

**CITY OF DEADWOOD
ORDINANCE 1428**

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Deadwood, in the State of South Dakota, as follows:

SECTION 1: AMENDMENT “5.48.020 Definitions” of the Deadwood Municipal Code is hereby *amended* as follows:

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5.48.020 Definitions

As used in this chapter:

"City license plate" is a three (3) inch by six (6) inch decal or sticker that indicates the year of license as well as a taxicab identification number. Provided by the city of Deadwood.

"Intra-city service" means service provided solely within one (1) city. Example: A fare picked up in Deadwood and dropped off in Deadwood.

"Inter-city service" means service provided from city to city. Example: A fare picked up in Deadwood and dropped off in Lead.

"Taxicab" means a public transportation device used to convey passengers to and from destinations of their choice; such as, but not limited to, vehicles, limousines, rickshaws, and velotaxis (pedi cabs), excluding transportation network company driver devices.

"Taxicab business" means any person, firm, or corporation engaging in the commercial practice of providing public transportation which is not a transportation network company or transportation network company driver to destination(s) of choice of passengers.

"Transportation network company" means a corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, or other entity that uses a digital network to connect transportation network company riders to transportation network company drivers who provide prearranged rides and that does not control, direct, or manage the personal vehicles or transportation network company drivers that connect to its digital network, except where agreed to by written contract.

"Transportation network company driver" means a person who receives connections to potential riders and related services from a transportation network company in exchange for payment of a fee to the transportation network company and who uses a personal vehicle to provide a prearranged ride to riders upon connection through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company in return for compensation or payment of a fee.

"Transportation network company rider" means a person who uses a transportation network company's digital network to connect with a transportation network driver who provides a prearranged ride to the person in the driver's personal vehicle between points chosen by the person.

(Ord. 1162 (part), 2011)

SECTION 2: AMENDMENT “5.48.010 License Required” of the Deadwood Municipal Code is hereby *amended* as follows:

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5.48.010 License Required

- A. No person, firm or corporation shall operate a taxicab business and provide intra-city service within the city of Deadwood, other than a transportation network company, without first having obtained from the city commission a license therefore and without having complied with all provisions of this chapter.
- B. Any person, firm or corporation desiring a license for a taxicab or taxicabs shall make a written application therefore to the city commission upon blank applications to be furnished by the chief of police. Said application shall contain the full name and address of the owner, the make, model and year of manufacture of the vehicle(s), the South Dakota license number and the vehicle identification number of the same.
- C. Transportation network companies are not required to obtain a license from the city commission.

(Ord. 1162 (part), 2011)

SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from September 24, 2025 and after the required approval and publication according to law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF DEADWOOD CITY COMMISSION

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Presiding Officer

Attest

Alea Struble, Mayor, City of
Deadwood

Jessica McKeown, Finance Officer,
City of Deadwood