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How to start an auto detailing business in Wyoming

Form the business and register for sales tax; we found no state detailing license, so check local rules and ask how your services are taxed.

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1 Is detailing right for you?

Detailers clean and protect vehicles inside and out. It suits careful, patient people and can start small with a mobile setup.

2 Form the business and register for sales tax

1. Choose a structure. LLCs and corporations file with the Wyoming Secretary of State.
2. Get a sales and use tax license from the Department of Revenue. Repair and alteration services on vehicles are taxable.
3. Check your city or county for local licenses and zoning.

3 Licenses

We found no Wyoming State license for detailing or car washes. Check your city or county for licenses and zoning.

4 Sales tax

Products you sell are taxable. Ask the Department of Revenue how your washing and detailing charges are treated.

5 Your first steps

1. Form the business and register with the Department of Revenue.
2. Check local licenses and zoning.
3. Buy insurance and equipment.
4. List your business on Nearby Car Care

Requirements at a glance

Sales tax on products; ask about services

Required - State - Wyoming Department of Revenue

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Official agencies and links

Wyoming Sales Tax 101 (June 2023 Joint Revenue Interim Committee presentation)

Wyoming Department of Revenue (Wyoming Legislature)

https://wyoleg.gov/InterimCommittee/2023/03-202306265-01SalesTax101June2023.pdf

Frequently asked questions

Do I need a license to detail cars in Wyoming?

We found no state license.

This guide is general information, not legal advice. Rules change and can depend on your city or county, so confirm with the official agencies linked below before you apply.

https://nearbycarcare.com/resources/business/start-auto-detailing-business/wyoming/