

## Cheri Smith

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**From:** Shawn D. Smith  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 11, 2016 11:52 AM  
**To:** Cheri Smith  
**Subject:** FW: Request for public hearing on taxi licenses

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Good afternoon,

My name is Margaret Scholl. I am the owner of Charter Resort Transport (CRT), a taxi and shuttle service operated currently out of Marathon and serving all of the Florida Keys.

In accordance with Section 78-62 (e) of the Key West Code of Ordinances, I am respectfully requesting that a public hearing in October 2016 be held to discuss issuing additional taxi licenses within the City of Key West. My company has the requisite number of vehicles, as well as an app (think Uber), insurances and licenses. My request is based on the increase in the number of visitors to Key West since 1992 (the last time new taxi licenses were issued) and the anticipated increase in visitors as a result of United Airlines opening up weekly seasonal flights into Key West.

Given that this opportunity only presents itself biannually, I am hoping you will accommodate my request. I am seeking the chance to bring several additional passenger- for-hire vehicles to Key West, to dramatically increase the level of customer service and to provide an opportunity for residents and visitors alike to request CRT's services through a number of channels (phone, email, web or app).

Thank you very much for your kind consideration. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Margaret Scholl

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