



## TOWING TOPIC SUBMISSION

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INDUSTRY AFFECTED:	PPI Tows, Tow Contract, Auto Return Dispatch Process

TOPIC OR DESCRIPTION OF ISSUE:

VIN inspections not being done

HOW IS THIS IMPACTING THE INDUSTRY?

Officer Ottoman is no longer coming out and doing VIN inspections and no one has replaced her. We are now piling up with cars that we can't lift the hold in AR and we can't legally dispose of any actual vehicles. ( utility trailers we can usually destroy and dispose of in the trash if needed)

REASON FOR CONSIDERATION OR CHANGE TO THE REGULATIONS?

The extra storage space needed to store these vehicles well past when they should be disposed of is an unreasonable burden on the tow companies

WHAT IS THE PROPOSED SOLUTION?

Have someone assigned to take care of VIN inspections. They should get a notice any time AR puts a VIN hold on a vehicle and they should come out on a regular basis.  
OR B, allow us to charge the agency requesting the tow, for the HOLD time, just like on normal HOLD vehicles.

WAS A FILE/IMAGE UPLOADED WITH THIS SUBMISSION? No