



May 7, 2021

Carmela Allevato, Chair
Passenger Transportation Board
PO Box 9850 Stn Prov Govt
Victoria, BC V8W 9T5

Dear Chair Allevato,

Re: Getting Delta Residents Home Safely

With limited transit service and no NightBus service, Delta residents continue to face significant challenges getting home safely from Vancouver late at night. We are requesting that the Passenger Transportation Board accelerate approvals for passenger directed vehicles and transportation network services to support the safety of Delta residents who need and deserve a safe ride home at night.

The City of Delta has been a strong supporter of transportation network services since 2019 and worked hard with regional partners to advocate for regulatory fairness between ride hailing services and the taxi industry. Throughout this process, our primary goal was to develop a system that supported Delta residents getting home safely late at night from places like Downtown Vancouver. We hope you agree that we should all be working towards this goal.

Thank you for your attention to this important issue to support the safety of Delta residents. If you have any questions, please contact me at mayorharvie@delta.ca.

Yours truly,

George V. Harvie
Mayor

cc: Heather Stewart, Executive Director, Passenger Transportation Board
Gigi Chen-Kuo, interim Chief Executive Officer, TransLink
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