



City of Longview Agenda Summary Sheet

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SUBJECT TITLE:

Addressing the qualifications of applicants for a license for taxicab or for-hire vehicle operators.

SUMMARY STATEMENT:

Ecocab, LLC owner/operated Mr. Ron Knori has expressed concern with not being able to find qualified local operators/drivers for his local taxicab company. Mr. Knori's operations have expanded outside of our immediate area and into Portland, OR. Mr. Knori has asked that we make a change to LMC 5.80.080 to allow qualifying individuals with out-of-state driver's licenses to be eligible to apply for a Taxicab/For-Hire Operator's License.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

A motion directing City Attorney to prepare an ordinance for adoption by council amending Longview Municipal Code 5.80.080 Section (6) by striking "(6) Possess a valid state of Washington driver's license; and" and replacing it with "(6) Possess a valid driver's license; and" and to place the ordinance on agenda May 14th 2015

COUNCIL STRATEGIC INITIATIVE ADDRESSED:

Strengthen economic conditions and create new opportunities.
Improve transportation systems.

Expenditure Required:

Amount Budgeted:

Appropriation Required:
