

# Important Information for Out-of-State Snowmobilers coming to Colorado

Colorado is one of many states requiring out-of-state snowmobiles to have a Non-Resident Snowmobile Permit to be operated in Colorado. It is an out-of-state permit, not the same registration as the Colorado resident registration. Both cost the same. In 2016 the cost is \$30.25 (The fine for not registering is \$50)

If you are coming to Colorado, you can get your out-of-state registration before you come to Colorado. You can do it by mail or online, but you **MUST** do it early enough for your sticker to arrive before you leave home. Your online receipt is **NOT** accepted as a temporary registration. You **MUST** have the registration sticker to legally ride in Colorado.

You can order your out-of-state registration online at <https://parksstore.state.co.us/p-7-non-resident-snowmobile-permit.aspx>

Non-Resident Snowmobile Permit

The 2016 non-resident snowmobile permit expires September 30, 2016.

Please allow 7-10 business days for your order to arrive in the mail. If you need your order sooner, please [click here](#) for a list of agents where you can purchase it in person. **You cannot purchase a permit online and pick it up when you get to Colorado. You must allow enough time to receive the permit in the mail.**

Price: \$30.25

Quantity:

\$30.25  
EXPIRES September 30, 2016

Be sure to order one registration for each machine you will bring to Colorado.

There is a link on the page shown above with a list of places you can buy a registration in person. Be aware that in Colorado most snowmobile related businesses are **closed Sunday and Monday**. Also, the businesses that sell these permits must purchase them in advance, so they carry a limited number of permits and could be out of stock when you arrive. They may reorder permits, but plan ahead and order yours before you leave home if at all possible.

Permits for the season become available October 1 and, regardless of purchase date, expire the following September 30.

On any given day, on the Grand Lake trail system, law enforcement officers (officers from Colorado Parks & Wildlife, county sheriff, US Forest Service or National Park Service) may be out patrolling, looking for registration stickers. They also check for other violations

There are no additional trail fees on the Grand Lake Snowmobile Trail system. There are some riding areas that have local fees, so be sure to check before you arrive.