



To Whom It May Concern;

In September 2014 the HRM Transportation Standing Committee (TSC) received a Recommendation Report indicating new conventional taxi owner licenses should no longer be issued when a conventional taxi owner license is returned to the municipality. If approved the current 1000 conventional taxi owner licenses would be allowed to gradually decline.

On September 10, 2014, the TSC requested staff to seek further input on the proposed amendments to Administrative Order #39 and report back to the TSC. The proposed amendments would remove sections 7, 8 and 9, of the order and result in to the following changes:

- No new conventional taxi owner licenses will be issued;
- Applications for conventional taxi owner licenses will no longer be accepted; and
- The current waiting list procedure for offering conventional taxi owner licenses will be discontinued.

As an outcome of consultations with the Taxi and Limousine Liaison Group (TLLG) an independent consultant has been engaged to seek the views of stakeholders with regard to these proposed changes.

You are invited to participate in either or both of the following consultation processes by:

- Attending a town hall meeting and consultation scheduled for April 21, 2015, 6:00 PM, Halifax Forum's Multi-Purpose Centre, 6210 Young Street; and / or

Submitting your comments to an online survey that can be accessed at the following URL location ( <http://fluidsurveys.com/s/2015-HRM-Taxi-and-Limo-Survey/> ) The online survey is available for the month of April starting on April 13, 2015.

The views of stakeholders obtained through these engagement processes will be used formulate the staff response to the Transportation Standing Committee.

Sincerely

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