



Town of Happy Valley-Goose Bay
Policy Statement

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Topic: TAXI REGULATIONS IMPLEMENTATION

Policy Statement:

Council has adopted new Taxi Regulations and there are steps required in implementing these Regulations.

- 1) Council approves the following employees be appointed as “Inspectors” for the purposes of the Taxi Regulations of the Town of Happy Valley-Goose Bay;
 - Director of Protective Services
 - Chief Administrative Officer, or Designate
 - Municipal Enforcement Officer

- 2) Council approves that the issuance of taxi driver’s licenses and issuance of the taxi operator’s licenses under the Taxi Regulations of the Town of Happy Valley-Goose Bay be delegated to the Inspectors.

- 3) The Inspector under the Town’s Taxi Regulations will conduct one inspection of a vehicle under application for a taxi operator’s license for the purposes under the Regulations of the review of; meter location and visibility, posting of fares, interior appearance, and exterior appearance. The Inspector may conduct subsequent inspections should deficiencies be noted in the original inspection.



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Topic: TAXI REGULATIONS IMPLEMENTATION CONTINUED

Policy Statement:

- 4) By Council policy, a “fit and proper person” to hold a taxi driver’s license in accordance with Section 7 of the Town’s Taxi Regulations will be determined by a Vulnerable Sector Check required under 8 (c) and a Driver’s Abstract under 8(e) of the Town’s Taxi Regulations. An Inspector appointed under the Town’s Taxi Regulations may consider a clear Vulnerable Sector Check and driver’s abstract as “a fit and proper person” under Section 7 of the Regulations. A person without a clear Vulnerable Sector Check would not be issued a taxi drivers license. The Inspector may use discretion should the driver’s abstract indicate incident(s) that are of limited fault of the driver, or minor in nature.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this policy is sealed under the Common Seal of the Town of Happy Valley-Goose Bay.



Mayor, George Andrews



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