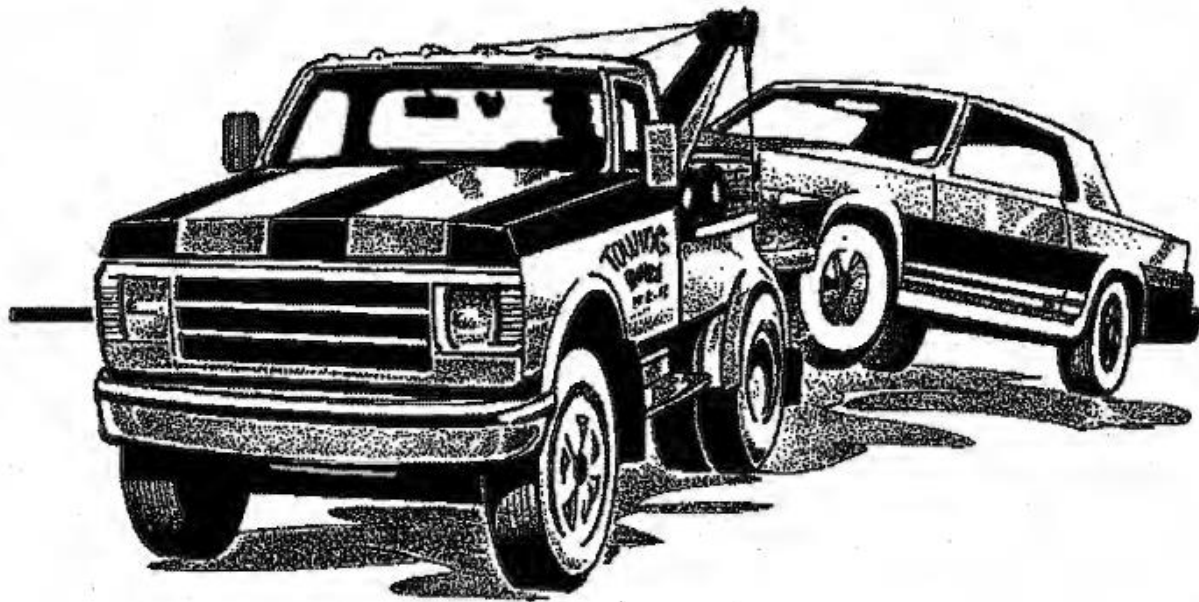


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FOREWORD

The purpose of this manual is to consolidate into one publication departmental policy and guidelines concerning: vehicle storages and impoundments, stolen/embezzled vehicles and recovery reports, and the seizure of vehicles as evidence. This manual also provides reference sources which may be used in responding to questions relating to the disposition or storage of a vehicle.

The objective of this manual is to provide clarifying information to law and other policy concerning all issues related to vehicles which are stored, impounded, or seized by departmental personnel and to assist with the reporting and recovery of stolen/embezzled vehicles. Post-storage hearing guidelines and rotation tow policy are also included.

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