



Drive a Clean Machine Program Update

Effective September 1, 2011, eligible vehicles are:

- **Model year 2009 and newer - cars, SUVs, and vans;**
- **Model year 2010 and newer - pickup trucks; and**
- **Model year 2009 and newer - hybrid, electric, natural gas and all vehicles that have been certified to meet federal Tier 2, Bin 3 or cleaner Bin certification. These vehicles will qualify for a \$3,500 voucher.**

All vehicles sold on or after September 1 must meet new eligibility criteria, regardless of the voucher's date of issue or expiration, or status of ongoing sales negotiations with the dealer. The following model year vehicles will be removed from the eligibility lists and will no longer be eligible for purchase under the DACM program after **August 31, 2011**.

- **Model year 2008 cars, SUVs, and vans;**
- **Model year 2009 trucks**

Program Changes beginning September 1, 2011

Effective September 1, 2011, the AirCheck Texas Drive a Clean Machine program will implement new requirements resulting from the passage of House Bill 3272 during the 82nd Texas Legislature, Regular Session, 2011. The changes affect vehicle repair assistance and the retired and replacement vehicle eligibility.

1. For repair or replacement assistance the vehicle must have a current registration and have been registered in a participating county for 12 of the past 15 months preceding the application for participation in the program;
2. The vehicle you purchase must meet the following requirements:
 - Must be a federal Tier 2 Bin 5 or cleaner vehicle (see the list: model year 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009);
 - Have an odometer reading of not more than 70,000 miles;
 - Cannot cost more than:
 - \$35,000 before tax, title and license, or
 - \$45,000 for a hybrid vehicle, electric vehicle, natural gas vehicle or a vehicle certified to meet or exceed Federal Tier 2, Bin 3 or cleaner certification of current or up to three model years old; before tax, title and license; and
 - Must be purchased through a participating dealer.