

In the Matter of the Taxi Driver's License  
Held by James Nels Huseby  
2419 Grand Street NE  
Minneapolis, MN 55418

Findings of Fact, Conclusions and  
Recommendations.

**Minneapolis Taxi Driver's License: L017 27058**

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This matter came before the Department at a License Settlement Conference on Friday, January 28, 2011 at 1:00 p.m. in Room 1-C, Minneapolis City Hall. Appearing on behalf of the licensee was James Huseby, Licensee. Appearing for the City was: Ronald Martin and Richard Tuffs, License Inspectors; Patrick Hilden, Licensing Supervisor and Grant Wilson, Licensing Manager. Based on information presented at the hearing, the Department makes the following findings of fact, conclusions and recommendations:

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. James Nels Huseby has held a Minneapolis Taxi Driver's License in the City of Minneapolis since 1978.
2. On April 28, 2009, the licensee, James Nels Huseby, signed and agreed to the following business operating conditions:
  - a) Mr. Huseby will complete a city-approved anger management course within sixty (60) days of the signing of this agreement. Written proof of this completion shall be submitted to the Minneapolis Business Licensing Division within 10 days of completion to be kept in Mr. Huseby's file.
  - b) Mr. Huseby shall limit calls to any City of Minneapolis employee, department, or other representative to one (1) call per day. Or relay his concerns through his service company. Mr. Huseby also agrees to abide to a previous request from elected officials to cease and desist calling them or their staff. All communication to elected officials from Mr. Huseby will only be in writing.

3. On January 18, 2010, Mr. Huseby successfully completed an 18 week anger-management program through East Side Neighborhood Services.
4. During the time period of June 5, 2010 – November 5, 2010, James Huesby made approximately 255 documented calls to the City of Minneapolis 311 call center. All messages were directed to the City Council and the Mayor. All messages lasted the maximum allowed recording time that the message system allows.

### **CONCLUSIONS**

1. The licensee has continually violated the operating conditions of his business license, of which he agreed to on April 28, 2009.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Department acknowledges the licensee's interest in resolving the issues with its licensed business. Due to the expressed willingness of all parties to bring the business into compliance with all applicable ordinances, statutes and regulations the Department makes the following recommendations:

1. The Licensee, James Huseby, shall make no more than (1) phone call in a 24 hour period to any City of Minneapolis employee, department, or other representative. The licensee further agrees to comply with a previous request from elected officials to cease and desist calling them or their staff. All communication to elected officials from the licensee shall only be submitted through writing.
2. The Department shall impose a suspension of James Huesby's Taxi Driver's License for a period of 14 days. This suspension shall be stayed for a period of one year, provided that the licensee, James Huseby, does not violate any part of this agreement within that time period.

James Huseby understands that the holding of a business license in the City of Minneapolis is both a privilege and a responsibility, and, as such, it is understood that there is a minimum standard that shall be met in order to hold such a license. Furthermore, it is understood that a license holder is responsible to ensure that its business operates in compliance with all applicable laws, ordinances and regulations. As such, it is understood and agreed that any violation of the above Recommendations shall constitute just and proper cause for the immediate imposition of any agreed upon or stayed penalties. It is further understood that compliance with the above Recommendations is a requirement for continuing to hold a license and that failure to comply with any of these conditions may result in additional adverse license action.

I have read and understand the above findings of fact, conclusions, and recommendations. I agree with their contents and I agree with the above noted Recommendations. I understand that the failure of my business to adhere to this agreement may be cause for further suspension, revocation, or denial of my license. I understand that this report must be accepted and approved by the Minneapolis City Council and Mayor.

Based upon the foregoing, this agreement is FREELY & VOLUNTARILY ENTERED INTO IN GOOD FAITH:

For the Licensee:

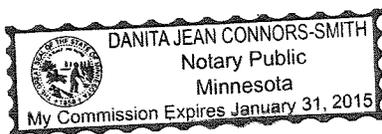
By: James Huseby  
James Nels Huseby, Licensee

Dated: 2/28, 2011.

For the City of Minneapolis:

Grant Wilson  
Grant Wilson  
Manager of Business Licenses

Dated: 2/28, 2011.



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