

APPENDIX 1

**SECTION 65 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS)
ACT 1976
VARIATION OF TABLE OF FARES FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES AND OTHER
CHARGES**

**SUNDERLAND LICENSING ZONE;
HETTON LICENSING ZONE;
HOUGHTON LICENSING ZONE; and
WASHINGTON LICENSING ZONE.**

NOTICE is hereby given by the Council of the City of Sunderland of City Hall, Plater Way, Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, SR1 3AA, ("the Council"), that it proposes to vary the charges to be paid in respect of the hire of Hackney Carriages, ("the Table of Fares"), plus other charges that are specified below in each of the following licensing zones, :-

- (a) Sunderland Licensing Zone;
- (b) Hetton Licensing Zone;
- (c) Houghton Licensing Zone; and
- (d) Washington Licensing Zone.

Details of the proposed variations are given in the Schedule below. The proposed variations are the same in respect of each Licensing Zone.

Objections to the proposed variations in respect of any of the above Licensing Zones should be made in writing and received by 4.45pm on the 25th March, 2022 by Steve Wearing, Principal Licensing Officer, Licensing Section, City Hall, Plater Way, Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, SR1 3AA; or e-mail licensing@sunderland.gov.uk

If no objections to the variations are duly made, or if all objections duly made are withdrawn, the variations will come into operation on the 22nd April, 2022, or the date of withdrawal of the objection, or if more than one, of the last objection, whichever date is the later.

If objections are duly made as stated above and are not withdrawn they will be considered by the Council and the Table of Fares and the other charges will come into operation no later than the 20th May, 2022 with, or without modifications as decided by the Council after consideration of the objections.

A copy of this Notice has been deposited and may be inspected free of charge during normal office hours at the City Hall, Plater Way, Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, SR1 3AA, (8.30am – 5.15pm Monday – Thursday and 8.30am– 4.45pm on Fridays, excluding Bank Holidays), until 4.45pm on the 25th March, 2022.

Dated : 4th March, 2022

Patrick Melia,
Chief Executive,
Sunderland City Council.

SCHEDULE :

TARIFF ONE : Monday – Saturday 7.00am to 11.00pm, with the exception of Public and Bank Holidays and the Christmas / New Year period.

Current Tariff One :

If the distance does not exceed 137.16m (150 yds), for the whole distance: £2.60
If the distance exceeds 137.16m (150 yds), for the first 137.16m (150 yds): £2.60
And each subsequent 196.6m (215 yds) or uncompleted part thereof: £0.20

Proposed Tariff One :

If the distance does not exceed 100.58m (110 yds), for the whole distance: £2.80
If the distance exceeds 100.58m (110 yds), for the first 100.58m (110 yds): £2.80
And each subsequent 192.02m (210 yds), or uncompleted part thereof: £0.20

TARIFF TWO : From 11.00pm and 7.00am each day and all day Sunday, with the exception of Public and Bank Holidays and the Christmas / New Year period.

Current Tariff Two :

If the distance does not exceed 137.16m (150 yds), for the whole distance: £3.00
If the distance exceeds 137.16m (150 yds), for the first 137.16m (150 yds): £3.00
And each subsequent 150.88m (165 yds), or uncompleted part thereof: £0.20

Proposed Tariff Two :

If the distance does not exceed 100.58m (110 yds), for the whole distance: £3.20
If the distance exceeds 100.58m (110 yds), for the first 100.58m (110 yds): £3.20
And each subsequent 146.30m (160 yds), or uncompleted part thereof: £0.20

TARIFF THREE : From 6.00pm on 24th December to 7.00am on 27th December and 6.00pm on 31st December to 7.00am on 2nd January and all day on other Public and Bank Holidays.

Current Tariff Three :

If the distance does not exceed 137.16m (150 yds), for the whole distance: £4.00
If the distance exceeds 137.16m (150 yds), for the first 137.16m (150 yds): £4.00
And each subsequent 150.88m (165 yds) or uncompleted part thereof: £0.20

Proposed Tariff Three :

If the distance does not exceed 100.58m (110 yds), for the whole distance: £4.20
If the distance exceeds 100.58m (110 yds), for the first 100.58m (110 yds):

And each subsequent 146.30m (160 yds), or uncompleted part thereof: £4.20
£0.20

OTHER CHARGES :

Waiting Time: Initial free waiting time of 126 seconds to be removed, with each period of 60 seconds remaining the same as at present :

£0.20

Extra Charges:

For each article of luggage, (wheelchairs and pushchairs free of charge) :

£0.20 (currently £0.10)

Each dog, or other animal, (except accompanied assistance dogs) :

£0.20 (currently £0.10)

Fouling of the vehicle (maximum charge) :

£60.00 (currently £30.00)