



City of
Los Banos
At the Crossroads of California

Community & Economic Development
520 J Street
Los Banos, CA 93635
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Taxicab Business Permit Procedural Sheet

I. Review Process

- a. A complete application is submitted to the Community & Economic Development Department.
- b. Community & Economic Development Department determines the completeness of application.
- c. If there are no outstanding issues, the application is forwarded to the Police Department for review.
- d. Police Department advises the Community & Economic Development Department of their findings.
- e. Community & Economic Development Department makes determination to approve, conditionally approve, or deny the Taxicab Business Permit.

II. Permit Issuance

- a. Upon Police Department & Community & Economic Development Department review, verification/clearance of all information, documents, and results filed with the application, inspection clearance, and application approval, the Taxicab Business Permit will be issued.
- b. The Taxicab Business Permit # shall be issued in numerical format with the first four digits representing the year in which the application is filed and followed by the numerical representation of order received (i.e. #2019-01 for the first application received in 2019).
- c. The Taxicab Business Permit shall be valid for the calendar year in which it is issued. A Permit issued in the last quarter of the calendar year shall continue in effect for the following calendar year.
- d. Permits are not transferrable.

III. Permit Renewal & Driver/Vehicle Changes

- a. The Taxicab Business Permit shall be renewable annually.
- b. A Taxicab Business Permit application for renewal shall be filed annually by December 1st, along with any pertinent documents, additional requested information, any required fees, and inspections.
- c. An amended Taxicab Business Driver Register shall be filed anytime there is an addition or removal of drivers. The Community & Economic Development Department must have an accurate register of drivers at all times.
- d. An amended Taxicab Business Vehicle Register shall be filed anytime there is an addition or removal of vehicles. The Community & Economic Development Department must have an accurate register of vehicles at all times.

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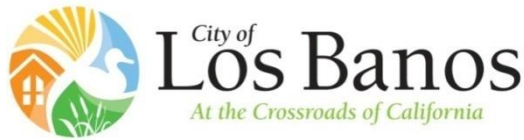
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Taxicab Business Permit Application Submittal Requirements

- ☐ Completed Taxicab Business Permit Application
- ☐ Taxicab Business Permit Conditions of Approval
- ☐ Taxicab Business Permit fee – see fee schedule for applicable fees
- ☐ Photo identification issued by a State agency proving that the applicant is at least 18 years of age (i.e. Driver's License)
- ☐ Schedule of Rates of Fares
- ☐ Register of all Taxicab Drivers associated with the Taxicab Business
- ☐ Proof of participation in the DMV Pull-Notice program
- ☐ Copy of DMV printout for each Taxicab Driver
- ☐ Copy of completed controlled substance & alcohol testing certificate for each Taxicab Driver issued within 30 days of the submittal of this application (can be obtained from Pinnacle Health Care)
- ☐ Register of all Taxicab vehicles associated with the Taxicab Business
- ☐ Copy of valid DMV registration for a commercial vehicle for each Taxicab vehicle operated by this business
- ☐ Certificate of Insurance and endorsements for each Taxicab vehicle operated by this business as required by Los Banos Municipal Code Section 11-13.170
- ☐ Certificate of Inspection for each Taxicab vehicle operated by this business issued within 30 days of the submittal of this application
- ☐ Copy of the master calibration results for each Taxicab vehicle operated by this business
- ☐ Color photographs of all four (4) sides of each Taxicab vehicle
- ☐ For Renewal Applications only: Trip Data Documentation for twelve (12) months prior to submittal of the application including date/time, starting point, ending point, # of occupants, total miles, and total fee charged

Note: *Staff may deem additional submittal information necessary. Incomplete or illegible applications will delay the processing and issuance of the Taxicab Business Permit. Issuance of Taxicab Business Permit will be contingent upon clearance of any pertinent inspections and payment of any fees owed. Once the Taxicab Business Permit application has been reviewed, processed, verified, and approved, the Taxicab Business Permit will be mailed to the address listed on the application.*

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City Use Only
TBP No.: _____
Fee: _____

TAXICAB BUSINESS PERMIT APPLICATION

Submit Complete Application: 520 J STREET, LOS BANOS, CA 93635

Contact us by EMAIL: businesslicenses@losbanos.org PHONE: (209) 827-7000 ext. 2445

APPLICATION: (Check One) ☐ New Application ☐ Renewal Application for Taxicab Business Permit No. _____

TAXICAB BUSINESS INFORMATION					
Business Name					
Business Address (No PO Boxes)				City/State/Zip	
Mailing Address (If different from above)				City/State/Zip	
Business Phone	()	Email Address			
Business Entity Type: (Check one)		☐ Sole Proprietorship ☐ General Partnership ☐ Limited Partnership (attach Articles) ☐ Limited Liability (attach Articles) ☐ Corporation (attach Articles) ☐ Non-Profit (attach proof)			
TAXICAB BUSINESS OWNER INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN ONE OWNER, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)					
Full Legal Name					
Home Address				City/State/Zip	
Mailing Address				City/State/Zip	
Business Phone	()	Cell Phone	()		
Email Address					
CA Driver's License or ID No.		Class		Expires	

INDEMNIFICATION & HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I/We, _____, Taxicab Business Owner(s), agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the City, its officers, agents and employees from claims arising from or alleged to arise from the negligence of the Taxicab Business or Taxicab Drivers.

_____ Primary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature	_____ Print Name	_____ Date
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_____ Secondary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature	_____ Print Name	_____ Date
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CERTIFICATION & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby certify that the information provided on this application and all supplemental information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and acknowledge that the application, including all supplemental information, is signed under the penalty of perjury.

_____ Primary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature	_____ Print Name	_____ Date
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_____ Secondary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature	_____ Print Name	_____ Date
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OFFICIAL USE ONLY

THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED OF THE APPLICANT'S INTENTION TO OPERATE A TAXICAB BUSINESS AT THE ADDRESS LISTED ON THIS APPLICATION. THE FOLLOWING APPROVALS MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO ISSUING THE TAXICAB BUSINESS PERMIT PER LOS BANOS MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 11-13.070(A).

COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Check One: ☐ Application is **complete** **or** ☐ Application is **incomplete**

If incomplete, list information/documentation missing:

Signature

Title

Date

POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Police Chief, or his/her designee, finds that all applicable requirements of Chapter 13 of Title 11 of the Los Banos Municipal Code:

Check One: ☐ Have been satisfied **or** ☐ Have **not** been satisfied

Comments:

Signature

Title

Date

COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Taxicab Business Permit is:

Check One: ☐ Approved: Issued: _____ Expires: _____
or ☐ Denied: Reason: _____

Signature

Title

Date

The following City approvals have been issued:

☐ Taxicab Business Permit #: _____

☐ Taxicab vehicle number(s): _____

☐ Taxicab vehicle decal(s): _____



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TAXICAB BUSINESS PERMIT OPERATIONAL STATEMENT

It is important that the operational and disclosure statement provides for a **complete** understanding of your Taxicab Business operations. Incomplete, illegible, or inadequate responses will delay the processing of the permit.

1. Please provide the following information:

Taxicab Business Name: _____

Taxicab Business Owner(s): _____

Taxicab Business Address: _____

2. Has the applicant/permittee had any similar permit or license revoked by any agency or board, city, county, or state? **Check one:** ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, describe the circumstances of the revocation (*Attach a separate sheet of paper, if necessary*):

3. Do you have a safety education and training program in effect for all Taxicab Drivers?

Check one: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, describe the program in detail (*Attach a separate sheet of paper, if necessary*):

Note: If there is not currently a program in effect, this application will be rejected or denied. It is required by state law to have this program in effect.

4. Do you have a disabled access education and training program in effect to instruct all Taxicab Drivers on compliance with the Federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, state disability rights laws, including making clear that it is illegal to decline to serve a person with a disability or who has a service animal? **Check one:** ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, describe the program in detail (*Attach a separate sheet of paper, if necessary*):

Note: If there is not currently a program in effect, this application will be rejected or denied. It is required by state law to have this program in effect.

5. Describe the color scheme, name, monogram or insignia in which you propose to use (*Attach a separate sheet of paper and/or photos, if necessary*):

Note: The color scheme, name, monogram or insignia to be used upon the taxicab may not conflict with that used by another taxicab business in a manner so as to be misleading, or tend to deceive or defraud the public. Color photographs of all four (4) sides of each Taxicab vehicle must be submitted with this application.

6. What are the proposed hours of operation?

Days of the Week: _____ Hours: From: _____ To: _____

7. How many Taxicab vehicles will your business operate? _____

8. Will you also be a Taxicab Driver? ☐ Yes ☐ No

9. Will you employ Taxicab Drivers? ☐ Yes; ***If yes, how many?*** _____ ☐ No

10. Will you contract with Taxicab Drivers? ☐ Yes; ***If yes, how many?*** _____ ☐ No

CERTIFICATION & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby certify that the information provided on this application and all supplemental information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and acknowledge that the application, including all supplemental information, is signed under the penalty of perjury.

Primary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature

Print Name

Date

Secondary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature

Print Name

Date

IMPORTANT: You **must** maintain and submit current registers of all Taxicab vehicles and Taxicab drivers, including independent contractors. A revised register shall be submitted to the Community & Economic Development Department immediately upon any removal or addition of any vehicles or drivers. Taxicab vehicles may not be operated until a signed Certificate of Inspection and Taxicab Vehicle Register is submitted to the Community & Economic Development Department and the Los Banos Police Department clears the local agency inspection. Taxicab drivers may not operate a Taxicab vehicle until they receive a Taxicab Driver Permit from the Community & Economic Development Department.



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TAXICAB BUSINESS PERMIT CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Pursuant to Section 11-13.110 of the Los Banos Municipal Code the following conditions shall apply to this Taxicab Business Permit:

1. The use of the subject sites shall not be inconsistent with the Conditions of Approval and shall not be operated in a manner that deviates from the approved Taxicab Business Permit or filed application, which shall constitute a violation and may result in the revocation of all permits and/or licenses associated with this operation.
2. This Taxicab Business Permit shall be subject to revocation by the City of Los Banos at such time as any of the following conditions are found to exist:
 - a. The Taxicab Business Permit was obtained by misrepresentation or fraud;
 - b. A violation of any Condition of Approval of the Taxicab Business Permit;
 - c. The improvement, use, or activity authorized by the Taxicab Business Permit is in violation of any statute, ordinance, law, or regulation or constitutes a nuisance; or
 - d. The owner is conducting the use or any associated or other use in violation of any statute, ordinance, law, or regulation or in a manner that constitutes a nuisance.
3. A copy of these Conditions of Approval shall be made immediately available to any law enforcement officer or other City employee upon request. All employees and independent contractors shall be made aware of the requirements of this Taxicab Business Permit.
4. The Taxicab Business Permittee shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the City or any of its boards, commissions, agents, officers, and employees from any claim, action or proceeding against the City, its boards, commissions, agents, officers, or employees arising from or alleged to arise from the negligence of the Taxicab Business.
5. All independent contractors associated with the Taxicab Business must obtain a valid Business License from the City of Los Banos Community & Economic Development Department prior to commencing work.
6. Display on the exterior of each taxicab the name or trademark of the person under whose authority the taxicab is being operated.
7. Display on the left hand, bottom corner of the rear window, the City-issued decal for the current calendar year.

8. Display on both exterior sides, exterior front, and exterior rear of each vehicle the taxicab business City assigned taxicab number.
9. Display on both exterior sides and exterior rear of each taxicab the dispatch phone number of the Taxicab Business.
10. Affix to each vehicle a top light to identify the vehicle as a taxicab.
11. Display in the interior of each taxicab the signage required by California Vehicle Code Section 27908.
12. Adhere to the conditions set forth below regarding registration of taxicab service fares, fees and rates:
 - a. The Taxicab Business may set fares or charge a flat rate. The Taxicab Business may use any type of device or technology approved by the Division of Measurement Standards to calculate fares, including the use of Global Positioning System metering, provided that the device or technology complies with Section 12500.5 of the Business and Professions Code and with all regulations established pursuant to Section 12107 of the Business and Professions Code. If fares are calculated by meter, the meter must be sealed, visible to passengers at all times, and currently registered and inspected by a County of Merced Weights and Measures official.
 - b. The Taxicab Business must disclose fares, fees, or rates to the customer. A taxicab business may satisfy this requirement by disclosing fares, fees, or rates on its Internet website, mobile telephone application, or telephone orders upon request by the customer.
 - c. The Taxicab Business must notify the passenger of the applicable rate prior to the passenger accepting the ride for walkup rides and street hails. The rate may be provided on the exterior of the vehicle, within an application of a mobile telephone, device, or other Internet-connected device, or be clearly visible in either print or electronic form inside the taxicab.
 - d. A Taxicab Business may not prejudice, disadvantage, or require different rates or provide different service to a person because of race, national origin, religion, color, ancestry, physical disability, medical condition, occupation, marital status or change in marital status, sex, or any characteristic listed or defined in Section 11135 of the Government Code.
 - e. Collect from taxicab passengers only the amounts disclosed to the customer, plus any tip that the passenger offers.
 - f. Upon request give a receipt to any passenger after the driver has received full payment for a fare.
 - g. Notify the Director of any changes in rates or fares prior to such change taking effect.
13. Obtain for each taxicab and keep in force during the term of the permit, public liability and bodily injury insurance as required by Los Banos Municipal Code Section 11-13.150. Submit to the Director a current Certificate of Insurance.

14. Obtain and keep in force during the term of the permit, worker's compensation insurance, covering all employees of the permittee. Submit to the Director a current Certificate of Insurance.
15. Possess and maintain a valid City-issued Business License.
16. Maintain each taxicab in safe operating condition, good repair, clean and sanitary condition, and in compliance with the California Vehicle Code.
17. Participate in the pull-notice program pursuant to Section 1808.1 of the Vehicle Code to regularly check the driving records of all Taxicab Drivers.
18. Maintain a safety education and training program in effect for all Taxicab Drivers.
19. Maintain a disabled access education and training program to instruct its taxicab drivers on compliance with the Federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and amendments thereto, and state disability rights laws, including making clear that it is illegal to decline to serve a person with a disability or who has a service animal.
20. Obtain and submit to the Director a report no less than every twelve (12) months from the Department of Motor Vehicles for each employed Taxicab Driver. The taxicab business must verify that each employee's driver's license has not been suspended or revoked, the employee's traffic violation point count, and whether the employee has been convicted of a violation of California Vehicle Code section 23152 or 23153.
21. Obtain and submit to the Director a current report showing a prospective Taxicab Driver's current public record as recorded by the Department of Motor Vehicles. For purposes of this subsection, a report is current if it was issued less than thirty (30) days prior to the date the Taxicab Business employs the Taxicab Driver.
22. Notify the Director immediately when any vehicle not described in the application for the permit is placed in service as a taxicab and submit the information about the vehicle and the Certificate of Inspection required by the application form.
23. Notify the Director immediately on termination of a Taxicab Driver's employment. The Taxicab Driver Permit will become void upon termination of the driver's employment.
24. Require that each Taxicab Driver have a valid California Driver's License and a valid City-issued Taxicab Driver Permit.
25. Every Taxicab Driver Permit applicant either initial or renewal, must pass, with negative results, a controlled substance and alcohol test, in accordance with Government Code section 53075.5(b)(3), as may be amended from time to time. The results from a controlled substance and alcohol test for an applicant that is a self-employed independent driver must be reported directly to the Police Chief and made part of the application, and the Police Chief will notify the Taxicab Business of record of any positive results. All other results must be reported directly to the employing Taxicab Business, who must immediately notify the Police Chief of positive results. As used in this section, a negative test for alcohol means an alcohol screening test showing a breath alcohol concentration of less than 0.02 percent.

26. Taxicab Business must collect and maintain trip data documentation upon commencement of operations. Trip data must include date and time, starting point, ending point, number of occupants, total miles, and total fee charged per trip.
27. All Taxicab Permittees, Drivers and other employees must submit Taxicab vehicles, vehicle registration, proof of insurance, schedule of rates, meter calibration results, Driver Permits, and proof of alcohol and drug compliance records to the Director or Chief of Police or designee upon request. Any taxicab found to be in an unsafe condition must be taken out of service immediately, and stay out of service until repaired. All deficiencies found shall be corrected in the time frame given by the inspecting official. Failure to comply may lead to permit or license revocation.
28. A Taxicab Business Permit does not constitute a permit to drive a taxicab. Any person who wishes to drive a taxicab must also obtain a Taxicab Driver Permit.
29. Applications for renewal of Taxicab Business Permit must be submitted by December 1st of each year to allow sufficient time for processing before the current permit expires on December 31st.
30. Comply with any other reasonable conditions imposed by the Director or Police Chief.

END OF CONDITIONS

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby acknowledge my understanding of the information provided on this form and agree to follow all applicable Conditions of Approval for the duration of my Taxicab Business Permit validity period.

Taxicab Business Name

Business Address (physical location)

Taxicab Business Owner's Signature

Full Legal Name

Date



TAXICAB BUSINESS DRIVER REGISTER

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TAXICAB BUSINESS INFORMATION

Business Name			
Business Location (Physical address including unit #)		City/State/Zip	
Mailing Address		City/State/Zip	
Business Phone	()	Email Address	

TAXICAB DRIVER #1 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 3 DRIVERS, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Full Legal Name			
Home Address (No PO Boxes)		City/State/Zip	
Phone Number	()	Email Address	
CA Driver's License No.		Class	Expires
Driver is an: (Check one)	☐ Employee of this Taxicab Business ☐ Independent Contractor contracted with this Taxicab Business* <i>*Driver will need to obtain a Business License before operating a taxicab</i>		
Driver has completed a controlled substance & alcohol test within 30 days from the date of filing of this application: (Check one) ☐ Yes ☐ No			
Controlled substance & alcohol test results: (Check one) ☐ Negative ☐ Positive			

TAXICAB DRIVER #2 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 3 DRIVERS, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Full Legal Name			
Home Address (No PO Boxes)		City/State/Zip	
Phone Number	()	Email Address	
CA Driver's License No.		Class	Expires
Driver is an: (Check one)	☐ Employee of this Taxicab Business ☐ Independent Contractor contracted with this Taxicab Business* <i>*Driver will need to obtain a Business License before operating a taxicab</i>		
Driver has completed a controlled substance & alcohol test within 30 days from the date of filing of this application: (Check one) ☐ Yes ☐ No			
Controlled substance & alcohol test results: (Check one) ☐ Negative ☐ Positive			

TAXICAB DRIVER #3 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 3 DRIVERS, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Full Legal Name			
Home Address (No PO Boxes)		City/State/Zip	
Phone Number	()	Email Address	
CA Driver's License No.		Class	Expires
Driver is an: (Check one)	☐ Employee of this Taxicab Business ☐ Independent Contractor contracted with this Taxicab Business* <i>*Driver will need to obtain a Business License before operating a taxicab</i>		
Driver has completed a controlled substance & alcohol test within 30 days from the date of filing of this application: (Check one) ☐ Yes ☐ No			
Controlled substance & alcohol test results: (Check one) ☐ Negative ☐ Positive			

I hereby certify that the information provided on this form and all supplemental information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and acknowledge that the application, including all supplemental information, is signed under the penalty of perjury.

Primary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature

Print Name

Date

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TAXICAB BUSINESS VEHICLE REGISTER

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TAXICAB BUSINESS INFORMATION

Business Name			
Business Address (No PO Boxes)		City/State/Zip	
Mailing Address		City/State/Zip	
Business Phone	()	Email Address	

TAXICAB VEHICLE #1 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 6 VEHICLES, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Vehicle Make		Vehicle Model		Vehicle Year	
Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)		License Plate No.			
Automobile Insurance Policy No.		Expires		Insurer	
Vehicle Operation Address		City/State/Zip			

TAXICAB VEHICLE #2 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 6 VEHICLES, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Vehicle Make		Vehicle Model		Vehicle Year	
Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)		License Plate No.			
Automobile Insurance Policy No.		Expires		Insurer	
Vehicle Operation Address		City/State/Zip			

TAXICAB VEHICLE #3 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 6 VEHICLES, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Vehicle Make		Vehicle Model		Vehicle Year	
Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)		License Plate No.			
Automobile Insurance Policy No.		Expires		Insurer	
Vehicle Operation Address		City/State/Zip			

TAXICAB VEHICLE #4 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 6 VEHICLES, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Vehicle Make		Vehicle Model		Vehicle Year	
Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)		License Plate No.			
Automobile Insurance Policy No.		Expires		Insurer	
Vehicle Operation Address		City/State/Zip			

TAXICAB VEHICLE #5 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 6 VEHICLES, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Vehicle Make		Vehicle Model		Vehicle Year	
Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)		License Plate No.			
Automobile Insurance Policy No.		Expires		Insurer	
Vehicle Operation Address		City/State/Zip			

TAXICAB VEHICLE #6 INFORMATION (IF MORE THAN 6 VEHICLES, LIST ADDITIONAL ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Vehicle Make		Vehicle Model		Vehicle Year	
Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)		License Plate No.			
Automobile Insurance Policy No.		Expires		Insurer	
Vehicle Operation Address		City/State/Zip			

I hereby certify that the information provided on this form and all supplemental information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and acknowledge that the application, including all supplemental information, is signed under the penalty of perjury.

Primary Taxicab Business Owner's Signature _____

Print Name _____

Date _____

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Los Banos Police Department

Taxicab Inspection Form

Company Name:				Taxi Number:	
Business Address:				Phone Number:	
Registered Owner (R/O):					
Make:	Model:	Year:	Color:	License Number:	
Name Displayed on Taxicab:					

THE FOLLOWING SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY A LICENSED MECHANIC

(28/32) Engine: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No	(28/32) Transmission: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No	(19) Suspension: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No	(20) Tires & Wheels: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No	(1) Brake System: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No
(28/32) Belts & Hoses: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No	(3) Exhaust System: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No	(7) Lamps in Good Working Order: Safe ☐ Yes ☐ No	Smog Certificate: ☐ Yes ☐ No	Veh Mileage:
Business Name:			Date of Inspection:	
Business Address:			Phone Number:	
Station Number:			Bar Number:	
Under penalty of perjury, I certify that I have inspected this taxicab and it is SAFE to operate at the time of inspection.				
Mechanic's Name (Printed):			Mechanic's Signature:	

THE FOLLOWING SECTION SHALL BE COMPLETED BY THE LOS BANOS POLICE DEPARTMENT

☐ Headlamps (7)	☐ Reflectors (25)	☐ Horn (5)	☐ Front Bumper (15)	☐ Gas Cap (4)
☐ High Beam (7)	☐ License Plate Lamp (13)	☐ Seat Belts (18)	☐ Rear Bumper (15)	☐ Exhaust System (3)
☐ Turn Signals (11)	☐ License Plates (6)	☐ All Windows Open (21)	☐ Right Front Tire (20)	☐ Taxi Name (2 Sides) (30)
☐ Tail Lamps (8)	☐ Inside Dome Lamp (28)	☐ Rearview Mirror (14)	☐ Left Front Tire (20)	☐ Taxi Number (4 Sides) (30)
☐ Back Up Lamps (10)	☐ Turn Signal Indicator (28)	☐ Sideview Mirrors (14)	☐ Right Rear Tire (20)	☐ Passenger Info Displayed (30)
☐ Stop Lamps (12)	☐ High Beam Indicator (28)	☐ Parking Brake (16)	☐ Left Rear Tire (20)	☐ Rates Displayed (30)
☐ Hazard 4-way flashers (9)	☐ Windshield Wipers (23)	☐ Heater (Blower) (2)	☐ Spare Tire & Tools (20)	☐ Out of Service Signs (30)
☐ Parking Lights (26)	☐ Dashboard Gauges (28)	☐ Defroster (Blower) (2)	☐ Fire Extinguisher (30)	☐ Overall Condition: Good (30)
Meter Serial Number : _____		☐ Meter Serial Number & VIN match on Weights & Measures Certificate (33)		
Comments:				
Officer's Signature (Do Not Sign - If vehicle fails inspection):			Date:	Sticker Number:

REFERENCES

CALIFORNIA VEHICLE CODE SECTIONS:

- | | | |
|--|--|---|
| 1. California Vehicle Code §26453 | 2. California Vehicle Code §26712 | 3. California Vehicle Code §27153/27315 |
| 4. California Vehicle Code §27155 | 5. California Vehicle Code §27000 | 6. California Vehicle Code §5202 |
| 7. California Vehicle Code §24400 | 8. California Vehicle Code §24600 | 9. California Vehicle Code §24252 |
| 10. California Vehicle Code §24606(a) | 11. California Vehicle Code §24951(b)(1) | 12. California Vehicle Code §24603(b) |
| 13. California Vehicle Code §24601 | 14. California Vehicle Code §26709 | 15. California Vehicle Code §28071 |
| 16. California Vehicle Code §26451 | 17. California Vehicle Code §16020 thru §16028 | 18. California Vehicle Code §27315 |
| 19. California Vehicle Code §24002(a)(b) | 20. California Vehicle Code §27465(b) | 21. California Vehicle Code §26710 |
| 22. California Vehicle Code §24801 | 23. California Vehicle Code §26707 | 24. California Vehicle Code §4462 |
| 25. California Vehicle Code §24607 | 26. California Vehicle Code §24801 | 27. California Vehicle Code §260 |

LOS BANOS MUNICIPAL CODE SECTIONS:

28. SECTION 11-13.030 DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this chapter, the following words and phrases are as defined in this section:

“Certificate of inspection” means a City provided form signed by an authorized agent of an automotive repair establishment that is certified by the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence or a facility registered with the Bureau of Automotive Repair, dated no more than thirty (30) days before the date the application is submitted to the Director and which indicates whether a certain vehicle has met the criteria set forth on the form. Items to be inspected may include condition of exterior, interior and mechanical functions.

29. SECTION 11-13.060(b)3 TAXICAB BUSINESS PERMIT APPLICATION

(b) The application must be signed under penalty of perjury and must include all the following.

3. A certificate of inspection for each taxicab to be used in the City.

30. SECTION 11-13.110(c), 11-13.110(d), 11-13.110(g), 11-13.110(k) AND Section 11-13.110(q) CONDITIONS OF TAXICAB BUSINESS PERMIT

(c) Display on both exterior sides, exterior front, and exterior rear of each vehicle the taxicab business City assigned taxicab number.

(d) Display on both exterior sides and exterior rear of each taxicab the dispatch phone number of the taxicab business.

(g) Adhere to the conditions set forth below regarding registration of taxicab service fares, fees and rates:

1. The taxicab business may set fares or charge a flat rate. The taxicab business may use any type of device or technology approved by the Division of Measurement Standards to calculate fares, including the use of Global Positioning System metering, provided that the device or technology complies with Section 12500.5 of the Business and Professions Code and with all regulations established pursuant to Section 12107 of the Business and Professions Code. If fares are calculated by meter, the meter must be sealed, visible to passengers at all times, and currently registered and inspected by a County of Merced Weights and Measures official.
2. The taxicab business must disclose fares, fees, or rates to the customer. A taxicab business may satisfy this requirement by disclosing fares, fees, or rates on its internet website, mobile telephone application, or telephone orders upon request by the customer.
3. The taxicab business must notify the passenger of the applicable rate prior to the passenger accepting the ride for walkup rides and street hails. The rate may be provided on the exterior of the vehicle, within an application of a mobile telephone, device, or other Internet-connected device, or be clearly visible in either print or electronic form inside the taxicab.
4. A taxicab business may not prejudice, disadvantage, or require different rates or provide different service to a person because of race, national origin, religion, color, ancestry, physical disability, medical condition, occupation, marital status or change in marital status, sex, or any characteristic listed or defined in Section 11135 of the Government Code.
5. Collect from taxicab passengers only the amounts disclosed to the customer, plus any tip that the passenger offers.
6. Upon request give a receipt to any passenger after the driver has received full payment of a fare.

(h) Notify the Director immediately when any vehicle not described in the application for the permit is placed in service as a taxicab and submit the information about the vehicle and the certificate of inspection required by the application form.

(k) Maintain each taxicab in safe operating condition, good repair, clean and sanitary condition, and in compliance with the California Vehicle Code.

31. SECTION 11-13.130(b) ANNUAL PERMIT RENEWAL

(b) Permittees must submit to the Director applications to renew taxicab driver and taxicab business permits for following calendar years, together with fees for the renewal and any changes in the information provided in the initial application or a previous renewal application. In addition, an applicant for renewal of a taxicab business permit must submit evidence that required insurance will be in effect for the new calendar year, a new certificate of inspection for each taxicab, and new trip data documentation for the prior calendar year. In addition, an applicant for renewal of a taxicab driver permit must submit proof of a negative test for controlled substances and alcohol as required by the City's controlled substance and alcohol certification program, a new photograph, and provide a document issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles, dated no more than ten (10) days before the application is submitted, showing that the applicant holds a valid, current California driver's license.

32. SECTION 11-13.170 RIGHT TO INSPECTIONS

All taxicab permittees, drivers and other employees must submit taxicab vehicles, vehicle registration, proof of insurance, schedule of rates, meter calibration results, driver permits, and proof of alcohol and drug compliance records to the Director or Chief of Police or designee upon request. Any taxi found to be in an unsafe condition must be taken out of service immediately, and stay out of service until repaired.

All deficiencies found shall be corrected in the time frame given by the inspecting official.

Taxi service is a form of public transportation and as such it is a reflection on the local community. Therefore the appearance and cleanliness of all local taxis is a matter of public concern. Taxicabs that are found to be unkempt, aesthetically unpleasing or offensive shall be cleaned or modified to the satisfaction of the Director or Chief of Police. Failure to comply may lead to license revocation.

33. SECTION 11-13.10

All City of Los Banos taxicab licensees are required to install, maintain, and utilize taxicab meters in each taxicab for each fare. Meters will be calibrated by the Department of Weights and Measures on an annual basis.

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Complete Fee Schedule

License/Permit/Entitlement Type	Basic Fees	State Fees	Additional Fees	Notes	Total Fee
Business Licenses					
<i>Commercial</i>					
Commercial Business License Annual Initial Year (less than 20,000 sqft)	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 166.52
Commercial Business License Annual Initial Year Big Box Store (20,000+ sqft)	\$ 1,218.28	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 1,222.28
Commercial Business License Short Term/6 Months	\$ 124.50	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 128.50
Commercial Business License Short Term/3 Months	\$ 97.80	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 101.80
Commercial Business License Temporary (up to 3 days)	\$ 71.09	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 75.09
Commercial Business License Tenant Improvement			\$ 26.71	One time fee	\$ 26.71
Commercial Business License New Construction			\$ 115.12	One time fee	\$ 115.12
Commercial Business License Renewal	\$ 130.00	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 134.00
Commercial Business License Delinquent Fee	\$ 65.00		\$ 81.26	Not to exceed 50% of license fees (all fees excluding state fee)	\$ 146.26
Commercial Business License Reprint/Duplicate Fee	\$ 10.00				\$ 10.00
Commercial Business License Fire/Building Reinspection			\$ 144.22	Per occurrence - 3rd+ inspection	\$ 144.22
Commercial Business License ABC (not a bar/tavern)	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 26.71	Annual	\$ 193.23
Commercial Business License ABC (bar/tavern)	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 26.71	Annual	\$ 193.23
Commercial Business License Massage Therapist	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 150.56	Annual	\$ 166.52
Commercial Business License Massage Establishment	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 182.18	Annual	\$ 166.52
Commercial Business License Taxi/Limo Service	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 232.49	Annual	\$ 166.52
Commercial Business License Card Room	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 141.82	Annual	\$ 308.34
Commercial Business License Psychic	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 44.39	Annual	\$ 210.91
Commercial Business License Vehicle Tow	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 44.39	Annual	\$ 210.91
Commercial Business License Special Event	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 53.87	Annual	\$ 220.39
Commercial Business License Mobile Vendor Private Property	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 70.91	Annual	\$ 237.43
Commercial Business License Mobile Vendor Public ROW	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 70.91	Annual	\$ 237.43
Commercial Business License Pawn Broker	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 167.35	Annual	\$ 333.87
Commercial Business License Adult Entertainment (dancing venue, etc.)	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 740.88	Annual	\$ 907.40
Commercial Business License Adult Entertainment Performer	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 316.75	Annual	\$ 483.27
Commercial Business License Adult Entertainment (videos, dvds, etc.)	\$ 162.52	\$ 4.00	\$ 353.88	Annual	\$ 520.40
<i>Home Occupation</i>		\$ 4.00			
Home Occupation Business License Annual Initial Year	\$ 97.80	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 101.80
Home Occupation Business License Short Term/6 Months	\$ 97.80	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 101.80
Home Occupation Business License Short Term/3 Months	\$ 71.09	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 75.09
Home Occupation Business License Temporary (up to 3 days)	\$ 44.39	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 48.39
Home Occupation Business License Renewal	\$ 26.71	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 30.71
Home Occupation Business License Delinquent Fee	\$ 13.36		\$ 48.90	Not to exceed 50% of license fee (excluding state fee)	\$ 62.26
Home Occupation Business License Reprint/Duplicate Fee	\$ 10.00				\$ 10.00
<i>Out of Town</i>					
Out of Town Business License Annual Initial Year	\$ 71.09	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 75.09
Out of Town Business License Short Term/6 Months	\$ 97.80	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 101.80
Out of Town Business License Short Term/3 Months	\$ 71.09	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 75.09
Out of Town Business License Temporary (up to 3 days)	\$ 44.39	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 48.39
Out of Town Business License Renewal	\$ 26.71	\$ 4.00		Additional fees may apply	\$ 30.71
Out of Town Business License Delinquent Fee	\$ 13.36		\$ 48.90	Not to exceed 50% of license fee (excluding state fee)	\$ 62.26
Out of Town Business License Reprint/Duplicate Fee	\$ 10.00				\$ 10.00
Solicitation Permit					
Solicitation Permit Initial	\$ 286.62				\$ 286.62
Solicitation Permit Renewal	\$ 124.50				\$ 124.50
Massage Permits/Registrations					
Massage Establishment Permit Initial	\$ 232.04				\$ 232.04
Massage Establishment Permit Renewal	\$ 232.04				\$ 232.04
Massage Therapist Registration Initial	\$ 79.93				\$ 79.93
Massage Therapist Registration Renewal	\$ 79.93				\$ 79.93
Exempt Massage Therapist Permit Initial	\$ 232.04				\$ 232.04
Exempt Massage Therapist Permit Renewal	\$ 232.04				\$ 232.04
Bingo License					
Bingo License Initial	\$ 124.50				\$ 124.50
Bingo License Renewal	\$ 71.09				\$ 71.09
Taxicab Permits					
Taxicab Business Permit Initial	\$ 596.48				\$ 596.48
Taxicab Business Permit Renewal	\$ 596.48				\$ 596.48
Taxicab Driver Permit/IDs Initial	\$ 207.10				\$ 207.10
Taxicab Driver Permit/IDs Renewal	\$ 207.10				\$ 207.10

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License/Permit/Entitlement Type	Basic Fees	State Fees	Additional Fees	Notes	Total Fee
Auction Licenses					
Auctioneer's License (up to 3 months)	\$ 305.82			1x time/per quarter	\$ 305.82
Itinerant Merchant Auctioneer's License (daily)	\$ 360.49			1x time/daily	\$ 360.49
Auction Sales License (daily)	\$ 251.16			1x time/daily	\$ 251.16
Mobile/Sidewalk Vendor Permits					
Mobile Vendor Permit Initial	\$ 625.83				\$ 625.83
Mobile Vendor Permit Renewal	\$ 97.62				\$ 97.62
Sidewalk Vendor Permit Initial	\$ 450.00				\$ 450.00
Sidewalk Vendor Permit Renewal	\$ 450.00				\$ 450.00
Cottage Food Operator Permit					
Cottage Food Operator Permit (one time)	\$ 455.43				\$ 455.43
Planning Permits					
Administrative Permit - other	\$ 720.98			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 720.98
Special Events Permit - minor event	\$ 109.33				\$ 109.33
Special Events Permit - major event	\$ 311.14				\$ 311.14
Special Events Permit - minor event: Street Closures (3 blocks or less)	\$ 109.33		\$ 229.60		\$ 338.93
Special Events Permit - major event: Religious Processions (1.25 miles one way max)	\$ 311.14		\$ 444.22		\$ 755.36
Special Events Permit - major event: Street Closures (3 blocks or less)	\$ 311.14		\$ 229.60		\$ 540.74
Special Events Permit - major event: Parades (standard May Day Parade route)	\$ 311.14		\$ 1,517.64		\$ 1,828.78
Residential Neighborhood Block Party Permit	\$ 203.90				\$ 203.90
Farmers' Market Permit	\$ 230.42				\$ 230.42
Temporary Use Permit - minor use	\$ 230.42				\$ 230.42
Temporary Use Permit - major use	\$ 311.14				\$ 311.14
Miscellaneous					
Digital Sign at W. I St./Pacheco Blvd.	\$ 119.52			Per month	\$ 119.52
Sixth Street Banner - installation & removal	\$ 446.40			Per banner per occurrence	\$ 446.40
Donation Collection Bin Initial	\$ 432.81			Non-refundable	\$ 432.81
Donation Collection Bin Renewal	\$ 163.24			Non-refundable	\$ 163.24
Signage					
Master Sign Plan	\$ 1,681.41				\$ 1,681.41
Sign Review	\$ 82.00				\$ 82.00
Temporary Sign Review	\$ 82.00			Per occurrence	\$ 82.00
Planning Project Entitlements					
Annexation	\$ 23,731.72			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 23,731.72
General Plan Amendment	\$ 8,034.82			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 8,034.82
Zone Change/Pre-Zone	\$ 7,489.10			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 7,489.10
Conditional Use Permit	\$ 1,940.24			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 1,940.24
Site Plan Review	\$ 3,133.79			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 3,133.79
Variance	\$ 1,594.30			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 1,594.30
Tentative Subdivision Map - up to 100 lots	\$ 9,259.06			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 9,259.06
Tentative Subdivision Map - 101+ lots	\$ 12,101.86			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 12,101.86
Revised Tentative Map	\$ 4,575.05			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 4,575.05
Planned Development	\$ 4,554.77			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 4,554.77
Development Agreement	\$ 3,500.00			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 3,500.00
Final Development Plan	\$ 2,000.00			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 2,000.00
Environmental Review/Categorical Exemption	\$ 197.75			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 197.75
Negative Declaration/Initial Study	See Notes			Actual Cost + 20% / Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract Required	\$ -
Environmental Impact Report	See Notes			Actual Cost	\$ -
Minor Subdivision/Parcel Map	\$ 1,024.15			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 1,024.15
Lot Line Adjustment/Parcel Merger	\$ 415.16				\$ 415.16
Reimbursement Agreement	\$ 3,500.00			Deposit / Cost Recovery Contract	\$ 3,500.00
Appeal	\$ 2,587.84				\$ 2,587.84
Time Extension	\$ 2,404.91				\$ 2,404.91

Notes:
State established \$1.00 fee for Business Licenses as mandated by Senate Bill 1186 effective January 1, 2013. State Fee increased to \$4.00 as mandated by Assembly Bill 2164 effective January 1, 2024 indefinitely.

Fees adopted by City Council Resolution No. 6131 on 9/18/19; fees effective 12/1/19
Commercial Business License renewal basic fee subsidized/reduced by City Council Resolution No. 6158; adopted 11/20/19; fee effective 12/1/19