# METROPOLITAN NASHVILLE-DAVIDSON COUNTY TRANSPORTATION LICENSING COMMISSION

### Minutes March 25, 2021

The Metropolitan Nashville-Davidson County Transportation Licensing Commission (TLC) met through Web-X Conferencing for the TLC meeting on this date. Present for the video conference were Vice Chair Pat McNally, Commissioners Carey Rogers, Jessica Powell, Mona Lisa Warren, Freddy Carr and Carol Westlake. (7). Present were Metro Legal Advisers Theresa Costonis and Tara Ladd with TLC staff members Lisa Steelman and Billy Fields.

The Vice Chair called the meeting to order which was followed by a reading of the Notice of Appeal Statement which outlined the right of appeal of TLC decisions.

The Vice Chair stated that the TLC must vote on the record that the Covid-19 pandemic requires the meeting to be held telephonically and/or through video conferencing as permitted under the Governor's Executive Order Number 78

Commissioner Carr moved with a second from Commissioner Powell that meeting electronically was necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of Tennessee in light of the Covid-19 outbreak.

A roll call vote followed with 5-0 vote for approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

The minutes from February 25, 2021 were presented for approval. After some discussion Commissioner Powell with a second from Commissioner Warren moved to approve the minutes.

A roll call vote followed with 5-0 vote for approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

#### **Wrecker and Towing Services**

Jason Chad Owen applied to be a wrecker driver and Jim Mitchell, operator of Dad's and West Nashville Towing Service was present on the telephone call. After some discussion, Commissioner Carr with a second from Commissioners Warren moved to approve application.

A roll call vote followed with 5-0 vote for approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

#### Other Passenger Vehicles for Hire

Ahouo Limo applied to operate an OPVH company. Commissioner Carr with a second from Commissioner Warren moved to approve the application.

A roll call vote followed with 5-0 vote for approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

The following companies made address change requests:

- Apex Transportation Services LLC move to 11518 Bobby Drive #442, Lyles, TN 37098
- Black Ice Livery move to 4963 Bethesda Duplex Road, College Grove, TN 37046
- El Botros Limo Services move to 1434 Old Stone Road, Lebanon, TN 37087

Commissioner Carr with a second from Commissioner Westlake moved to approve the requests.

A roll call vote followed with 5-0 vote for approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

#### Other Passenger Vehicles for Hire

Gary Hill applied to be an OPVH driver, but Director Fields stated he had been unable to contact (by telephone or email) Mr. Hill to advise him of the permit review hearing. Director Fields suggested that the application be held for 30 days then if there is no communication with Mr. Hill, the Director would deny the application.

## **Horse Drawn Carriage**

Dallas C. Crawford applied to be a driver, but Sugar Creek Carriages advised TLC staff that he would not be hired. Mr. Crawford was not present by phone. Director Fields suggested that the application be held for 30 days then if no contact from Mr. Crawford, the Director would deny the application.

## **Ethics Training for Board and Commission Members Presented by Metro Legal**

Legal Advisers Costonis and Ladd made a presentation on ethics as required for all members of Metropolitan Boards and Commissions.

With no further business, the meet	ing was adjourned.		
ATTEST:	APPROVED:		
Billy Fields Director/Executive Secretary	Patrick McNally Vice Chair	 Date	