VEHICLE FOR HIRE BOARD

September 28, 2023

4252 Groves Rd Columbus, OH 43232

The meeting was called to order by Alternate Chairperson Lucy Frank at 9:35 A.M.

The roll call of Board Members showed five (5) members present, seven (8) members absent, and two (2) currently vacant. A quorum was not met therefore we were unable to dispense the reading of the minutes and to approve all old minutes that hadn't been approved.

APPLICATION FOR NEW PEDICAB/QUADRICYCLE OWNER LICENSES

One (1) license issued

APPLICATION FOR NEW TAXICAB OWNER LICENSES

Two (2) licenses issued

APPLICATION FOR VEHICLE TRANSFER OF TAXICAB OWNER LICENSES

Five (5) licenses transferred

APPLICATION FOR OWNER TRANSFER OF TAXICAB OWNER LICENSES

Two (2) owner licenses transferred

APPLICATION FOR VEHICLE TRANSFER OF LIVERY OWNER LICENSES

Two (2) licenses transferred

APPLICATION FOR NEW LIVERY OWNER LICENSES

Eight (8) licenses issued

OLD BUSINESS

 Tabled for future quorum discussing combining the livery owner and driver board position as well as the alternate vehicle owner and driver board position into one position each (totaling two positions instead of four)

NEW BUSINESS

- Gave pledge of ethical conduct/oath of office to present board members
- Board meetings going to quarterly starting in October, then January, April, July, etc.
- Discussed open board position of alternative vehicle driver and requirements for approval

- License section/Weights & Measures moving from Public Safety to Building & Zoning. Building & Zoning Deputy Director Anthony Celebrezze & Assistant Director Wendi Bootes were in attendance.
- Discussed Taxicab/Livery owner license renewals ongoing and the no renewals permitted after October 31st per CCC 587.07.

OPEN DISCUSSION

• Discussed the extreme hardship language add to CCC 501.17.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Jennifer Atkinson and was second by Beyene Gola. Meeting was adjourned at 10:25 A.M.