

Delegation Request

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Attention: City Clerk's Office, City of Brampton, 2 Wellington Street West, Brampton ON L6Y 4R2

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Meeting: ☐ City Council ☐ Planning and Development Committee
☒ Committee of Council ☐ Other Committee:

Meeting Date Requested: April 28, 2021

Agenda Item (if applicable):

Name of Individual(s):

Zafar Tariq

Position/Title:

Brampton Taxi Cab Driver

**Organization/Person
being represented:**

Full Address for Contact:

Telephone:

Email:

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| Subject Matter to be Discussed: | Taxi Matters |
| Action Requested: | Give relief to taxi Industry by changing by laws |

A formal presentation will accompany my delegation: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Presentation format: ☐ PowerPoint File (.ppt) ☐ Adobe File or equivalent (.pdf)
☐ Picture File (.jpg) ☐ Video File (.avi, .mpg)

☐ Other:

Additional printed information/materials will be distributed with my delegation: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Attached

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- (ii) the electronic file of the presentation to ensure compatibility with corporate equipment.

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Respected councillors

I am sending few suggestions to help taxi industry during this pandemic. Sir in June 2019 few laws were passed regarding taxi industry to cut the cost because at that time ridesharing companies were allowed to operate. At that time no body was expecting any pandemic. Now the taxi industry has been hit hard like many businesses in pandemic. So I would request your honour to work on following suggestions.

- (1)The time period for inactive taxi plate be increased for another three years so the plate owners can have enough time to put vehicle on road during this pandemic. As in 2019 there were about 40 inactive taxi plates but now there could be about 150 inactive plates. But our city manager can tell yourself the right number.
- (2)As due to pandemic there is very low mileage on vehicles and they are not running much so please add an extra year to all model years or specially to 2011 to 2015 model years.
- (3)As in June 2019 city council passed that cameras in taxi industry will be discussed later in sep 2019 but pandemic came and that matter was never resolved. Your honour presently the cameras present in taxis are very expensive and even the company has moved to USA and it is hard to get parts. So my request is just like Mississauga, Caledon and Vaughan leave up to the operator what they want to do about cameras.
- (4)Also please renew taxi driver license every five year just like Ontario's driver license provided the person have no criminal record.

Thanks for your cooperation in helping taxi industry.

Zafar Tariq

Date: April 21,2020