**REQUIREMENTS OF THE IARA**

**Become**

**Lifetime**

**CAR-Certified!**

**CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM**

1. After initial certification, the CAR designation is valid for three and one-half years.
2. After two and one-half years, the twelve-month CAR Continuing Education (CE) period commences, at which point you can recertify. ***If not completed after three years-six months, the certification lapses.***
3. Outline of the CAR Continuing Education Program:
	1. You have one year to recertify. You can recertify between 2.5-3.5 years since your last certification date.
	2. Testing for recertification will be required. The recertify test will be comprised of 40 core questions taken from all 20 of the current exams. Additional questions will be added at the time based on any updated material in the curriculum. The test does not have to be proctored. Feel free to test at your convenience. Fee for recertification is $150.00. There is no limit as to the number of exam sittings to recertify; however, there must be a minimum of 24 hours between exams.
4. Persons earning and maintaining the IARA CAR designation will be granted a $50 discount to attend all IARA Summer Roundtables. They will also receive a special attendee badge recognizing them as IARA Certified Automotive Remarketers.
5. **LIFETIME CAR-CERTIFICATION**: When a Certified Automotive Remarketer has passed the initial test and subsequently passes three recertification tests, he/she is “Lifetime-Certified” and will not recertify at any point.