

VISION ZERO SIDE GUARD INCENTIVE PROGRAM

A NYC-BIC, NYC-DOT & NYC-DCAS PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

The New York City Business Integrity Commission ("BIC") is pleased to announce that funding for the side guard rebate program has been extended to fiscal year 2017. BIC will continue to offer the rebate program, which provides funding to private trade waste companies who will be early adopters of side guards on their fleets. We would also like to thank those companies in the trade waste industry who have already participated in the program. We encourage those who have not yet taken advantage of the program to do so while funding is available. This program is a collaboration among BIC, the Department of Transportation ("DOT") and the Department of Citywide Administrative Services ("DCAS").

Qualifying companies could receive a rebate of 50% of the total cost of purchase and installation, or up to \$2,000 (whichever is less) to install life-saving side guards on its fleet!

To obtain more information and apply for the rebate program visit: <u>http://www.nyc.gov/html/bic/html/current-programs/current-programs.shtml</u>

Eligibility Requirements for the Incentive Program

- A company must have a current license or registration issued by BIC or have submitted to BIC a properly completed renewal application and have no outstanding debts, judgments, liens, or other obligations payable to BIC. Companies with outstanding debts, judgments, or liens may be required to provide additional documentation to BIC and each request shall be considered on a case-by-case basis.
- Truck must be Class 3 to Class 8 with a Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) of 10,001 pounds or greater.
- Truck must have a 2007 U.S. EPA emission compliant or newer model year engine.

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• Vision Zero (<u>http://www.nyc.gov/html/visionzero/pages/home/home.shtml</u>) is a comprehensive plan to improve vehicle and pedestrian safety in New York City. As a part of this effort, companies licensed and registered by BIC will be required to install side guards on their vehicles by 2024.





