Vehicle for Hire Review Board Finding Factors

Under Section 34-217, in determining whether or not to recommend the granting of operating authority, the Board shall consider, among other things, the following items:

1. Probable permanency and quality of the service offered by the applicant, the applicant's experience in rendering such service in the City or similar service elsewhere and the applicant's past record and experience in adjusting claims and paying judgments, if any, to claimants;

2. The applicant's financial ability to provide the described service and ability to respond to claims or judgments arising by reason of business operations, injury to persons, or damage to property resulting from operation of a taxicab service;

3. The character and condition of the vehicles to be used;

4. If the applicant is a corporation or other business entity, the qualification of the officers, directors, members and persons with economic interest making such application and each of the above-numbered items as applied to each of the stockholders, officers, members and directors;

5. The applicant's character and past record and, if the applicant is a corporation or other business entity, that of its officers, members and stockholders; and

6. Such other information as presented indicating the ability to provide service; and

7. Whether the applicant has been convicted of any violations of this Article.