

MARIN GENERAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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Daniel Carlson
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495 Rowland Boulevard
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Re MCTRP Compliance Order No 2009-02

Dear Mr. Carlson:

Compliance Order

Pursuant to Marin County Taxi Regulation Program (MCTRP) Regulations Section G, you are hereby ordered to submit applications for a Company Permit, applications for Driver Permits for all drivers operating taxicabs under your control and Vehicle Permits for all vehicles operating as taxicabs by January 8, 2010. Novato Taxi is in violation of: Section B, COMPANY PERMIT, operating a taxicab business without a Company Permit; Section C, DRIVERS PERMIT, allowing drivers to operate taxicabs without Driver Permits; and Section D, VEHICLE PERMIT, operating motor vehicles as taxicabs without Vehicle Permits. The failure to apply for these Permits constitutes a serious violation of the MCTRP. Note that lack of compliance with this Order may result in the Marin General Services Authority (MGSA) seeking injunctive relief to obtain compliance. MGSA may also take further legal action if necessary.

Background

- By adoption of its Ordinance 1496, the City of Novato delegated authority to the MGSA to conduct a Taxicab Regulation program pursuant to California Government Code § 53075.5. That program is called the Marin County Taxi Regulation Program (MCTRP).
- On several occasions, the MCTRP staff informed you of the need to obtain a Company Permit, Driver Permits for all drivers of taxicabs under your control and Vehicle Permits for vehicles your company operates as taxicabs. Specifically, on December 31, 2007, you were informed of permit enrollment schedules for companies and drivers, on January 17, 2008 you were invited to company and driver permit enrollment sessions, on September 23, 2008, you were invited to meet with MCTRP staff regarding permit fee changes, and on February 26, 2009 you were asked to provide MCTRP staff with all missing permit application materials.

