



# LONGHORN TAXI OPERATING AUTHORITY

RS-24-031

February 20, 2024

# Ordinance Requirements

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- ❑ An individual must obtain an operating authority, approved by the City Council, by submitting an application, fee and supporting documentation
- ❑ Once approved:
  - ▣ Operating authority is valid for five (5) years and is not transferrable
  - ▣ Each vehicle must display a vehicle permit obtained from the City Secretary's Office, renewed by December 31<sup>st</sup> each year
  - ▣ Drivers must obtain a driver's permit from the Police Department

# Specifics and Findings

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- ❑ Application received from Longhorn Taxi on January 17, 2024
- ❑ Operating three vehicles:
  - ▣ 2019 Dodge Grand Caravan with a seating capacity of 6
  - ▣ 2015 Chrysler Town & Country Van with a seating capacity of 6
  - ▣ 2011 Dodge Grand Caravan with a seating capacity of 6
- ❑ Application is complete and complies the City of Killeen's Code of Ordinances, Chapter 29 – Transportation

# Financial Impact

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## Current Fiscal Year 2024:

|                     |   |                      |
|---------------------|---|----------------------|
| Vehicle Permits     | 3 | \$125 each, annually |
| Airport Permits     | 3 | \$50 each, annually  |
| Operating Authority |   | \$300 once           |
| <b>Total:</b>       |   | <b>\$825</b>         |

## Fiscal Years 2025 - 2028:

|                 |   |                       |
|-----------------|---|-----------------------|
| Vehicle Permits | 3 | \$125 each, annually  |
| Airport Permits | 3 | \$50 each, annually   |
| <b>Total:</b>   |   | <b>\$525 annually</b> |

# Recommendation

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- Staff recommends the City Council grant the operating authority to Longhorn Taxi, as the application requirements have been met