



City of Chicago

Business Affairs and Consumer Protection

PUBLIC VEHICLE INDUSTRY NOTICE

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Introducing CHICABS to the Taxicab Industry!

CHICABS is the City of Chicago sponsored e-hail taxicab dispatch program. CHICABS will provide safe and secure options to hail and/or pay for a Chicago taxicab ride. CHICABS will offer options for taxicab passengers to electronically hail (E-Hail) a taxicab through a mobile app. CHICABS approved apps will also let passengers electronically pay (E-Pay) for the taxicab fare through the app. CHICABS apps will benefit taxicab drivers by increasing the number of potential fares and streamlining the cab fare payment process.

CHICABS (chicabs.org) selected E-Hail and E-Pay apps:

CURB (gocurb.com) and **ARRO** (goarro.com)

Taxicab drivers and owners are invited to stop by the CHICABS Registration Fair next week and learn about and register with CURB and/or ARRO.

CHICABS Registration Fair

When: 9am to 3pm

Dates: Wed., January 6; Thurs., January 7 & Fri., January 8, 2016

Location: Public Vehicle Operations, 2350 W. Ogden, 1st Floor, Chicago, IL

Pursuant to Taxicab Medallion License Holder RULE TX5.10, taxicab medallion license holders must participate and support the City's E-Hail Dispatch Apps program. Taxicab drivers shall enroll and participate in one or both CHICABS selected apps by January 31, 2016.

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- ▶ For questions, comments, or to join the City of Chicago's Department of Business Affairs and Consumer Protection-Public Vehicle Operations (BACPPV) e-mail list to receive industry notices and other news, send an email to BACPPV@cityofchicago.org.
 - ▶ Rules and Regulations governing City of Chicago licensed public vehicles and public chauffeurs are available at www.cityofchicago.org/bacp.
 - ▶ The Municipal Code of Chicago is available at www.amlegal.com.

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