

City of Chicago Business Affairs and Consumer Protection PUBLIC VEHICLE INDUSTRY NOTICE

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VEHICLE MANUFACTURER ISSUED SAFETY RECALLS

The Department of Business Affairs and Consumer Protection (BACP) recommends all public passenger licensees start the New Year by ensuring their respective public passenger vehicles are not subject to open vehicle manufacturer issued recalls.

The United States Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration maintains a free portal for anyone to verify open vehicle manufacturer issued recalls associated with a specific vehicle identification number (VIN).

Simply type in a VIN at https://www.nhtsa.gov/recalls to identify if that vehicle needs to be repaired as part of a manufacturer issued recall.

City of Chicago licensed public passenger license holders (taxicab, livery, transportation network provider, charter-sightseeing, ambulance, and medicar) have an affirmative duty to ensure their respective public passenger vehicles are safe for passenger transportation.

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[►] Rules and Regulations governing City of Chicago licensed public vehicles and public chauffeurs are available at www.chicago.gov/bacp.

[▶] The Municipal Code of Chicago is available at www.amlegal.com.