



AUSTIN MOBILITY

PROPOSED RECOMMENDATIONS

City Code Chapter 13-2

Urban Transportation Commission

February 14, 2017



Making mobility better, together.



Background

- On May 10, 2016, the Urban Transportation Commission recommended the City Council direct the City Manager to initiate a process to thoroughly review City Code Chapter 13-2 to accomplish the following:
 - ✓ remove outdated requirements;
 - ✓ harmonize the requirements among the various services as appropriate; and
 - ✓ consider the future need for requirements covering new services now in development.



Stakeholder Input Process

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- Internal stakeholders
- External stakeholders

- Identify Stakeholders

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- ATD drafted recommendations
- Stakeholders provided suggestions
- Focus groups for certain industries

- Solicit Input on Draft Recommendations

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- Presentation to UTC in November
- Presentation to Mobility in December
- Presentation to Council in January

- Present Findings at a Series of Public Meetings





Draft Recommendations

- Items not directly related to public safety
- Limousine
- Charter Van Service
- Pedicab Service
- Electric Low Speed Vehicle Service
- Horse Drawn Carriages
- Industry Fees



Limousine Focus Group

- Meeting on October 13, 2016
- Recommendations to 13-2-173 Supplemental Vehicles
 - ✓ Repeal 13-2-341 Special Events Permit Process Described
 - ✓ Repeal 13-2-342 Special Event Temporary Vehicle Permits
 - ✓ Changes to 13-2-343 Special Event Temporary Chauffeur Permits



Pedicab Focus Group

- Meeting on October 13, 2016
- Electric Assist Pedicabs Pilot Program Discussion
 - ✓ Program Details - Speed, Breaking, Seat Belts, Weight, Battery, Third Party Inspection, Identification, Operator Requirements, and Re-inspection
 - ✓ Those in Favor
 - ✓ Those in Opposition
 - ✓ Recommendation on whether to create a pilot program



Next Steps

- Present to the Mobility Council Committee on March 1, 2017
- Presentation to the City Council sometime at the end of March or beginning of April



Questions?

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