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**Driver Licensing Regional Office in Valley Station Area of Jefferson County
Completes Transition to New Location**

New, larger office on Willismore Drive replaces former Dixie Highway location

FRANKFORT, Ky. (Jan. 30, 2023) – The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) soon will complete a consolidation of its Driver Licensing Regional Offices in the Valley Station area of Jefferson County, moving operations from a Dixie Highway location to a larger space off Willismore Drive.

The consolidation will be effective Monday, Feb. 6. The consolidated office has been designated Louisville-Dixie Highway. It is near the interchange of Dixie Highway and the Gene Snyder Freeway. Business hours are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Eastern. Appointments at any regional office are available at drive.ky.gov and walk-in customers are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

“There will be no reduction of customer service with this consolidation,” KYTC Secretary Jim Gray said. “We will have the same number of workstations as at both locations combined. But the Louisville-Dixie Highway location offers more space and more efficient operation.”

The Louisville-Dixie Highway location is one of 32 regional offices statewide that provide modern, secure licensing and credentialing services. Other offices in Jefferson County are at the Nia Center, 2900 West Broadway; Hurstbourne office, 9112 Leesgate Rd., and Bowman Field office, 3501 Roger E. Schupp.

Driver testing in Jefferson County is conducted by Kentucky State Police (KSP) at the Bowman Field location. Applicants requiring written or skills testing must schedule an appointment online at assigned locations by visiting kentuckystatepolice.org/driver-testing/.

Kentuckians now have convenience options such as online scheduling for office appointments, and online or mail-in license renewal that were not available under Kentucky's previous system of license issuance at local circuit court clerk offices. They also can choose between a standard-issue or REAL ID-compliant credential and a four-year or eight-year renewal.

First-time REAL ID applicants must visit a KYTC regional office in person, with proof of identity, residence and social security. For a personalized list of required documents to bring when applying, visit realidky.com. The U.S. Department of Homeland Security has set May 7, 2025, as the date by which a REAL ID or other form of verified identification will be required for boarding a commercial airliner or entering a military base or other installation at which ID is required.

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