

Public Passenger Vehicles in Eugene



Today's Work Session

- » Overview of Public Passenger Vehicle (PPV) Regulations in Eugene
- » New Technologies & Models
- » Proposed Code Changes
- » Possible Next Steps
- » Questions, Discussion, & Direction

1928: Eugene's first PPV Ordinance



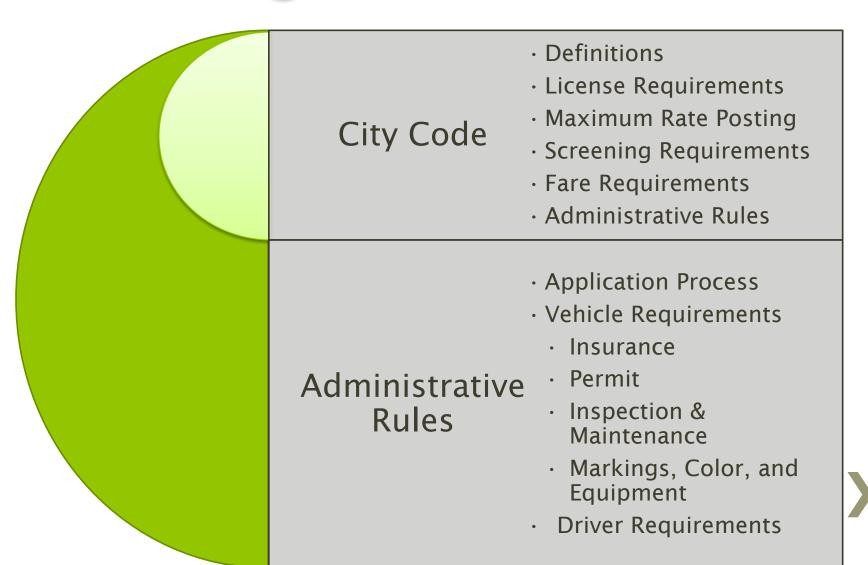
Public Passenger Vehicles (PPV)



Any vehicle used for the transportation of passengers for hire



PPV Regulations



New PPV Technology







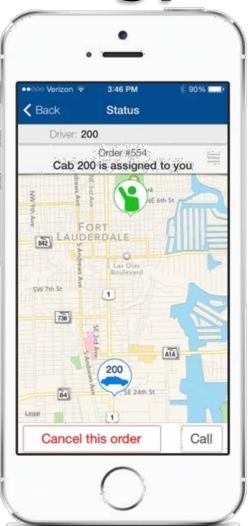
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Passenger requests ride using smartphone app



Driver accepts ride request



Driver picks up passenger and provides ride



Fare charged electronically, opportunity to rate driver



New Business Models

- » Drivers use their own car to provide ride
- » Drivers are paid a percentage of the fare by the PPV company











New Technology and Eugene Code

- » Fits within current PPV definition
- » No cap on number of licenses
- » Promotes public convenience



Proposed Code Change

Subsection (6) of Section 3.345

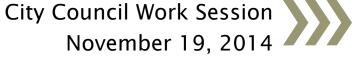
The actual fare charged for each trip by a taxicab shall not exceed the higher of either:

- (a) The meter calculated rate, including authorized and posted surcharges, or
- (b) The minimum fare as posted on the interior and exterior of the vehicle., or
- (c) The smartphone application calculated rate, including displayed and passenger-confirmed surcharges.

Next Steps

- » Direction from Council
 - > Public Hearing on Proposed Code Changes
 - > If Approved Administrative Rule Review
 - > Gather input from stakeholders and public
 - > Update Administrative Rules





Questions, Discussion, Direction

