Department of Transportation, at [www.udot.utah.gov](http://www.udot.utah.gov) by clicking on the Motor Carrier Division link, then clicking on tow trucks link.

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## Rates for vehicles rated for 10,001 lbs. up to 26,000 lb

### Non-Consent Police Generated Tow

Tow Fee – Up to \$298 per hour  
Storage Fee (outside) - Up to \$60 per day  
Administrative Fee – Up to \$37  
Fuel Surcharge (if applicable) – See R909-19-14

### Non-Consent Non Police Generated Tow (PPI)

Tow Fee – Up to \$298  
Drop Fee - \$149  
Storage Fee (outside) - Up to \$60 per day  
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## Rates for vehicles rated 26,001 lbs. or more

### Non-Consent Police Generated Tow

Tow Fee – Up to \$370 per hour  
Storage Fee (outside) - Up to \$60 per day  
Administrative Fee – Up to \$37  
Fuel Surcharge (if applicable) – See R909-19-14  
Recovery Operations – Vehicle owner must agree to additional “Recovery” fee prior to initiating additional charges.

### Non-Consent Non Police Generated Tow (PPI)

Tow Fee – Up to \$370  
Drop Fee - \$185  
Storage Fee (outside) - up to \$60 per day  
Administrative Fee – Up to \$37  
Fuel Surcharge (if applicable) – See R909-19-14

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