

**METROPOLITAN NASHVILLE-DAVIDSON COUNTY  
TRANSPORTATION LICENSING COMMISSION**

**Minutes**

**July 15, 2014**

The Metropolitan Nashville-Davidson County Transportation Commission (TLC) met in regular session on this date at the Metropolitan Courthouse. Present were Chair Sal Hernandez, Vice Chair Tom Turner and Commissioners Pat McNally, Sam Patel and Rhonda Marko. (5). Also present were Metro Legal Advisers Theresa Costonis and Rachelle Gallimore-Scruggs along with TLC staff members Lisa Steelman, Millie Carman and Director Billy Fields.

The Chair and called the meeting to order at 1:33 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a reading of the Notice of Appeal Statement which outlined the right of appeal for TLC decision.

**Minutes From Previous TLC Meeting**

Commissioner Patel with a second from Commissioner McNally moved approval of the previous TLC meeting minutes with no changes.

ACTION: Motion approved 4-0

**Other Passenger Vehicles for Hire**

*New Company Applications*

Director Fields presented applications for Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as Other Passenger Vehicle for Hire from the following:

- i. Best Chauffeur in Nashville
- ii. Black on Black Limo
- iii. Go Livery
- iv. Reliable Black Car Service
- v. My Corporate Car Inc.
- vi. Pro Transportation LLC
- vii. Regal Limousine Service
- viii. Up Town Limo Service
- ix. Volunteer Limo

Commissioner McNally, with a second from Commissioner Marko, moved to approve all nine applications.

ACTION: Motion approved 3-0-1

Vice Chair Tuner recused himself from this action.

*Other Vehicle For Hire Driver Applications*

Kenneth Humphrey appeared to request a permit to be an "other vehicle for hire" driver. Director Fields reported that he failed to fully disclose his background, but was eligible to be given a permit. Commissioner Marko, with a second from Commissioner Turner, moved to approve.

ACTION: Motion approved 4-0

Amin Shabazz appeared to request a permit to be an "other vehicle for hire" driver. Director Fields reported that he failed to fully disclose his background, but was eligible to be given a permit. Commissioner Marko, with a second from Commissioner McNally, moved to approve.

ACTION: Motion approved 4-0

Director Fields reported that Jess Yafe applied for a permit to be an "other vehicle for hire" driver. Director Fields reported that he failed to fully disclose his background, but was not present and had been notified to appear. Commissioner Patel, with a second from Commissioner McNally, moved to deny for failure to appear.

ACTION: Motion approved 4-0

## Wrecker

Gregory Sanders appeared to request a permit to be a wrecker driver. Director Fields reported that he failed to fully disclose his background, but was eligible to be a driver. Commissioner McNally, with a second from Commissioner Marko, moved to approve.

ACTION: Motion approved 4-0.

Director Fields reported that Jeremiah Martin had applied to be a wrecker driver, but had failed to fully disclose his background. Mr. Martin was not present, but had been notified to be present. Commissioner Turner, with a second from Commissioner Patel, moved to deny for failure to appear.

ACTION: Approved 4-0.

Director Fields reported that Kevin D. Messer had applied to be a wrecker driver, but was listed on the Tennessee Sexual Offender registry and needed to appear. Mr. Messer was not present, but had been notified to be present. Commissioner Turner, with a second from Commissioner Patel, moved to deny for failure to appear.

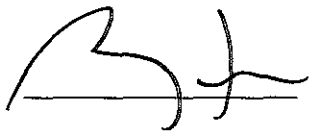
ACTION: Approved 4-0.

## Other Business

Director Fields advised the TLC that he anticipated asking for a public hearing in August to allow the Commission to consider revisions of the Metropolitan Code of Laws 6.74 "Other Passenger Vehicles for Hire" as well as rules related to driver eligibility.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:47 p.m.

ATTEST:



Billy Fields  
Director/Executive Secretary

APPROVED:



Sal Hernandez  
Chair