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APPRAISAL REPORT

**1955 Cadillac Deluxe Coupe Deville
2-Dr Coupe**

PREPARED FOR:

'55 Cadillac Client



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'55 Cadillac Client
123 Main St
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APPRAISAL REPORT: 1955 Cadillac Deluxe Coupe Deville 2-Dr Coupe Classic Vehicle

To Whom It May Concern:

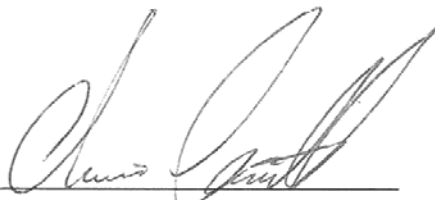
In compliance with the recent request, we have appraised the above referenced vehicle.

We have enclosed the limited appraisal report that constitutes our analysis and conclusion of the research completed on this vehicle.

The Replacement Value of this vehicle, as of the date specified herein was; **\$30,300.00**

Thank you very much for your business, and if you should have any further questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,



Chris Courville

Appraiser, Auto Appraisal Network, Connecticut

PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF REPORT:

PURPOSE

The purpose of this document is to report to the customer the appraiser's opinion of the overall condition of the subject vehicle.

MINIMUM DIMINISHED VALUE

The Minimum Diminished Value of the vehicle is described as the minimum amount of money that an automobile is estimated to have depreciated in value, due to a particular accident, mishap, event or circumstance and is based on wholesale market pricing and the standard sliding scale established by the International Society of Automotive Appraisers or a fair market offer to purchase after the date of loss.

FAIR MARKET VALUE

The Fair Market Value of the vehicle is the highest price on the date of valuation that would be agreed to by a seller, being willing to sell, and a buyer, being willing to buy, and under no particular necessity for so doing, each dealing with the others full knowledge of all the uses and purposes for which the property is reasonable, adaptable and available.

REPLACEMENT VALUE

The replacement value of a vehicle is defined as the actual total cost of exactly duplicating the vehicle if it were subject to a total loss. In the case of a customized or modified vehicle this must also include the cost of obtaining an identical type of 'donor' or 'base' vehicle, the cost of obtaining all of the additional aftermarket and specialty components along with all labor costs incurred to replicate the loss vehicle.

FAIR MARKET VALUE PRIOR TO LOSS

The Fair Market Value of the vehicle Prior To Loss is the highest price on that prior noted date of valuation that would have been agreed to by a seller, being willing to sell, and a buyer, being willing to buy, and under no particular necessity for so doing, each dealing with the others full knowledge of all the uses and purposes for which the property is reasonable, adaptable and available immediately prior to the known loss date of that vehicle.

METHOD OF VALUATION

The value is estimated by current market data comparison, supplemented by cost information. The vehicle is compared when possible, with others for sale and that have sold in the general time period. Adjustments are made for differences in equipment, mileage, cosmetics, conversions, originality, condition as well as sale terms and current economic conditions at time of sale.

ASSUMPTIONS AND LIMITING CONDITIONS

This report has been prepared and issued only to the person named on the cover, and no other persons should rely on this report.

Information including, vehicle identification numbers, serial numbers, engine numbers, engine size, component serial numbers, color codes, paint codes, trim codes, component stampings, door tags, fender tags, cowl tags, date codes, badges, emblems, owner history and mileage information provided by the owners or parties to sell or others, or displayed on the appraised vehicle or components are assumed to be reliable, correct and truthful, as accuracy is not checked or guaranteed for originality or authenticity.

Although Auto Appraisal Network has an extensive library, we do not have direct access to specific manufacturer's records, log books, files, computer data bases or other non published information.

Auto Appraisal Network limits our damages to no more than the cost of this appraisal.

IDENTIFICATION AND DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLE:

This narrative is an attempt to determine Replacement Value of this vehicle, as of the noted date of:

10/13/2015

REPORT DATE:

8/1/2016

VEHICLE LOCATION:

Stratford, CT

INSPECTION DATE:

10/13/2015

VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION:

VEHICLE MAKE:

Cadillac

MODEL YEAR:

1955

MODEL:

Deluxe Coupe Deville

BODY STYLE:

2-Dr Coupe

VIN:

556284300

LICENSE NUMBER:

AA 8123

TAG EXPIRATION DATE:

1955

ODOMETER READING:

42,186

OTHER ID: (if available)

**Engine ID: 556284300, Paint Code: 34-12,
Trim Code: 57 T, Style: 6237DX, Body:
FW18964, ACC: E-H-Y**

VEHICLE DESCRIPTION:

EXTERIOR COLOR:

Arlington Green/Alabaster

INTERIOR COLOR:

Green/Green

EQUIPMENT:

See "Vehicle Options" Page

VEHICLE OPTIONS

331 cubic inch 250 hp V-8 engine,
4-barrel carburetor,
Power steering,
Power brakes,
Hydra-Matic automatic transmission,
EZ Eye glass,
Heater option,
Power windows,
Autronic-Eye automatic headlight dimmer,
Factory AM radio,
Dash clock,
Factory 15" wheels w/wheel covers,
BF Goodrich Silvertown wide white wall tires,
Fender skirts,
Continental spare tire kit w/chrome cover,
Arlington Green and Alabaster White exterior paint.

CONDITION REPORT

EXTERIOR:

	POOR	FAIR	AVERAGE	GOOD	VERY GOOD	EXCELLENT
BODY:				X		
PAINT:				X		
TRIM:				X		
EMBLEMS:				X		
F. BUMPER:				X		
R. BUMPER:				X		
UNDERSIDE:			X			
FRAME:			X			
WHEELS:				X		
TIRES:				X		
SOFT TOP:						N/A
HARD TOP:						N/A
GLASS:				X		
W. STRIPPING				X		

INTERIOR:

	POOR	FAIR	AVERAGE	GOOD	VERY GOOD	EXCELLENT
ENG COMP:				X		
DASH:				X		
INST. PNL:				X		
STRG. COL:				X		
F. SEATS:			X			
R. SEATS:				X		
DOOR PNLS:				X		
INT. TRIM:				X		
CONSOLE:						N/A
CARPETS:				X		
REAR SHELF:				X		
TRUNK:			X			

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

MECHANICAL:

It is at the appraiser and vehicle owner's discretion to test drive the subject vehicle. Test driving the vehicle does not constitute a guarantee of the current or future operational status or functionality of any mechanical, hydraulic, electrical or computer systems featured on the subject vehicle. Auto Appraisal Networks recommends that our customers contact an ASE Certified mechanic to perform such tests as needed. The types of problems encountered in older, classic and customized vehicles can be easily masked or hidden.

NOTES:

On the date appraised, this 1955 Cadillac Series 62 Deluxe Coupe Deville represented a good example of this true American classic automobile.

As noted on the Vehicle Option pages, and as depicted on the many enclosed digital photographs, this '55 Coupe Deville has been lovingly and carefully maintained over the years, and is in remarkably good condition overall.

It was also noted to be very original in it's current state. Paint quality was notably good. Body quality was good as well. All the underpinnings of the undercarriage were found to be in average condition, but very well sorted and fully operable. All interior components were in good condition, as was expected from looking at the rest of the vehicle. Some threadbare areas of the driver's seat were found, but were not serious, and could be repaired. All electrical and mechanical components were found to be fully operational.

This '55 Cadillac is typical of the type automobile that both collectors and enthusiasts sought after when looking to either add to, or expand onto their collection.

The replacement value of this 1955 Cadillac Coupe Deville is based upon the average asking price of suitable replacement vehicles available in the marketplace. The replacement value does not include, tax, title, or registration fees.















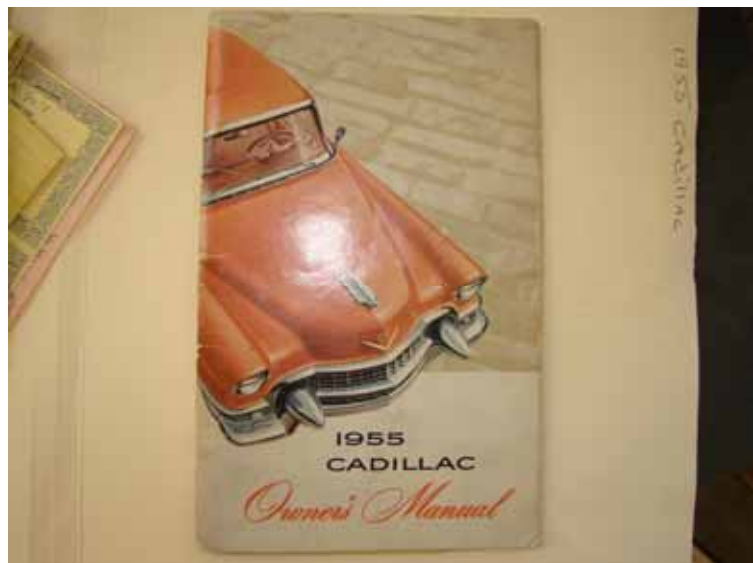
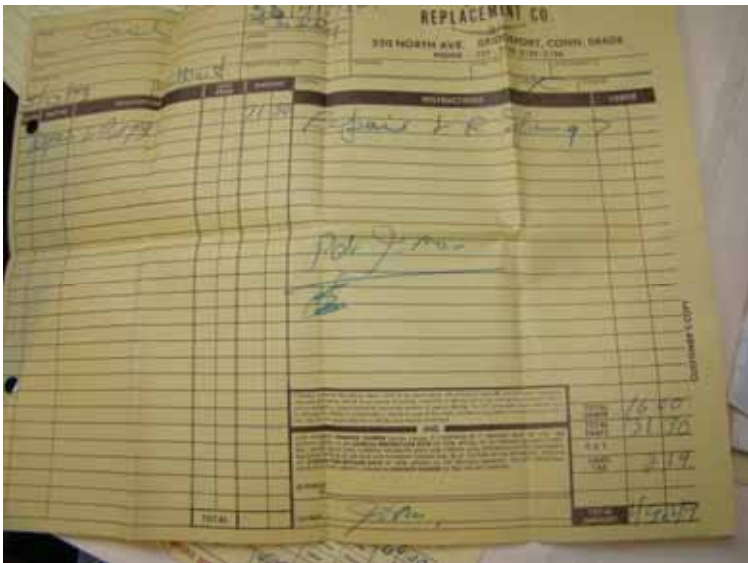
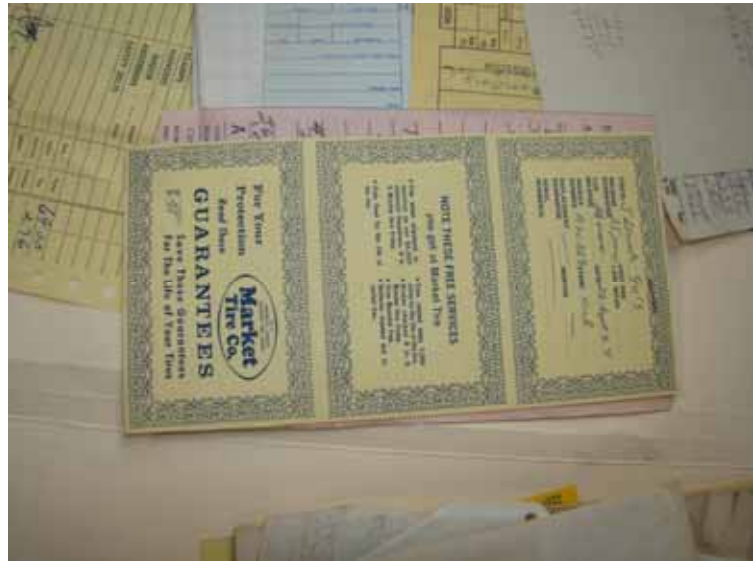




















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Vehicle Location

Country United States
City, State Mooresville, NC [Yes, I want a FREE Shipping](#)
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Vehicle Basics

Odometer Reading 24711
Year 1956
VIN 5662103189
Convertible No

Exterior Details

Vehicle Color(s) Light Green

Interior Details

Color(s) Green

Engine Details

Engine Configuration V-8
Engine Size 365

Transmission Details

Transmission Type Automatic

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VEHICLE DESCRIPTION

VEHICLE DETAILS

SELLER INFO

1955 CADILLAC SERIES 62

\$29,850

If your in the market for a cool classic but still want to do some work to it you are in luck. Most the time when you find a car that needs work it is rusted out and would be a money pit. That is not the case here. This classic 1955 Cadillac Series 62 is well on its way to being a beautiful show car and needs very little to be completed. That gives you a chance to get your hands in on the build process without having to do the extensive work that has gotten it this far. Scroll down to see a list of the things left to do to the car. The two door hardtop is coated in the original style yellow with metallic green hard top (Paint Code 40-44). The car was completely disassembled and media blasted before receiving the new paint job which has a great shine. The body is laser straight and the paint was entirely wet sanded and buffed to a great finish. It was a Texas car its entire life and is currently with its second owner. Every chrome piece was removed and rechromed with all the stainless being polished and buffed out. All of the rubber seals on the car were replaced which is a time consuming task that really makes a difference when it comes to wind noise. The car left the factory with accessory options E-H which include the E-Z eye glass, fog lights, 3.07 gear ratio, and the heating system. The deck lid crest is brand new which surprisingly is a very pricey item. All of the side



STATEMENT OF APPRAISAL AND OTHER LIMITING CONDITIONS

The undersigned hereby declares that:

- A physical inspection of the stated vehicle was actually performed.
- There is no undisclosed personal interest, presently or contemplated in the future, in the vehicle or the proceeds to be derived there from.
- Neither the employment nor the compensation for this report is contingent upon the value estimated herein.
- To the best of my knowledge, as noted under 'Appraisal Provisions and Stipulations' the statements in this report are correct and the opinions stated are based on a full and fair consideration of all the available facts.
- The findings reported herein will not be revealed to anyone other than the named recipient without permission or until required to do so by due process of law.
- A copy of this report will be kept in our files for a period of five years, together with the original notes from which it was prepared.
- The fee for this report is not contingent upon value or condition of the vehicle.
- No investigation of legal title to the vehicle has been made and owners or tenant's claim to the property has been assumed to be valid. No consideration has been given to liens or encumbrances that may be against the property except as specifically stated in the report.
- In the event that our expertise is needed in any action, such as but not limited to court action, contact with a public agency, or involvement in any arbitration process (appraisal clause hearing), it will first require the consent of the appraiser. Should our appraiser/inspector be required to appear in connection with this report document, an additional minimum fee of \$650 (Six hundred fifty dollars) will be charged and is due prior to service.
- Any required umpire fee is also due prior to any arbitration hearing. Due to the complex nature of this service and the number of parties involved, our appraiser does not accept responsibility for any delays incurred. For any travel greater than 25 miles from the appraisal location, separate and additional fees will be charged for and rental car, airfare, lodging and additional travel expenses.
- Additionally consultants, negotiations or other time related activities incurred in lieu of an appearance will be billed by our office at the \$250.00 (Two hundred fifty dollars) per hour fee. Court time will be billed at this rate with a 4 hour minimum.
- Auto Appraisal Network or it's associates will not under any circumstances be liable for any damages whatsoever, including any special, indirect, incidental, consequential or exemplary damages resulting from the use or misuse of this report, due to any cause, even if Auto Appraisal Network has been advised of the possibility of such damages. In any event, Auto Appraisal Network's total liability to you for all damages (Whether based on contract, tort or other theories) will be limited to the amount you actually paid.

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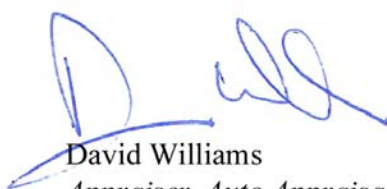
- Unless noted or acknowledged elsewhere, this report describes the condition of the vehicle as it was as of the date specified or immediately prior to the noted loss date.
- This report only represents the areas of the vehicle that could be physically viewed at the time that the inspection actually took place including the components and equipment described herein.
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- All specialized considerations that are deemed correct and relevant in the reporting for the noted appraised vehicle were taken.
- This information reflects the reported and obtained information, pursuant to professional Appraisal industry standards and guidelines set forth by the International Automotive Appraiser Association.
- This report was prepared exclusively for the client of Auto Appraisal Network and should only be used and/or referred to when completed in it's entirety, and spiral bound by the appraiser.
- The physical conditions as well as the options listed in this report are as of the date specified herein. This report is accurate as of the specified date and does not reflect the condition or alterations to the equipment that may occur after the specified date or damage that may occur as a result of shipping and or abuse.
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- This is not an authentication of this vehicle, authentication can only be provided by the manufacturer or their designated expert.
- Acceptance of, and/or use of, this appraisal report constitutes acceptance of the limiting conditions, provisions and stipulations stated in this report.

After having considered all the relevant factors, Auto Appraisal Network concludes that the Replacement Value of the subject vehicle, as of the date specified was;

THIRTY THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS

\$30,300.00

Respectfully submitted,



David Williams

Appraiser, Auto Appraisal Network, Inc.

I.A.A.A. Member# 1001190007

SUMMATION OF VALUE

Past market performance is not an indication of future performance, markets can, and do, change all the time. Our opinion of the Fair Market, Replacement, Prior to Loss or Loss of Use Value is based on a combination of any of the following:

- The overall cosmetic and mechanical condition of the vehicle.
- The demand and available supply of comparable vehicles when available.
- The adjusted value of somewhat similar vehicles advertised or recently sold.
- Dollar amounts indicated by the published value guides.
- Dollar amounts indicated by on-line value guides.
- The expertise of the appraiser.
- The expertise of other appraiser within our national network that might have been consulted for this assignment.
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- The expertise of a recognized expert of the particular type of vehicle appraised that might have been consulted for this assignment
- Auto Appraisal Networks extensive database of previous completed reports of similar vehicles.
- Opinions of others who have handled similar models in the past, and market similar vehicles currently.
- Physical auction results listing actual vehicles sold or the highest dollar amount bid against sellers reserve.
- On-line auction results, such as Ebay, listing actual vehicles sold or the highest dollar amount bid against sellers reserve.
- Extensive on-line research of that particular type of vehicle.
- The consideration of receipts provided, as well as other expenses incurred for the subject vehicle.

ADDITIONAL NOTES REGARDING THE SUMMATION OF VALUE

Mechanically, the appraised vehicle, as noted under 'Additional Notes', is assumed to perform with no operational malfunctions and or driving problems unless such problems were disclosed by the owner/seller. No dollar amount was debited from the Fair Market or Replacement Value in order to compensate for the repair of such mechanical defects.

Additionally contained in this report may be comparable vehicles available and for sale in the market place. Asking prices and actual sales prices will fluctuate depending upon the overall cosmetic appearance and condition, originality, the mechanical history and performance, recorded mileage, configuration of power-train, custom conversions, options and accessories. This report, when possible will adjust to compensate for those differences.

The subject vehicle, at the time of this report, represented a Good example of a;
1955 Cadillac Deluxe Coupe Deville 2-Dr Coupe Classic Vehicle

With consideration for all the information and dollar amounts determined as relevant to this report, Auto Appraisal Network has determined a Replacement Value of this vehicle, as of the date specified herein was;

THIRTY THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS

\$30,300.00

The replacement value is the opinion of Auto Appraisal Network and is arrived after careful study of information observed or supplied to us that we assume to be both accurate and reliable. As described under both the prior written 'Assumptions and Other Limiting Conditions' and the 'Appraisal Provisions and Stipulations', we assume no responsibility for inaccuracies or errors.

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