

★ Roll Call Number
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47B

Date September 27, 2010

PUBLIC HEARING UPON APPLICATION OF
JOY RIDE TRANSPORT LLC
FOR A LICENSE TO OPERATE A PARATRANSIT TAXICAB SERVICE
IN THE CITY OF DES MOINES

WHEREAS, Section 126-181 of the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, forbids the operation of a paratransit taxicab as defined under the paratransit taxicab subchapter of the municipal code (Article IV of Chapter 126) as a vehicle for hire upon the streets of Des Moines without obtaining a license; and

WHEREAS, Joy Ride Transport LLC, 1580 SE Bristol Drive, Waukee, Iowa, has filed an application requesting permission of the City Council to operate a paratransit taxicab service in the City of Des Moines, with a total of three vehicles; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 126-155 on September 13, 2010, by Roll Call No. 10-1461, the City Council has fixed this date as the time and place for a public hearing on the matter of the application; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

That the hearing is hereby closed and the application is granted or denied, as the case may be, as set out in the next paragraph.

Alternative One: That the application for a license to operate a paratransit taxicab service be approved and hereby granted and the City Traffic Engineer is directed to issue a license stating the name and address of the applicant, the number of vehicles authorized under the license, and the date of issuance, it being the finding of this City Council of the City of Des Moines that the applicant has complied with Section 126-155(c) and Sections 126-187 and 126-188 of the Municipal Code;

or

Alternative Two: That the application for a license to operate a paratransit taxicab service be hereby denied as specified below upon the specific grounds and facts set forth below.

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Denial based on non-compliance with Subsection 126-155(c) and Sections 126-187 and 126-188 of the Municipal Code:
 (specify) _____

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon adoption of Alternative One (to grant the license), the City Traffic Engineer is hereby directed to issue a license to Joy Ride Transport LLC stating the name and address of the applicant, the number of vehicles authorized under said license, as set out in the application, and the date of issuance.

(Council Communication Number 10-576 Attached)

MOVED BY Coleman to adopt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



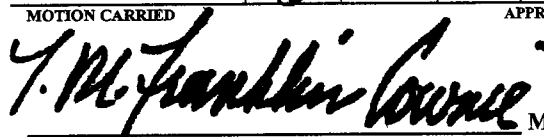
 Lawrence R. McDowell
 Deputy City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
GRIESS	✓			
HENSLEY				✓
MAHAFFEY	✓			
MEYER	✓			
MOORE	✓			
TOTAL	6			1

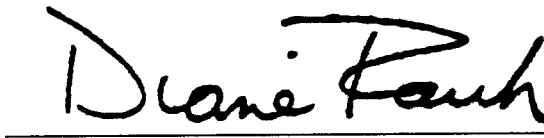
CERTIFICATE

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.



 T. M. Franklin
 Mayor



 Diane Rauh
 City Clerk

APPROVED