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CAR TALK

Get a full and complete answer when asking for oil blends

BY RAY MAGLIOZZI



Dear Car Talk: I really like the way you support our older gals who have to deal with car repair issues in a male-dominated industry. My question concerns how to keep my 2005 Ford Expedition, with 160,000 miles on it, running at its best well into old age. My usual oil-change place has recommended synthetic oil for quite a while, and I assumed that was best for an older vehicle, even though it's more expensive. However, I

recently tried out the Ford dealer's "Quick Lane" oil-change option and asked for synthetic oil. They told me that they use a blend of synthetic and regular oil, and the bill was surprisingly low. This made me worry that in exchange for a lower price, I was shortchanging my vehicle by using mostly regular oil (since I didn't ask how much synthetic is in the "blend"). When I asked about it, I was basically given the "don't worry about it, little lady" response. That's when I decided to write to Car Talk, which I've turned down to us "litle ladies"! Should I stick with the synthetic oil or save a few bucks? — Cowgirl Sue

IF YOU HAD ASKED THE QUICK LANE GUY TO TELL YOU HOW MUCH SYNTHETIC OIL IS IN THE BLEND THEY USE, HE'D PROBABLY HAVE NO IDEA. "DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT, LITTLE LADY" IS YOUR CLUE THAT HE DOESN'T KNOW.

form traditional oils in pretty much every performance category — including the all-important areas of viscosity and fluidity at colder temperatures. And while they cost more, they not only perform better and offer better protection to your engine, they also last longer, so you change your oil less often. So if you're interested in such things, you'll also be disposing of less waste oil, which is better for the environment. If you had asked the Quick Lane guy to tell you how much

synthetic oil is in the blend they use, he'd probably have no idea. "Don't worry about it, little lady" is your clue that he doesn't know. Oils are not required to list their ingredients on the side of the container like salad dressings. So you're right to suspect that a low price probably means less of the good stuff. So unless the Quick Lane offers a genuine, full synthetic oil as an extra cost option, I'd go back to your old guy and keep

using the synthetic. That'll give you the best chance of keeping your Expedition running well into old age — its old age and yours. Got a question about cars? Write to Ray in care of King Features, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803, or email by visiting the Car Talk website at www.cartalk.com. (c) 2021 by Ray Magliozzi and Doug Bernier. Distributed by King Features Syndicate, Inc.

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Legals

CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS

ORDINANCE NO. 3699
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TEXAS, AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, TEXAS BY REZONING 3.459 ACRES OF LAND LOCATED AT 8007 DAVIS SOLE-VALE FROM AG (AGRICULTURAL) TO RESIDENTIAL PLANNED DEVELOPMENT; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE OF ALL ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; ESTABLISHING A PENALTY; PROVIDING FOR SAVINGS; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. Any person, firm or corporation violating any provision of the Zoning Ordinance and the zoning map of the City of North Richland Hills as amended hereby shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon final conviction thereof fined in an amount not to exceed two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00). Each day any such violation shall be allowed to continue shall constitute a separate violation and punishable as such. PASSED AND APPROVED on the 14th day of June, 2021.

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CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE

Sealed bids will be received via www.PublicPurchase.com until June 20, 2021 at 2:00 PM, and publicly opened and read via teleconference for the purchase of the following:

BD # 21116 – Pavement Marking Services

CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS

By: /s/ Oscar Trevino, Mayor
Alicia Richardson, City Secretary/Chief Governance Officer
APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY
/s/ Malakha B. McGinnis, City Attorney
Jun 17-18-2021

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RFP # 21127 Photos with Santa for Prairie Lights

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NTTA

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The North Texas Tollway Authority (NTTA) is accepting bids for the above mentioned solicitation until June 25, 2021 at 1:00 pm. CT. A copy of the RFS documents can be downloaded at NTTA's Marketplace (<https://www.marketplace.com>).

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