

PUBLIC UTILITIES & LICENSING MEETING MINUTED
JANUARY 19, 2012

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Jill Hennessey at 5:00 p.m. The following members were present: Collin Braunel, Dave Soeldner, Jill Hennessey. Alderperson Sladky joined the meeting at 5:05 p.m. Absent: Matt Kadow.

The purpose of the meeting was a non-renewal hearing for taxi driver Rickey Skarvan. Attorney Petri distributed communications from C. R. Mobility and Ricky Skarvan.

Deputy Chief Bridget Brennan was sworn in. Deputy Chief Brennan provided testimony and read the reasons for the denial. Deputy Chief indicated it was her understanding that Mr. Skarvan was pursuing a pardon for felonies he received when he was young. She indicated she was not opposed to granting the license because of the potential pardon and work record.

Attorney Petri provided testimony in support of her client. She indicated Mr. Skarvan received the felony in 1999 when he was 16 years old. She indicated he was placed on probabion and **sentence reduced from 5 years to 1 ½ years.** Attorney indicated Mr. Kautzer of C. R. Mobility wants to promote Mr. Skarvan to a driver and he would also provide maintenance for the vehicles.

Alderperson Sladky made a motion to convene in closed session. Alderperson Soeldner seconded and upon roll call vote, Sladky, Soeldner, Braunel, and Hennessey voted aye. Noes, none.

The committee convened in closed session.

Motion by Sladky, seconded by Braunel to reconvene in open session. Upon roll call vote, Sladky, Braunel, Soeldner, & Hennessey voted aye. Noes, none.

Alderperson Sladky made a motion to grant the license. Alderperson Soeldner seconded and the motion was unanimously passed. The meeting adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill Hennessey, Chairperson
by: Jennifer Hudon, City Clerk