

**From:** Tom Watson [mailto:twatson@barrietaxi.com]

**Sent:** Wednesday, March 22, 2017 11:12 AM

**To:** Dawn McAlpine

**Subject:** RE: City Council Deputation Request for Monday March 27th, 2017

Good Morning Ms. McAlpine,

Yes the deputation requests are concerning opposition to the recommended motion. The names and companies of the individuals that will be presenting deputations are:

Tom Watson-Giles – Operations Manager - Barrie Taxi Ltd.

Erwin Giles – President - Barrie Taxi Ltd.

Philomena Comerford CIP – President & CEO - Baird MacGregor Insurance Brokers LP | Hargraft Schofield LP

If I am unable to get documentation to you by 9am Tomorrow, I will definitely get it to you before noon on Monday.

Regards,

Tom Watson-Giles  
Operations Manager

**Barrie Taxi Ltd.**

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COUNCIL MEETING DATE: <u>March 27<sup>th</sup></u>		
GENERAL COMMITTEE MOTION NUMBER:		
SUBJECT: <u>Review of Taxi Bylaw 2006-265</u>		
NAME OF PERSON TO APPEAR: <u>SANDRA McDIARMID</u>		
EMAIL ADDRESS:		
STREET ADDRESS:		
City:		Postal Code:
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:
NAME OF PERSON REQUESTING APPEARANCE (if different from person appearing):		
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:
NAME OF GROUP OR PERSON(S) BEING REPRESENTED (if applicable):		
BRIEF STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF DEPUTATION: <u>Regarding the differences in licensing fees between Companies - re level playing field.</u>		
LETTER SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST: YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input checked="" type="radio"/>		

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<b>COUNCIL MEETING DATE:</b> March 27, 2017		
<b>GENERAL COMMITTEE MOTION NUMBER:</b>		
<b>SUBJECT:</b> UBER / Taxi deregulation		
<b>NAME OF PERSON TO APPEAR:</b> Michael McNeill		
<b>EMAIL ADDRESS:</b>		
<b>STREET ADDRESS:</b>		
<b>City</b>	<b>Postal Code</b>	
<b>PHONE:</b>	<b>HOME:</b>	<b>BUSINESS:</b>
<b>NAME OF PERSON REQUESTING APPEARANCE (if different from person appearing):</b>		
<b>PHONE:</b>	<b>HOME:</b>	<b>BUSINESS:</b>
<b>NAME OF GROUP OR PERSON(S) BEING REPRESENTED (if applicable):</b> Robert Herrington Peter Bischof, Robert Williams, Dionne Scerivour		
<b>BRIEF STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF DEPUTATION:</b>		
SPEAKING IN OPPOSITION OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE TRANSPORTATION BYLAW.		
<b>LETTER SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST:</b> YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input checked="" type="radio"/>		

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COUNCIL MEETING DATE: <u>March 27-17</u>		
GENERAL COMMITTEE MOTION NUMBER:		
SUBJECT: <u>UBER</u>		
NAME OF PERSON TO APPEAR: <u>Harry van Sijpenburg</u>		
EMAIL ADDRESS:		
STREET ADDRESS:		
City		Postal Code
<u>Barrie</u>		
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:
NAME OF PERSON REQUESTING APPEARANCE (if different from person appearing):		
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:
NAME OF GROUP OR PERSON(S) BEING REPRESENTED (if applicable):		
BRIEF STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF DEPUTATION: <u>Staff Report LCS 006 17</u>		
LETTER SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST: YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input checked="" type="radio"/>		

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COUNCIL MEETING DATE:			March 27, 2017
GENERAL COMMITTEE MOTION NUMBER:			
SUBJECT:			TRANSPORTATION BYLAW 265
NAME OF PERSON TO APPEAR:			ANDREW BACQUE
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
STREET ADDRESS:			
City		Postal Code	
BARRIE			
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:	
NAME OF PERSON REQUESTING APPEARANCE (if different from person appearing):			
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:	
NAME OF GROUP OR PERSON(S) BEING REPRESENTED (if applicable):			
BRIEF STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF DEPUTATION:			
To oppose the proposed amendments to the city transportation bylaw			
LETTER SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST:			YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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COUNCIL MEETING DATE:		3/27/17	
GENERAL COMMITTEE MOTION NUMBER:			
SUBJECT:			
review of transportation Bylaw 2006-265			
NAME OF PERSON TO APPEAR:			
James Hunt			
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
STREET ADDRESS:			
City		Postal Code	
Barrie			
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:	
NAME OF PERSON REQUESTING APPEARANCE (if different from person appearing):			
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:	
NAME OF GROUP OR PERSON(S) BEING REPRESENTED (if applicable):			
BRIEF STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF DEPUTATION:			
OPPOSITION of transportation Bylaw 2006-265			
Statement to be submitted by myself			
LETTER SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST:		YES	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO

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COUNCIL MEETING DATE:			MARCH 27 / 17
GENERAL COMMITTEE MOTION NUMBER:			TRANSPORTATION BY LAW 2006-065
SUBJECT:			REVIEW OF TRANSPORTATION INDUSTRY
NAME OF PERSON TO APPEAR:			MELVIN WOODS
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
STREET ADDRESS:			
City		Postal Code	
BARRIE		ONT	
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:	
NAME OF PERSON REQUESTING APPEARANCE (if different from person appearing):			
PHONE:	HOME:	BUSINESS:	
NAME OF GROUP OR PERSON(S) BEING REPRESENTED (if applicable):			
RE: DELUXE TAXI (BARRIE LTD)			
BRIEF STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF DEPUTATION:			
RE: TRANSPORTATION INDUSTRY BY LAW			
LETTER SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST:		YES	NO

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From: Zack Abbas [<mailto:zack@georgiantaxi.ca>]  
Sent: Wednesday, March 22, 2017 11:19 AM  
To: Dawn McAlpine  
Subject: In regards to taxi industry general committee meeting

Hello!! My names fahar Abbas (Zack). I'm the chair of the taxi working group asking in writing to speak on the following topics at the upcoming general committee public meeting on Monday please !!

Proposed Fees (Appendix B) 2017:

- Fees must be balanced between uber and taxi industry to have the same level playing field
- Taxi Driver category should be removed in order to balance the fees with uber
- Taxi Industry has been paying the highest work of cost for many years (compare to similar size cities)

Taxi Meter Rates / price surging vs uber rates / price surging

- It's very easy for uber to do price surging and not have their driver involve since they do their money transactions online through credit cards.
- Taxicab drivers will have to post the rates in their cabs and also have to explain verbally if asked. Which can also go wrong around the bar rush times when some people are way too intoxicated or just not in the right state of mind to understand the change
- In this case the best suit able reference would be of Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario. Where the city allows the cab companies to set their own drop rate, but per/km rate is set by the city to protect the consumers from getting charged excessive fees

Vehicle Inspection:

- vehicle safety Inspection (by the city) should be removed of page 7 on the report
- city has already proposed to remove non safety and cosmetic material Inspections
- For past 15 years city of barrie has been doing cosmetic Inspection only, which does not fall under minimum safety standards. Therefore it should be removed as city of Toronto has done the same
- should only require a safety standard certificate
- removing city cosmetics Inspection will reduce the work of cost and fees for taxi industry as a whole

Thank you !



**From:** Driverseat Barrie [mailto:barrie.north@driverseatcanada.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 22, 2017 1:33 PM  
**To:** Tammy Banting  
**Cc:** Dawn McAlpine; CityClerks  
**Subject:** Re: Staff Report LCS006-17 Regulating Ride Sharing/Drive for Hire

As per our conversation.

We would like to have a deputation regarding By Law # 16.3.10.0.0 under the Driver for Hire section.

Thanks so much,

Matt Stovold  
Driverseat

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** [barrie.north@driverseatcanada.com](mailto:barrie.north@driverseatcanada.com)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 22, 2017 10:37 AM  
**To:** Tammy Banting  
**Subject:** Staff Report LCS006-17 Regulating Ride Sharing/Drive for Hire  
Hi Tammy,

My name is Matt Stovold and am with the company Driverseat. We wanted to thank you very much for putting the time and effort into this staff report. There is a ton of detail in here, and some really good regulations that will not only help level the playing field but also ensure the companies are safe and professional. We certainly support the by-laws that are being put forward for the Driver for Hire segment.

When we attended the council meeting this past Monday there were a few amendments brought forward from Councillor Morales. The first was to change the HST registration from the individual to the actual company itself. We agree with this, but also want to ensure that this is being done by each of the companies, as it is an important piece that solidifies that the companies are legitimate and abiding by the by laws. The second amendment was to the recording of the rides (log book). We also agree that this is a very important piece and that the individual drivers shouldn't have to provide those details when asked, but rather for the company to provide electronic format of these details. All of our rides get entered through our mobile app and can be extracted at any time to include customers details, driver details, time and origin of the ride, and also time and destination of the ride. That is our two cents on the amendments that came up at council meeting.

Finally we have one amendment ourselves that we would like to see. It is in regards to 16.3.10.0.0 where it states that a list of all vehicles being used by the driver for hire company will identify License Plate Number, make of the vehicle, and the V.I.N. This by law doesn't really make sense to us as we do not use those vehicles for any public interaction. It is simply used as a means of getting to whichever call it is. Whether it be an airport chauffeur service where we are simply driving to our customers house, and then taking them to the airport in their own personal vehicle, or a DD ride, we do not ever use our personal vehicles. So therefore there would be a lot of time invested in this information for little or no value to anyone. As mentioned the public never uses ours/our drivers vehicles and therefore safety or interior appearance of these vehicles has no merit on public concerns. Therefore we would like to see this by law removed.

Once again we wanted to thank you and your staff very much for bringing this staff report forward, and as mentioned we very much support it and look forward to making the industry safer and much more professional.

If you could please respond receipt of this email before the 12pm deadline.

Matt Stovold  
Driverseat Barrie  
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