## CITY OF HIGH POINT AGENDA ITEM



**Title: Ordinance Amendment re Taxi Cab Permit Application** 

From: Kenneth Shultz, Chief of Police Meeting Date: March 4, 2019

Public Hearing: N/A

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**Attachments:** Proposed Amended Ordinance

## **PURPOSE:**

To remove the requirement on the application for the Notary signature and seal before review by the Police Department for issuance of permit.

## **BACKGROUND:**

Currently Chapter 2, Article D, Section 11-2-48 -Form of application for taxicab driver permit of the High Point Code of Ordinances requires that the application be notarized before the applicant submits to the High Point Police Department for issuance of a permit. It has been determined that this notary requirement is not a necessary part of the application process.

#### **BUDGET IMPACT:**

N/A

## RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

City Council is requested to adopt an ordinance amending Chapter 2, Article D, Section 11-2-48 -Form of application for taxicab driver permit of the High Point Code of Ordinances to remove the requirement for a notary signature and seal.

# AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE D, SECTION 11-2-48 FORM OF APPLICATION FOR TAXICAB DRIVER PERMIT OF THE CITY OF HIGH POINT CODE OF ORDINANCES

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of High Point that Chapter 2, Article D, Section 11-2-48 -Form of application for taxicab driver permit of the High Point Code of Ordinances is amended as follows:

Sec. 11-2-48. - Form of application for taxicab driver permit.

Adopted this the 4th day of March, 2019.

- (a) Each applicant for a taxicab driver permit shall make application on a form provided by the police department. The application shall contain the applicant's name, address, physical condition, former employers, criminal history, and driver license number and state of issue, and any other information required on the application.
- (b) The application shall be signed by the applicant and notarized. The applicant shall be fingerprinted and photographed as directed by the taxicab inspector. The application is to be submitted to the taxicab inspector or his or her designee and approved or denied within 10 days.

Mayor Jay W. Wagner

ATTEST:

Lisa B. Vierling, City Clerk