

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

Minutes

January 26, 2023

The Metropolitan Nashville-Davidson County Transportation Licensing Commission (TLC) met for its regular meeting on this date in the Jury Assembly Room of the Historic Davidson County Courthouse. Present were Chair Sal Hernandez, Vice Chair Pat McNally along with Commissioners Carol Westlake, Trey Reliford, Carey Rogers, Keith Pyle and Freddie Carr (7). Present were Metro Legal Advisers Theresa Costonis and Erica Haber. Also present were TLC staff members Cody Osborne, Lisa Steelman, TD Schlafer and Billy Fields.

Executive Secretary Fields announced that Commissioner Betsy Williams resigned her seat from the TLC.

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 Pyle with a second from Vice Chair McNally moved approval of the meeting minutes from the previous meeting.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

Public Hearing

The Chair opened the public hearing for the Annual Hearing for Consideration of Taxicab Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Applications. Executive Secretary Fields reported that no applications for new or additional taxicabs have been filed for consideration. Further, he explained it would be appropriate to open the meeting for comment, but there were no other actions required. The Chair closed the hearing.

Wrecker and Towing Services

Ray's Towing and Recovery requested an address change to 673 Blair Road, Smyrna. 37167. Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Carr moved approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

E & E Towing and Recovery failed to renew on time and requested approval of its application. Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Carr moved approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

Nash Towing Inc. filed an application to operate as a general wrecker service. Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Carr moved approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

Other Passenger Vehicle for Hire

The following company applications to operate as an Other Passenger Vehicle for Hire (OPVH) were presented for consideration:

All Life Transportation
Ameed Limo
Ana & Ava Limo
Aras Limo
Black Car Limo
Black Horse Limousine LLC
Burton Transportation Nashville
Canaan Transportation LLC
Classy Transportation LLC
ESV 7up Transportation
G & J Limo LLC
GAT Transportation
Haron Limo
Ibrahimi Transportation
Jo Jo's Limo Service
K and J
Klean Whipz Music City LLC
Level One Transportation LLC
Luxury Limousine Service LLC
Marcelina Transportation LLC
Mehvan Black Cars
Nalbend Limo
OnPoint LLC
Paul E. Myers LLC dba Go Plux Ride
Rahma Limo LLC
Rasul Limo
Saint Mary Limo of Nashville
Timelapse Limousine LLC
Two Flowers Limo
VIP Limo LLC
YTA Limo Service LLC
Zee 4 Limousine Service
Zen Luxury Transportation

After some discussion, Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Westlake moved approval.

ACTION: Approved 5-0

Executive Secretary Fields asked that the Wooden Wheels OPVH company application be considered. Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Rogers moved approval. (Commissioner Reliford was now present)

ACTION: Approved 6-0

Royal Limo requested permission for an address change to 3025 Rincon Court, Murfreesboro, 37217. Commissioner Westlake with a second from Vice Chair McNally moved to approve.

ACTION: Approved 6-0

Executive Secretary Fields asked the TLC to consider two OPVH applications which were for special purpose vehicles under the Chapter 6.74 of the Metropolitan Code of Law.

Center Stage Transportation LLC dba Music City Pink Express applied to operate as an OPVH company under the special purpose vehicle section. After some discussion, Commissioner Carr with a second from Commissioner Rogers moved to deny the new company OPVH application for special purpose vehicles from Center Stage Transportation LLC dba Music City Pink Express.

ACTION: Denied 6-0

615 Transportation applied to operate as an OPVH company under the special purpose vehicle section, however, the applicant asked to defer consideration. After some discussion, Commissioner Reliford with a second from Commissioner Pyle moved to defer 615 Transportation new company OPVH special purpose vehicle application until applicant can be present at February TLC meeting.

ACTION: Deferred 6-0

A discussion followed regarding the definition of special purpose vehicles in section 6.74 of the Metropolitan Code of Law. Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Carr moved to recommend to Metro Council that Metro Code section 6.74.010 and 6.74.025 be amended to exclude entertainment transportation vehicles.

ACTION: Approved 6-0

Vice Chair McNally with a second from Commissioner Carr moved to temporarily suspend accepting special purpose vehicle applications at TLC office pending Metro Council action and staff provides recommendation on new rule in July.

ACTION: Approved 6-0

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Billy Fields
Executive Secretary

Sal Hernandez
Chair

Date