

Lone Star Region, Porsche Club of America Drivers Education Technical Inspection

Drivers Name	Car Make	Car Model	Color	Car Number
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DRIVR INSP Item(s) Inspected

- _____ **Helmet¹** – Snell rated **SAH, SA, M, or K current or last date certificate**, no cracks; chin strap in good condition.
- _____ **Roll Bar¹** – Mandatory for all open and semi open cars without manufacturer’s structural or deploying roll over protection; must pass the broomstick rule. Regardless of car, all roll bars must be covered with closed cell foam padding in any place where helmet, arms, or legs including the passenger side could come in contact with the bar.
- _____ **Seat Belts¹** – Factory or better installation in both seats; must be securely mounted; belts not frayed; equal restraints passenger and driver. 4-point harnesses prohibited except Schroth Quick Fit. Five-, 6- and 7-point harnesses use seat with factory routing holes and harness webbing must be replaced every 5 years, dates per the SFI labels.
- _____ **Structural Integrity** – no loose body or interior parts; no structural rust at or near suspension points
- _____ **Doors** – if present must be operational from inside and outside.
- _____ **Windshield** – no cracks, condition does not impair vision.
- _____ **Cameras and Timing Devices** inside car must be tethered.
- _____ **Mirrors** – minimum of single mirror in good condition and securely mounted.
- _____ **Gas Cap** –tightly closed; no leakage
- _____ **Fluids** – NO DRIPPING LEAKS of any fluid of any type
- _____ **Fluid Lines** – proper fittings and line condition; no external clamps used on pressurized oil lines
- _____ **Battery** – properly secured; no apparent corrosion; positive post cover, or contained within complete box
- _____ **Throttle Return** – freely operating and proper spring(s); proper adjustment for full throttle range
- _____ **Engine** – proper exhaust in good condition; general condition of engine and accessories
- _____ **Belts** – fan and other auxiliary belts in good condition with proper tension
- _____ **Brakes** – Sufficient brake pads (50% minimum); rotors and pads are in good condition; no cuts or abrasions in brake lines. There should be no visible cracks extending to the edge of the rotor. With co-driver, pads should exceed minimum standard.
- _____ **Brake Fluid** – system flushed WITHIN LAST 6 MONTHS; Sufficient brake fluid; premium fluid recommended
 **** Date of last flush:** ____/____/____
- _____ **Brake Lights** – functional and visible brake lights
- _____ **Pedals** – good condition, with proper pedal pads for grip. All pedals must have free return and be in good operating condition. Brake pedal must be firm.
- _____ **Tires** – general good condition; no cracks, cuts, cords or blisters; speed rated; sufficient tread thickness for tire type and use; proper inflation; same brand, size, and similar wear on both sides of rears and fronts; different brand and size on front and rears acceptable, but not recommended unless specific to car setup.
- _____ **Wheels** – Overall Condition: no cracks, bends or flaws; valve stems must have airtight caps.
- _____ **Wheel Bolts & Lugs** – All lug nuts engaged; pay special attention to after-market wheels & Turbo Twist wheels; if using track tires, steel lug nuts should be used.
- _____ **Wheel Center locks** – make sure locking devices are fully engaged.
- _____ **Wheel Bearings** – proper free rotation; no looseness in hub
- _____ **Front Suspension** – no excessive play; ball joints and tie rods secure; boots and all seals in good condition
- _____ **Rear Suspension** – half shaft boots in good condition; mounting hardware in good condition; no leakage.

Tech Inspector: Printed Name / Signature: _____ / _____ **Date²:** _____

Business Stamp or Name: _____ **Phone No.** _____

¹ Item uses abbreviated language; see expanded details at <http://www.pca.org/Activities/DriverEducation/MinimumStandards.aspx>

² Inspection must be made within 30 days prior to the event.

THE UNDERSIGNED INDIVIDUAL(S) HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:

1. This OFFICIAL TECHNICAL INSPECTION FORM (THE “FORM”) submitted to the **LONE STAR REGION** (the “Region”) of the Porsche Club of America, in connection with the above noted High Performance Driver Education Event was performed on the date shown below by a Porsche mechanic or other person authorized by the Region to conduct such an inspection.
2. The completed Form correctly and accurately shows the condition of the Car identified above on the date of the inspection.
3. There have been no changes in the condition of the Car since the date of the inspection that would affect the track-worthiness of the Car. The undersigned hereby agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless PCA, its zones and regions, as well as the inspector, from any and all claims or demands arising directly or indirectly from any incorrect and/or inaccurate statements set forth in this form.

I understand that the technical inspection performed on my Car and my helmet is solely for the purpose of meeting minimum standards of car preparation for the Zone’s or Region’s High Performance Driving Event. No warranties or guarantees are implied or expressed by the passing of the inspection performed. I acknowledge that the safe condition and operation of my Car is entirely my responsibility. I take full and sole responsibility for any vehicle problems, malfunctions, or damage that may occur in connection with the operation or performance of my Car prior to, during, or subsequent to the Event.

Driver #1 Signature: _____ Date: _____ Driver #2 Signature: _____ Date: _____

Technical Inspection Stations

Prior to participating in the DE event, you must have your car technically inspected.

In general, any authorized Porsche / BMW dealer (or a dealer in the make of car you will be driving) can perform the technical inspection, as well as independent garages who service Porsches or BMW's, etc.

If the location you are interested in is not on the following list of Tech Stations, call them first. In any event, you must make an appointment for a technical inspection.

There may be a charge for this service.

Independent Garages:

Driver's Source, 14750 Memorial Drive, Houston, TX (281) 497-1000

EuroCar Werk, 5103 Gulfton Way, Houston, TX – (713) 661-6428

European Auto Techniks, 15103 Mintz Lane, Houston, TX 77014 – (281) 873-5111

Mayo Performance, 1521 Baccarac Court, Euless, TX – (817) 540-4939 (Porsches only)

SoulSpeed Performance Inc., 5214 Burleson Road, Suite 112, Austin, TX 78744, (512) 832

1800 Sphere Motorsports LLC, 3233 West 11th St, Unit J2, Houston, Texas 77008, (832)

277-7062 Swiss Garage, 3520 W Alabama St, Houston, TX 77027, (713) 626-9320

Victory Motorcars, 5829 Beverly Hills St., Houston, TX 77026 – (713) 783-6555

Winding Road Racing, 2500 Mc Hale Ct #100A, Austin, TX 78758 - (512) 994-0656

Authorized Porsche Dealers, including:

Porsche of North Houston, 18111 North Freeway (I-45), Houston, TX (281) 944-2122

Momentum Porsche, 10105 SW Freeway, Houston, TX (713) 596-3611

Porsche of West Houston, 11890 Katy Freeway, Houston, TX (281) 249-4718

Park Place Porsche, 4101 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas, TX (214) 525-5400