

After decades of seeing sick and drunken customers' faces turn green and then decorate their taxis with barf, Chicago cabbies have had enough. They're asking the city to enact a law that future in-cab sickos must pay \$50 for each throw-up incident.

If enacted, Chicago will be the first U.S. city to make sick boozers and bad-food eaters pay for their offensively messy offenses. We've nothing against hard-working hack drivers, but the Chicago ordinance should also require cabbies to take at least one bath a week and not drive to O'Hare Airport via Milwaukee.