

Disability Issues Committee

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Accessible Taxis in Toronto

Committee Recommendations

The Disability Issues Committee recommends that:

1. City Council renew its commitment to the Toronto Taxicab Licence Reforms and a fully accessible taxi fleet and make any changes required to achieve that goal immediately.
2. City Council request the Executive Director, Municipal Licensing and Standards to research the possibility of mandating side-entry accessible vehicles to further enhance safety for Toronto's taxicabs as part of the report on accessible taxicabs expected in 2016.

Decision Advice and Other Information

The following gave a presentation to the Disability Issues Committee on Toronto's Taxicabs - Enabling Inclusive and Accessible Service:

- Tracey Cook, Executive Director, Municipal Licensing and Standards; and
- Vanessa Fletcher, Project Manager, Taxi Industry, Municipal Licensing and Standards.

Summary

Presentation to the Disability Issues Committee by the Executive Director, Municipal Licensing and Standards on Accessible Taxis in Toronto.

Background Information

(April 28, 2015) Presentation - Toronto's Taxicabs - Enabling Inclusive and Accessible Service (<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2015/di/bgrd/backgroundfile-79596.pdf>)