

# MARIN GENERAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** November 10, 2011  
**TO:** MGSA Board of Directors  
**FROM:** Paul Berlant, Executive Officer  
**SUBJECT:** AGENDA ITEM: D: Taxicab Regulation Program Update

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Recommendation Accept this update report. No action is requested.

Program Update There are currently 19 companies permitted, using 21 names, which is an increase of one company since the September Board meeting. Currently 87 vehicles have been permitted, an increase of five cabs since September. 168 drivers have permits, an increase of ten drivers since the last report. The added new company has one vehicle, while the other four new vehicles are associated with existing companies.

Several drivers have transferred their permits from one company to another. It is not unusual for drivers to transfer from one company to another, however we have seen a slight increase in this activity lately, in part due to competition for qualified drivers.

Overall, the data indicate an increase in volume. The taxicab industry in Marin County seems to be complying with the MCTRP regulations.