

Helpful Websites

Billrosenbooks.com

- Check in regularly for updates, posts, links to resources and instructional videos, and to sign up for my newsletter.
- Also, visit my YouTube channel: *Bill's Guide: Buying and Selling Used Cars* at <https://www.youtube.com/@Billrosenbooks>

Email Scams

- Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency
www.cisa.gov/sites/default/files/publications/emailscams_0905.pdf
- “Steering Clear of Vehicle History Report Scams”
Federal Trade Commission
<https://consumer.ftc.gov/consumer-alerts/2018/10/steering-clear-vehicle-history-report-scams>
- “How To Steer Clear of a Flood-Damaged Car”
Federal Trade Commission
<https://consumer.ftc.gov/consumer-alerts/2022/11/how-steer-clear-flood-damaged-car>

Odometer Fraud

- The National Highway Transportation Safety Administration
<https://www.nhtsa.gov/vehicle-safety/odometer-fraud>

Risk Tolerance Assessment Tool

- Rutgers University
<https://njaes.rutgers.edu/money/assessment-tools/investment-risk-tolerance-quiz.pdf>

Sample Impound Fee Schedule

- The City of Los Angeles Official Police Garages
<http://www.opgla.com/Rates>

Used Car Buying or Selling Scams

- Federal Trade Commission
<https://consumer.ftc.gov/consumer-alerts/2019/06/put-brakes-phony-online-car-sales>
- Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance NMVTIS
https://vehiclehistory.bja.ojp.gov/nmvtis_buyingtips

Used Car Buying Tips

- Federal Trade Commission
<https://consumer.ftc.gov/articles/buying-used-car-dealer>

Valuation of Used Cars

- Kelley Blue Book
<https://www.kbb.com/car-values/>
- Edmunds
<https://www.edmunds.com/appraisal/>
- J.D. Power (formerly NADA Guides)
<https://www.edmunds.com/appraisal/>
- Hagerty (classic car values)
<https://www.hagerty.com/valuation-tools>
- AutoTempest (car listings aggregator)
<https://www.autotempest.com/>

VIN Check Approved Providers

- Department of Justice
National Motor Vehicle Title Information System
https://vehiclehistory.bja.ojp.gov/nmvtis_vehiclehistory

VIN Decoding

- Edmunds
<https://www.edmunds.com/how-to/how-to-quickly-decode-your-vin.html>