

NPGA and DOT Needs Your Input Regarding Usage of Special Permits

NPGA Reports has stated that PHMSA has updated its policy and procedures with respect to special permits issued to members of an industry association. Specifically, the association must provide the name and street address of each of the members that requests authority to use the special permit.

In the past, NPGA has met this requirement by simply providing our overall membership list to PHMSA electronically. PHMSA is now requesting of NPGA a listing of members who are actually using the special permits. NPGA members have been granted two (2) special permits by PHMSA, both of which remain active today. These special permits are SP-11209 (Farm Cart) and SP-13341 (5% Rule). NPGA confirmed that PHMSA does not simply want our overall membership list, but they want a specific list of companies who have used or plan to use either SP-11209 or SP-13341. To that end, NPGA requests that you send an email to Mike Calderera at mcaldarera@npga.org confirming your company's use of either special permit (or both).

You are requested to forward this information to NPGA prior to using these permits.