

May 6, 2013

TO: Alderman Terry Witkowski, Chair, Public Safety Committee

Alderman Robert Bauman

Alderman James Bohl Jr.

Alderman Joe Davis

Alderman Robert Puente

RE: Taxi Permits

I am a frequent user of taxicabs licensed by the City of Milwaukee.

I concur with Judge Jane Carroll's ruling that voids the artificial permit cap enacted in 1991.

I agree with permit holder Michael Sanfelippo's statement to journalist Bruce Murphy: "I believe (the city) should open it up once and for all" and eliminate the cap on permits.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "George Mitchell". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the left.

George Mitchell

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