

REPORT TO: Licensing Sub-Committee

MEETING DATE: 13 September 2012

BY: Executive Director (Support Services)

SUBJECT: Taxi Fare Review

1 PURPOSE

1.1 To advise the Licensing Sub Committee on the outcome of the newspaper advertisement of the scale of Taxi fares and charges proposed by the East Lothian Taxi & Private Hire Association.

2 RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1 To consider the advertised scale of Taxi fares and charges, and, if approved, to fix same with an effective date to be confirmed in November 2012.
- 2.2 To note that notice of the scale of Taxi fares and charges, as may be fixed by the Licensing Authority, is to be given, informing the recipients of the notice of the effects of Section 18(1) of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982.

3 BACKGROUND

- 3.1 Following the decision of the Licensing Sub Committee, taken at its meeting held on 14 June 2012, that it was intended to make a determination of the scale of fares and other charges, as proposed to that meeting by East Lothian Taxi & Private Hire Association, the proposed scale was advertised in the local East Lothian newspapers on 27 July 2012. A copy of the information advertised appears in Appendix 1, together with a full copy of the proposed tariff and the current tariffs operating in the other Lothian Authorities, for information. Members of the public were given until 27 August 2012 to make representations. At the time of writing this report, no representations had been received.
- 3.2 The Licensing Sub Committee are therefore now in a position to make a decision on whether to fix as the new scale of fares and charges, those advertised, given that no representations on the matter were received

within the statutory period. Following the fixing of the new scale of fares and charges, the Council as Licensing Authority, requires to give notice of their decision, in terms of Section 17(4) of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982, to such persons or organisations as they consulted about the scale, namely the East Lothian Taxi & Private Hire Association, informing them of the general effect of section 18(1) of the Act, which deals with a right of appeal.

- 3.3 Section 18(1) of the Act provides that any person who operates a taxi, for which scales have been fixed, may appeal against these scales to the traffic commissioner within 14 days. If an appeal is lodged, the introduction of the new fee tariff is suspended until the traffic commissioner has issued his decision.
- 3.4 Given the requirement to notify, allow time for appeals, and thereafter to have taxi meters recalibrated to the new rates, it is suggested that the new rates become operative in November 2012. The proposed dates for recalibration of meters will be confirmed as soon as possible.

4 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

4.1 None. In fixing a scale of fares and other charges, the Council as Licensing Authority is complying with a statutory duty.

5 EQUALITIES IMPACT ASSESSMENT

5.1 This report is not applicable to the well being of equalities groups and an Equalities Impact Assessment is not required.

6 RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

- 6.1 Financial None
- 6.2 Personnel None
- 6.3 Other None

7 BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982, sections 17 & 18

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Head of Council Resources, John Muir House Brewery Park, Haddington og July 2012

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Scottish Traffic Area, Hillcrest House, 386 Harehills Road, LEEDS, LS9 6NF stating their reasons, within 21 days of this notice. Representors must at the same time send a copy of their representations to the applicant at the address given at the top of this notice. A guilde to making representations is available from the Traffic Commissioner's office.



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27 July 2012

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Appointment of Trustees for the **Brunton Theatre Trust**

Brunton Theatre Trust is looking for new Trustless to join the existing Trust. In particular we are keen to hear from candidates with fields to our community of East Lothian. This is an exciting opportunity for people with some lime to offer to participate in the Trust and to contribute to its future direction and success.

Applications are encouraged from all those who have Apprications are information from all those who have an interest in theatre and the arts and / or youth aris. The range of skills needed for the Trust is detailed in an alcormation pack which can be obtained from Brunton Theatre (see contact details belonly or accessed on the Brunton Theatre website www.bruntontheatre.co.uk

The Brunton Theatre Trust is a registered Scottish Charity (SCQ22422)

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6pm on 31st December until 6am on 3rd January	

EXTRA PAYMENTS	
WHEN MORE THAN 4 PASSENGERS	- £1.00 EACH
PREBOOKINGS CALL OUT CHARGE	- 40p
CANCELLATION CHARGE	-£3.00
CLEANING CHARGE FOR ALCOHOL RELATED SI	CKNESS -£60.00

NOTES

1. THE ABOVE FARES APPLICABLE ONLY WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATIVE AREA OF EAST LOTHIAN.
2. FARE FOR HIRE TERMINATING OUTWITH EAST LOTHIAN BY ARRANGEMENT AT THE TIME OF HIRE.



CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982 TAXI FARE STRUCTURE MAXIMUM FARE LEVELS

Notice is hereby given that, in terms of Section 18(9) of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982, the Taxi Fare levels to be effective from 21st November 2011 are as follows:-

Social Hours	No. of PASSENGERS	SENGERS	
	1 to 4	5 to 8	
Initial Hire	£2.10	£3.15	
Each 107.3 yards (approx 100 metres) or part thereof	£0.10	£0.15	
After 60 seconds each 35 seconds	£0.10	£0.15	

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Unsocial Hours

(b) Festive Season:-
Between 6.00pm on 24 December until 6.00am on 27 December and between
6.00pm on 31 December until 6.00am on 3 January.

Car valeting charge for customer misuse: £70.00

After 60 seconds each 35 seconds Each 107.3 yards (100 metres)

Initial Hire

£4.65 £0.25 £0.25

£3.10 £0.15 £0.15

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Head of Legal & Democratic Services

THIS NOTICE MUST BE DISPLAYED IN YOUR VEHICLE, IN A POSITION WHERE IT CAN BE EASILY READ BY THE FARE PAYING PUBLIC.

THE CITY OF EDINBURGH COUNCIL

FARE TABLE FOR TAXIS

Approved by Regulatory Committee on 6 December 2011

FOR UP TO 2 PASSENGERS

TARIFF 1	TARIFF 2 Monday – Friday 6pm – 6am the following day
Monday - Friday 6am – 6pm	6am Saturday – 6am Monday
	TARIFF 4 Monday - Friday 6pm - 6am the following day
during Christmas and New Year	6am on Saturday – 6am Monday during Christmas and New Year
CHRISTMAS	6pm on 24 December to 6am on 27 December
NEW YEAR	6pm on 31 December to midnight on 2 January

CHARGES	TARIFF 1	TARIFF 2	TARIFF 3	TARIFF 4
 Initial hire not exceeding 520m Initial 105 seconds of waiting time Combination of initial time and distance 	£2.00	£3.00	£3.00	£4.00
 Each additional 195m up until 2080m and thereafter each additional 225m Each additional 42 seconds of waiting time Combination of additional time and distance 	£0.25	£0.25	£0.35	£0.45

EXTRA PAYMENTS

When more than 2 passengers		Each	£0.20	
Note: Only 2 children under 12 years will be reckoned as one passenger. No extra fare will be charged for one child under 5 years of age.				
Each Passenger must be properly so	eated		***************************************	
Hires ending at Edinburgh Airport In	ner Drop-off Zone (See Note 4 below)	£1.00	
Call Out Charge Applicable when pre-booked	20.80	l For nires Commencing at Edinburgh airport	£0.80	
Cancellation Fee Applicable when taxi is pre-booked but	£2.20	Payment Of Fare By Credit/Debit Card Extra applicable when fare paid by the above means	5.0 %	
Cleaning Fee Applicable when taxi is s	soiled (by travel sickr	ness)	£23.00	

NOTES

- (1) The above Tariff is applicable only within the City of Edinburgh.
- (2) Any hire which terminates outside the City of Edinburgh area FARE MUST BE NEGOTIATED AND AGREED WITH DRIVER BEFORE THE JOURNEY COMMENCES.
- (3) A copy of the Licensing Conditions can be inspected at the Council's Licensing Offices, 249 High Street, Edinburgh, EH1 1YJ and downloaded from edinburgh.gov.uk/downloads/file/843/taxi_licensing_conditions.
- (4) The Airport Extra is only payable if passenger is dropped off in the covered inner drop-off zone at Edinburgh Airport and the driver has explained to the passenger before the start of the journey (1) He will take the passenger to the drop off point just beside the airport terminal and that there is a £1 extra for this. (2) If the passenger states he is disabled, the £1 extra still has to be paid, but the driver understands that the passenger can reclaim this from the airport at the drop-off point. (3) If the passenger wishes to avoid the £1 extra, he can be taken to an outer drop-off point. However, this is further from the airport terminal, involves the use of a free shuttle bus and will require more time for the passenger to get to the airport terminal.

COMPLAINTS

Any hirer aggrieved at the level of the fare charged for any hire or for any other reason may discuss the matter with the Taxi Licensing Officer (0131 529 4250). Any complaint must be made in writing and addressed to the Complaints Officer, Licensing Section, The City of Edinburgh Council, 249 High Street, Edinburgh EH1 1YJ, and should include the vehicle's licence number and time and date of the incident.

MIDLOTHIAN COUNCIL

APPENDIX

CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982

FARE TARIFF WITH EFFECT FROM 21 JUNE 2011

Taxi and Private Hire Car Fares

For 1 or 2 passengers	Tariff 1	Tariff 2	Tariff 3	Tariff 4
For the initial hire not exceeding 339m				
For the initial period of waiting time of				
60 seconds	£2.20	£2.70	£3.80	£4.00
For a combination of time and distance				
For each additional 168.3m				
For each additional 30 seconds of				
waiting time	£0.20	£0.20	£0.35	£0.35
For a combination of additional time and				
distance				

Monday to Friday		
Tariff 1 – Monday – Friday 6am – 6pm	Tariff 2 – 6pm to 6am and, at weekends, from 6am on Saturday to 6am Monday	

Christmas and New Year - Between 6pm	on 24 December and 6am on 27
December and 6pm on 31 December and	6am on 3 January
Tariff 3 – Monday – Friday 6am – 6pm	Tariff 4 – 6pm to 6am and, at weekends, from 6am on Saturday to 6am on Monday

Only 2 children under 12 years will be reckoned as one passenger. No extra fare will be charged for one child under 5 years. Each passenger must be properly seated.

Extra Payments	
When more than 2 passengers -	Pre-bookings –
£0.20 each	Call Out Charge - £0.60
Cleaning Fee – Travel Sickness - £20.00	Cancellation Fee - £2.00
Credit/Debit card payments - £1.00	

(OPERATIVE FROM 19TH OCTÓBER 2008) FARE TABLE FOR HIRE CARS WEST LOTHIAN COUNCIL (EXCLUSIVE HIRES)

For up to 2 passengers	Tariff 2 - Monday - Thursday 6nm - 6am and at
Tariff 1 - Monday - Friday 6am - 6pm	Weekends from 6pm on Friday - Monday 6am
For the initial hire not exceeding 190 yards	For the initial hire not exceeding 190 vards
For the initial period of waiting time of 43 seconds or	For the initial period of waiting time of 43 seconds or
For a combination of time and distance as above £2.20	For a combination of time and distance as above £2.60
For each additional 250 yards or part thereof	For each additional 250 yards or part thereof
For each additional period of waiting time of 43 seconds or part thereof or	For each additional period of waiting time of 43 seconds or part thereof or
For a combination of additional time and distance 20p	For a combination of additional time and distance20p
Tariff 3 - Christmas and New Year	Additional Passengers -
Hires commencing on midnight on 24th December until 6am on 27th	Where more than 2 passengers (excluding children) - per extra
December and between midnight on 31st December and 6am on 3rd	passenger 40p
January in any year.	Note: Each passenger must be properly seated (including children)
For the initial hire not exceeding 190 yards	Luggage - For every piece of luggage carried (subject to a maximum charge
For the initial period of waiting time of 43 seconds or	of 40p per hire) 20p
For a combination of time and distance as above£4.40	Soiling Charge£25.00
For each additional 250 yards or part thereof	Cancellation Fee - Taxi booked but not used £2.20
For each additional period of waiting time of 43 seconds or part thereof or	Engagement Fee - Where taxi booked by telephone or booked in advance
For a combination of additional time and distance40p	40p per hire

Notes:-

- The above fares are applicable only within the West Lothian District Any Hire which terminates outwith the West Lothian District Fare by Agreement before journey commences.

APPROVED BY WEST LOTHIAN COUNCIL 30TH SEPTEMBER 2008

A copy of the conditions attached to a taxi or private hire car licence issued by West Lothian Council may be inspected at:- Police Headquarters, Edinburgh, Divisional Police Headquarters, Livingston, West Lothian Council, Legal Services, West Lothian House, Almondvale Boulevard, Livingston and at Council Information Services and Area Offices.