# 1972 VOLKSWAGEN BEETLE 2-DOOR CONVERTIBLE

## APPRAISED FOR BOURNE'S AUTO CENTER

**DECEMBER 30, 2017** 





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January 8, 2018

Mike Kelly, Bourne's Auto Center 135 Belmont St. South Easton, MA 02375-1910

RE: 1972 Volkswagen Beetle, 2-Door Convertible AAG File Number: 143227-077

Dear Mr. Kelly,

Enclosed please find the appraisal certificate of the 1972 Volkswagen Beetle, 2-Door Convertible, that was inspected on December 30, 2017 by our certified agent, Michael Edleston, per your request. Our inspection was performed to determine the condition and fair market value for income tax purposes of this vehicle for donation. We are not aware of any special conditions for use being placed upon the vehicle. After our inspection of the 1972 Volkswagen Beetle, 2-Door Convertible, we have given it an overall condition rating of Sound. In general AAG's condition ratings are as follows:

Superior – highest quality, trailered, recent national award winner, garage kept. Outstanding – appears show quality, very limited use, garage kept. Very Good – above average, minor wear, limited use, garage kept. Sound – average, normal wear. Fair – below average, needs minor upgrade, shows heavy wear.

Serviceable – restorable, but needs work to be drivable.

Poor – not operational or parts vehicle.

Based on our research and market survey, we have determined that this 1972 Volkswagen Beetle, 2-Door Convertible, VIN: 1522245705, had a fair market value of \$11,500.00 as of December 30, 2017 for income tax purposes. The appraised value of this vehicle is based on its mechanical and cosmetic conditions, options, originality, historical significance and quality of craftsmanship. The enclosed Description of Appraisal Process page further explains AAG's methodology.

Thank you for the opportunity to assist you with this certified appraisal service. Feel free to contact our Home Office at 800-848-2886 if we can be of further assistance. Sincerely,

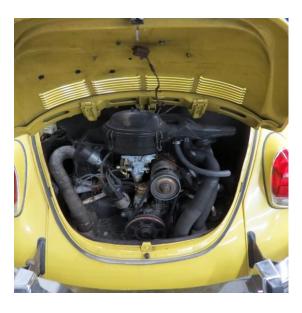
L.E. Batton, CAGA, GPPA

President

Enc: certificate, photos, IRS Form 8283, methodology and credentials













1972 Volkswagen Beetle appraised by Auto Appraisal Group on December 30, 2017

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Vehicle: 1972 Volkswagen Beetle, 2-Door Convertible



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**Description:** Restored Color: Yellow / White Top / Tan Interior

Engine: 4cyl 1585cc Transmission: 4-Speed

**CONDITION RATINGS** 

Condition Code: 5-Excellent, 4-Very Good, 3-Good, 2-Fair, 1-Poor, 0-No Rating;
\* indicates True Mileage Unknown

EXTERIOR: Body 3 Paint 3 Glass 3

Tires 3 Wheels 2 Trim/Chrome 3

Lights 3 Undercarriage 3 Top 3

INTERIOR: Upholstery 3 Panels/Liner 3 Carpet/Mats 3

Instruments/Dash 2 Trunk/Cargo Area 0 Spare/Jack 0

MECHANICAL: Engine 3 Equipment 3 Test Ride 3

GENERAL: Options 3 Originality 2 Market Personality 3

**Overall Rating: Sound** 

Appraised Value: \$11,500.00

Appraised value shown was the fair market value at the time of our inspection on December 30, 2017 for income tax purposes. The vehicle is garage kept and driven on a limited basis. Appears to be mechanically sound. The exterior displays a repainted body and a replacement top. The interior was restored and shows little wear.

#### **PREPARED FOR:**

Mike Kelly, Bourne's Auto Center 135 Belmont St. South Easton, MA 02375-1910 AAG Tax ID: 54-1562788 Appraisal Date: 12/30/2017 AAG File Number: 143227-077 Agent: Michael Edleston

This appraisal is based upon matters which are apparent to the appraiser from a visual inspection and unless otherwise stated, hereby certifies that we have this day carefully examined the above described vehicle. This appraisal is made with the understanding that the appraiser assumes no liability with respect to any action that may be taken on the basis of this appraisal and does not include matters which might become apparent from the disassembling of parts or from the repeated use of this vehicle. Most appraisals should be updated annually. The accompanying letter, any photographs, and definitions are an integral part of this appraisal. No portion of this report may be copied, published, or duplicated without the written permission of AAG.













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## **Description of Appraisal Process**

This appraisal is based on the conclusion and opinion of the appraiser and is not a guarantee that this vehicle will realize the appraised value if offered for sale. The appraised value is reached by using the market data approach and by researching several sources for comparable vehicles, including but not limited to: the Auto Appraisal Group® central database, auction and retail sales results, consultation with knowledgeable specialists, and other resources as they pertain to this particular vehicle. The appraised value is the amount, in US Dollars, that the vehicle could sell for between a willing buyer and seller in the current marketplace. This is with the understanding that each party is well informed, having all applicable information pertaining to the market in which this type of vehicle is sold, and that neither party is under any duress to buy or sell.

Factors utilized in the consideration of the appraised value of the vehicle include its physical, cosmetic and mechanical condition, options, originality or authenticity, quality of restoration or repairs, model popularity, rarity or uniqueness, and the current economic state of the market. Only relevant factors are considered in the appraised value of the vehicle.

This appraisal is based upon matters that are apparent to the appraiser from a visual inspection, and assumes that there are no hidden conditions of the vehicle that would cause it to differ in value. This appraisal does not warranty the vehicle as sound and operational condition.

This appraisal is made with the understanding that the appraiser assumes no liability with respect to any action that may be taken on the basis of this appraisal and does not include matters that might become apparent from disassembling or from the repeated use of this vehicle. No refunds are issued after services have been provided. The appraiser is not required to appear in court or give testimony regarding the appraisal or the appraised vehicle unless arranged prior to the event.

This appraisal does not make any opinion to the legal status of the title of the vehicle. Information, opinions and statements given by the client or vehicle representative are considered trustworthy and the appraiser assumes no responsibility for their accuracy.

The appraiser has no current or future interest in the appraised vehicle and payment for services is not contingent upon the outcome of the appraisal. The appraiser has no personal bias concerning the subject of the appraisal or relating to any participants in transactions involving the vehicle.

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## L. E. "Larry" Batton, President

**Founder and President** of Auto Appraisal Group Inc., (AAG) a nationwide company providing comprehensive appraisals of all types of automobiles, including antique, classic, commercial and special interest automobiles, since 1989. AAG is the largest valuation appraisal company in the United States and the only company with trained and certified, independent agents. Agents have diverse expertise about a wide variety of cars, trucks and motorcycles from early 1900's to today.

Market Value Research for Auto Appraisal Group<sup>®</sup> appraisals includes investigation of current market activity, sales, trends, comparable value analysis, and diminished value due to accident damage. Auto Appraisal Group<sup>®</sup> appraisal service determines the fair market value for insurance matters, gift requirements, estate and financial matters and for consumers prior to automobile purchase or resale. AAG attends auctions to gather current market value and sales information.

**Author and Instructor** of Auto Appraisal Group<sup>®</sup> Certification Training Program. Since 1990, over one hundred & fifty agents have been tested and certified to physically inspect and document any automobile. AAG has unlimited access to one of the largest personal automotive research libraries in the country with over 1700 volumes on automobiles dating from 1900.

**Appraiser** of the Harold LeMay Automotive Collection of over 3000 vehicles and large collection of automobilia items documented by the Guinness Book of World Records as the world's largest private automobile collection which included many motorcycles. Appraised Chip Miller's and Bob McDorman's Corvette collections. Appraised the "Sinkhole 8" Corvettes for the National Corvette Museum. Since 1990, AAG has been the official appraiser for Carlisle Productions. Interviewed for *Strange Inheritance* on FOX and for *Motor Week* with Pat Goss of *Goss' Garage*.

**Clients** include individuals, recognized lenders, major insurers, United States government agencies and national and international corporations including auto manufacturers and prominent retailers.

**Expert witness testimony & umpire services** provided for insurance claims and settlements including diminution of value, misrepresented sales and divorce settlements. He has been deposed, and has testified and is recognized as an automobile value expert in both Federal & District Courts.

Over 45 years of experience in the automobile business, including employment with new car dealerships of the following manufacturers: Chrysler, Plymouth, Dodge, Subaru, Mazda, Chevrolet, and Volkswagen. While with these companies, he held positions as general manager and sales manager of both new and used car sales. He apprised thousands of trade-ins during that time.

Member of Certified Appraisers Guild of America. Also current member of NADA Advisory Board, Society of Automotive Historians, Antique Automobile Club of America, Classic Car Club of America, National Association of Automobile Museums, Specialty Equipment Market Association, Automotive Restoration Market Organization and Lincoln Highway Association.

**Licensed Auctioneer** in Virginia & Pennsylvania for 10 years. Member of National Auctioneer's Association. Recipient of NAA Education Institute's **Graduate Personal Property Appraiser** designation. Specialist in appraisal of antique and collectible autos and auto related personal property.

**United States Marine Corps.** Veteran of Vietnam War. Awarded Purple Heart.

# Form **8283** (Rev. December 2012)

Department of the Treasury

Name(s) shown on your income tax return

Internal Revenue Service

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### **Noncash Charitable Contributions**

► Attach to your tax return if you claimed a total deduction of over \$500 for all contributed property.

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Information about Form 8283 and its separate instructions is at www.irs.gov/form8283.

OMB No. 1545-0908

Attachment Sequence No. 155

Identifying number

Note. Figure the amount of your contribution deduction before completing this form. See your tax return instructions.

Section A. Donated Property of \$5,000 or Less and Certain Publicly Traded Securities - List in this section only items (or groups of similar items) for which you claimed a deduction of \$5,000 or less. Also, list certain publicly traded securities even if the deduction is more than \$5,000 (see instructions). Part i Information on Donated Property-If you need more space, attach a statement. (c) Description of donated property (b) If donated property is a vehicle (see instructions). (For a donated vehicle, enter the year, make, model, (a) Name and address of the 1 check the box. Also enter the vehicle identification donee organization condition, and mileage, number (unless Form 1098-C is attached) unless Form 1098-C is attached.) A В C D E Note. If the amount you claimed as a deduction for an item is \$500 or less, you do not have to complete columns (e), (f), and (g). (g) Donor's cost (e) Date acquired (f) How acquired (d) Date of the (h) Fair market value (I) Method used to determine contribution by donor (mo., yr.) by donor or adjusted basis (see instructions) the fair market value A В C D E Partial Interests and Restricted Use Property-Complete lines 2a through 2e if you gave less than an Part II entire interest in a property listed in Part I. Complete lines 3a through 3c if conditions were placed on a contribution listed in Part I; also attach the required statement (see instructions). Enter the letter from Part I that identifies the property for which you gave less than an entire interest > If Part II applies to more than one property, attach a separate statement. b Total amount claimed as a deduction for the property listed in Part I: (1) For this tax year (2) For any prior tax years Name and address of each organization to which any such contribution was made in a prior year (complete only if different from the donee organization above): Name of charitable organization (donee) Address (number, street, and room or suite no.) City or lown, state, and ZIP code d For tangible property, enter the place where the property is located or kept ▶ Name of any person, other than the donee organization, having actual possession of the property ▶ 3a Is there a restriction, either temporary or permanent, on the donee's right to use or dispose of the donated Yes No b Did you give to anyone (other than the donee organization or another organization participating with the donee organization in cooperative fundraising) the right to the income from the donated property or to the possession of the property, including the right to vote donated securities, to acquire the property by purchase or otherwise, or to designate the person having such income, possession, or right to acquire? . . . . . . . c Is there a restriction limiting the donated property for a particular use?

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