

## ORDINANCE No. 413

**AN ORDINANCE to prohibit the issuance of any additional license or permit for taxicabs or for hire vehicles in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, pending the adoption of a comprehensive ordinance regulating the operation of taxicabs and for hire vehicles within the City of Alexandria, Virginia.**

WHEREAS it is the desire and purpose of the Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia to adopt a comprehensive ordinance controlling the licensing and operation of taxicabs and for hire vehicles in the City of Alexandria, and

WHEREAS the Council contemplates the holding of public hearings in considering said comprehensive ordinance, and

WHEREAS by the terms of said proposed ordinance no additional taxicabs or for hire vehicles will be licensed in the City of Alexandria except upon the showing that such additional equipment is required for public convenience and necessity, and

WHEREAS in the opinion of the Council it is desirable in the public interest that no further taxicabs or for hire vehicles be licensed for operation in the City of Alexandria pending the adoption of said comprehensive controlling ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia:

Section 1. That the Council of the City of Alexandria does hereby declare that the taxicabs and for hire vehicles at present licensed and operating in the City of Alexandria are sufficient to meet the needs of the public convenience and necessity.

Section 2. That no additional licenses or permits for the operation of taxicabs or for hire vehicles within the City of Alexandria shall hereafter be issued pending the adoption of the aforementioned ordinance to control and regulate taxicabs and for hire vehicles in said city.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Adopted December 21, 1943

WILLIAM T. WILKINS,  
Mayor