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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.

Please allow us as a wonderful culture of diversity in Philadelphia, keep moving forward, and allowing the vision of equality become more of a reality. It would be unethical to not make a large push for accessible vehicles based solely on the volume of differently abled individuals that reside on the greater Philadelphia area!

Thank you,

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