

New Taxicab Legislation

Proposed by Councilmember Andre Wallace

City of Mount Vernon Taxicab Regulation Act

Section 1: Purpose

To ensure the safety, reliability, and quality of taxi services within the City of Mount Vernon.

Section 2: Vehicle Age Limit

1. All taxi cabs operating within the City of Mount Vernon must be ten years old or less from the year of manufacture to be permitted for operation.
2. Any taxicab exceeding the ten-year age limit will be prohibited from operating within city limits.

Section 3: Compliance and Enforcement

1. Taxicab owners and operators must provide proof of the vehicle's age and compliance during annual inspections.
2. The City of Mount Vernon will conduct regular audits to ensure adherence to the ten-year age limit.

Section 4: Exceptions and Amendments

1. Any exceptions to this regulation must be approved by the City Council.
2. The City Council reserves the right to amend these regulations as necessary to adapt to changing conditions.