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I support the Philadelphia Parking Authority's Proposed Rulemaking Order 126-11, which would require all vehicles proposed for taxicab service after a designated date to be wheelchair accessible. I believe that a fully accessible taxicab system is a vital component of any world-class city and reflects how a city respects the civil rights of its citizens and visitors. It is important that this rulemaking passes so that the City of Brotherly Love becomes the first city in America with a fully integrated taxicab system!

Disability is an equal opportunity group. I am signing this for the gentleman I met a couple of years ago who was an attorney who acquired ALS who could not go to a party with his friends and former coworkers. I am signing this for my friends who would love to hangout more at nighttime in the city but cannot due to lack of accessible taxis. I am signing this for the older adults who have difficulty finding transportation to their doctors' appointments. I am signing this for me and my friends and strangers who might acquire physical disabilities in the future who need accessible taxis.

Please do not change this ruling. We need our civil rights and fully accessible taxis in the city of Brotherly and Sisterly Love! Thank you,

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