

CITY OF NEWTON

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 3, 2022

TO BE ISSUED October 3, 2022 (to October 2, 2025)

The City Council, pursuant to the provisions of Section 19-361 et. Seq. of the Revised Ordinances, as amended, hereby grants a license to

Brigham and Women's Hospital  
75 Francis Street  
Boston, MA 02115

Through its bus operator:  
VPNE Parking Solutions, LLC  
350 Lincoln Street  
Hingham, MA 02043

to operate motor vehicles for the carriage of passengers over the following described ways in the City of Newton as further specified herein.

Weekday Designated Route, Days and Hours of Operation:

1. Weekday Shuttle Route Service:

Morning Service between Chestnut Hill Employee Lot at 199 Boylston Street, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 and Faulkner Hospital, 1153 Centre Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130  
Afternoon/Evening Service between Faulkner Hospital, 1153 Centre Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 and Chestnut Hill Employee Lot at 199 Boylston Street, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467.

1. Weekday Shuttle Route Days and Hours of Operation: Monday through Friday, 5:00 a.m. until 8:55 p.m. Shuttle service leaves approximately every 10 minutes.

2.

a. Vehicle Specifications

Type of Vehicle(s): (4) 2022 Starcraft Allstar

Number of vehicles: 4

Gasoline Fuel

Seating capacity: 14 passengers

Buses are equipped with radios and back up cameras.

- b. The Licensee shall equip vehicles with two-way radios and cell phones and shall maintain contact between a dispatcher and all vehicles while in operation on the routes described herein.

3. Street Use:

Shuttle Route: Hammond Pond Parkway to Chestnut Hill @ Bloomingdales, Newton, MA 02467 via Hammond Pond Parkway, Newton Street and Allendale Street from 1153 Centre Street Jamaica Plain, MA 02130.

4. Passenger Pickup/Drop off Locations:

Morning Service between Chestnut Hill Employee Lot at 199 Boylston Street, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 and Faulkner Hospital, 1153 Centre Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

Afternoon/Evening Service between Faulkner Hospital, 1153 Centre Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 and Chestnut Hill Employee Lot at 199 Boylston Street, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467.

5. Modifications: Prior to the renewal of the License, the Licensee shall be authorized to make minor adjustments to the regular shuttle service in Newton authorized by this License based on the recommendation of VPNE Parking Solutions, LLC and the approval of the Newton Police Traffic Bureau Commander. The Licensee shall notify the Chief of Police within five (5) business days of any adjustment in the days of operation, hours of operation, or route/stops. The Chief of Police shall maintain a file of all such requests in order to verify the total changes to the service at the end of each License term. Any other changes to the regular service in Newton shall require the approval of the City Council.

6. Term: This License is valid beginning October 3, 2022 and shall expire on October 2, 2025. Subsequent license renewals shall be granted in the discretion of the City Council.

7. Enforcement and violation: The Chief of Police shall be charged with the enforcement of the provisions of this License. Violation of any of the above provisions shall be cause for revocation of this license in accordance with procedures to be established by the City Council.

8. Hold harmless: VPNE Parking Solutions, LLC and their officials, trustees, agents, servants and employees shall hold harmless and defend the City of Newton from and against all claims, damages, demands and actions of every kind arising out of the exercise of this License.

9. Severable provisions: The provisions of this License are severable. If any of the provisions of this License are held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of this License shall not be affected by such invalidity and shall remain in full force and effect, provided that upon such a finding or invalidity the City shall have the right to initiate proceedings to revise the remaining provisions of the License in a manner not inconsistent with any such finding of invalidity.

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Under Suspension of Rules


Readings Waived and License

22 Yeas, 0 Nays, 2 Absent (Councilors Laredo and Markiewicz)



(SGD) CAROL MOORE

City Clerk



SGD) RUTHANNE FULLER

Mayor

Date: 10/12/2022