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DETAILED ANALYSIS

License Plate	Play Golf Ohio license plate, which must display an appropriate logo and words selected by the representatives of the Northern Ohio PGA Section Foundation and the Southern Ohio PGA Golf Foundation and approved by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles. ¹
Recipients	Available to all applicants.
Eligible Vehicles	Any passenger car, noncommercial motor vehicle, recreational vehicle, or other vehicle approved by the Registrar.
Contribution; Additional BMV Fee; Use of Contribution	<p>\$25 required contribution.</p> <p>\$10 additional administrative BMV fee.</p> <p>Contributions must be paid to the Northern Ohio PGA Section Foundation and the Southern Ohio PGA Golf Foundation (each receiving half). The Foundations must use the contributions to promote golf throughout Ohio.²</p>
Requirements for Issuance	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Submission of an application;2. Payment of the regular license tax, any local tax, contribution, administrative fee, any special reserved license plate fee if necessary; and3. Compliance with all other relevant laws relating to motor vehicle registration.

¹ R.C. 4503.736.

² R.C. 4501.21 and 4503.736.

**Combined with Special
Reserved License Plate**

May be combined with a special reserved license plate provided in current law.

HISTORY

Action	Date
Introduced	06-03-25
Reported, S. Transportation	06-18-25
