

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

**Minutes
November 18, 2021**

The Metropolitan Nashville-Davidson County Transportation Licensing Commission (TLC) met for a regular meeting on this date in the Jury Assembly Room of the Historic Davidson County Courthouse. Present were Chair Sal Hernandez, Vice Chair Patrick McNally and Commissioners Carey Rogers, Mona Lisa Warren and Carol Westlake (5). Present were Metro Legal Adviser Theresa Costonis along with TLC staff members Lisa Steelman and Billy Fields.

The Chair called the meeting to order then led the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a reading of the Notice of Appeal Statement which outlined the right of appeal of TLC decisions.

Commissioner Westlake with a second from Commissioner Rogers moved approval of the previous meeting minutes:

ACTION: Approved 4-0

Public Hearings

The Chair stated there would be a public hearing as a continuance from the previous meeting regarding rules related to the increase or decrease of vehicle fleets for Shared Urban Mobility Devices (SUMDs). Director Fields explained that section 12.62 of the MCL requires the TLC to develop rules related to this issue.

The Chair opened the public hearing with Sam Reed representing the industry. With no other speakers, the Chair closed the public hearing,

After some discussion, Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Westlake moved to approve the following rule:

Companies may increase their fleet by no more than 50 scooters upon an affirmative vote of the TLC if the:

- Company provides objective data that their maximum authorized fleet size is not meeting rider demand because the fleet is averaging 2.5 rides or greater per day of operation over the last 30 days fleet numbers;
- *Company has a plan to equitably distribute the increased fleet throughout the city; and*
- Company is in compliance with the current regulations of the TLC with regard to scooter operations, responsiveness, and other compliance measures that may be adopted from time to time by the TLC;
- *Company has been substantially compliant with the 17 goals of the SUMD program as defined in BL2019-109 Section 2 (C) (attached);*
- *Commission determines that on balance, the community will benefit from the additional fleet rather than be burdened by it;*
- A company shall not be eligible for a fleet increase if it was granted a fleet increase of 30 or more scooters by the TLC within the last 60 days.

ACTION: Approved 4-0

Other Passenger Vehicles for Hire

The following companies applied to operate as an OPVH company:

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| • 2 nd to None | • L&M Transportation Service |
| • Achilles Transportation LLC | • Music City Limousine |
| • Laveen Industry | • Ride with TJ |

Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Rogers moved to approve.

ACTION: Approved 4-0

USA Carriage dba Westhaven Carriages requested an address change to 330 Byron Way, Franklin, 37064

After some discussion, Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Westlake moved to approve the request.

ACTION: Approved 4-0

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Billy Fields
Director/Executive Secretary

Sal Hernandez
Chair

Date