



Facts and Stats Grade "A" for March

According to Idaho Code 39-5701, the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare must inspect each business that sells tobacco to ensure that it does not sell tobacco to minors. In **March 2017**:

- 283 Vendors were inspected. *
- 18 Vendors sold to the inspecting minor.
- The compliance rate for the month was 93.64%

*Inspections where purchase attempts were made.

**Prevent the Sale
Website**
[Preventthesale.com/
Idaho](http://Preventthesale.com/Idaho)

Look for our new game, additional training and point-of-sale resources for retailers, and updated ID information!

ON YOUR SIDE; NO APRIL FOOLING

By Annette Ludington

Idaho DHW and Inspectors Want You to Succeed

When it comes to tobacco inspections, both Idaho Department of Health & Welfare, and the state and federal Inspectors want you to succeed. We do not want anyone getting fined for selling to a minor. We would be very happy if all of Idaho's tobacco vendors never sold to anyone under 18.

This is why we have this newsletter: to make sure you have all of the information you need to refuse the sale of tobacco to our youth. These newsletters remind you to always check ID, provide you with the latest information about ID designs, and keep you up to date on the latest state and federal tobacco laws and inspection changes. Be sure to review your monthly newsletter for important updates. In addition, don't forget to check out our newsletter archive for helpful reminders. Our newsletter archive can be found at:

<http://preventthesale.com/Idaho/NewsletterIndex.htm>

We appreciate your help in preventing our Idaho teens from smoking before they are 18. Together we can make a difference!

New Driver's License and ID Design Coming

The Idaho Department of Motor Vehicles have worked with a new vendor to design a new Idaho driver's license and IDs that will meet the security requirements for the Real ID Act of 2005. For more information on the Real ID Act, go to U.S. Homeland Security website; <https://www.dhs.gov/real-id-public-faqs>

All the counties in Idaho will slowly switch over to the new look for Idaho license and various IDs, so you may start seeing these new IDs this year when checking the age of customers purchasing tobacco and/or alcohol at your establishment. On the next page are a couple of examples of what the new driver's license will look like.

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New Driver's License Cont.

The DMV did not have a picture of the new driver's license for teens under the age of 18 but assured us that these licenses will remain vertical and still contain the green section showing the date the teen will reach 18.

For more information on the new driver's license, check out the websites below.

<http://www.cdapress.com/archive/article-6c265e36-9565-11e6-a2f0-4f6cc36c8ebd.html>

<http://www.postregister.com/articles/news-daily-email-todays-headlines/2016/10/15/idaho-driver%E2%80%99s-license-gets-redesign#>

http://apps.itd.idaho.gov/apps/MediaManagerMVC/transporter/2016/081916_Trans/081916_NewLicenses.html

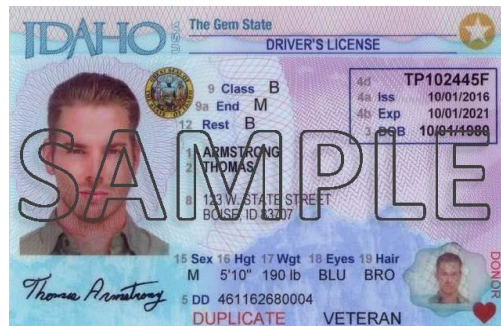
If it's **GREEN**, **STILL** Say **NO** to the Teen

Under Idaho law it's illegal to sell tobacco to minors. This means anything that contains tobacco including cigarettes, tobacco, tobacco papers, snuff, cigars, electronic cigarettes, pipes, hookah and smokeless tobacco. If you sell to a minor, you could be fined \$100 and lose your job. Always ask for a photo ID and **LOOK FOR THE GREEN BOX TO THE RIGHT OF THE TOP PHOTO.**

New Look for Under 21



New Look for Over 21



Current Look for Under 18



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ID Tobacco Project Website: healthandwelfare.idaho.gov
Select the "Families" tab and then "Substance Abuse"
On that page select the box titled "Idaho Tobacco Project"

What's inside?

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