

# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BUREAU OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION OFFICE OF PROGRAM MANAGEMENT



### <u>APPLICATION NUMBER</u> 2103-AVWO-22-L

APPLICATION OF NEW HORIZONS, INC DBA SUNSHINE WHEELS, HOLDER OF PERMIT NUMBER 3677, TO OPERATE TWO (2) ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLES IN GENERAL LIVERY SERVICE FROM A HEADQUARTERS IN FARMINTON WITHOUT A HEARING.

FINAL DECISION

April 13, 2021

#### I. INTRODUCTION

By application 2103-AVWO-22-L, filed with the Connecticut Department of Transportation (hereinafter "Department") on March 31, 2021, New Horizons, Inc. dba Sunshine Wheels (hereinafter "applicant") made application for two (2) additional motor vehicles in general livery service from a headquarters in Farmington under the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes, Section 13b-103(a)(4).

The applicant, holder of Livery Permit Number 3677, is currently permitted and authorized to operate eight (8) motor vehicles, each having a seating capacity of eleven (11) passengers or less, in general livery service from a headquarters in Farmington.

#### II. DEPARTMENT ANALYSIS

- 1. The applicant has submitted the proper application before the Department.
- 2. It has been at least one calendar year since the applicant last applied for additional vehicle(s).
- 3. Department records indicate that all the existing vehicle(s) authorized are registered and in use.
- 4. Department records further indicate that there are no outstanding violations or matters pending adjudication against the applicant.

#### III. CONCLUSION AND ORDER

Based on the above and pursuant to Section 13b-103(a), the application is hereby approved and therefore Livery Permit Number 3677 is amended and reissued as follows:

## LIVERY PERMIT NUMBER 3677 FOR THE OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES IN LIVERY SERVICE

New Horizons, Inc. dba Sunshine Wheels is hereby permitted and authorized to operate ten (10) motor vehicles, each having a seating capacity of eleven (11) passengers or less, in general livery service from a headquarters as listed below:

- 1. Eight (8) motor vehicles, having a seating capacity of less than eleven (11) passengers, in General Livery service between all points in Connecticut from a headquarters in Farmington.
- 2. Two (2) motor vehicles, having a seating capacity of less than eleven (11) passengers, in General Livery service between all points in Connecticut from a headquarters in Simsbury.

This permit may not be sold or transferred until it has been operational, i.e., a vehicle registered with livery plates thereunder, for not less than twenty-four (24) consecutive months from the date of this final decision. If at any time during the twenty-four (24) month period the applicant enters into a contract for sale and transfer of any of the vehicles authorized under application 2103-AVWO-22-L, the authority granted herein will be revoked.

This permit shall remain in effect until it is amended, suspended or revoked by the Department. Failure of the permit holder to maintain proper insurance and/or to comply with all pertinent motor vehicle laws and other State statutes and/or the rules, regulations, and orders of the Department, shall be considered sufficient cause to amend, suspend, or revoke this permit. This permit is transferrable only with the approval of the Department. Vehicles authorized herein must be registered within thirty (30) days of the date of this decision.

A memorandum of the permit bearing the seal of the Department shall be kept conspicuously posted in the motor vehicles operated hereunder.

Dated at Newington, Connecticut, this 13th day of April 2021.

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