

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1976
PROPOSED VARIATION OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE FARES**



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 65 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 that Eastleigh Borough Council proposes, subject to any objections received, to vary the table of fares applicable to hackney carriages licensed by the borough council.

EFFECT OF THE PROPOSED VARIATION

The effect of the proposed variation will be to set the fares and other charges in connection with the hire of hackney carriages within the borough of Eastleigh in accordance with the following table: -

TARIFF 1 – Daytime – for any hiring begun after 7.00 a.m. and before 11.00 p.m. except as in Tariffs 2 and 3

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| (a) For the first one thirteenth of a mile or part thereof: | £3.40 |
| (b) For each subsequent one thirteenth of a mile or part thereof | £0.20 |
| (c) Waiting Time – For each period of one minute or part thereof: | £0.35 |

TARIFF 2 – Night time – for any hiring between 11.00 p.m and before 7.00 a.m. Sundays; Bank Holidays and from 8:00 p.m Christmas Eve and New Year’s Eve,

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| (a) For the first one ninth of a mile or part thereof: | £3.50 |
| (b) For each subsequent one ninth of a mile or part thereof | £0.35 |
| (c) Waiting Time – For each period of one minute or part thereof: | £0.35 |

TARIFF 3 – Christmas Day, Boxing Day and from Midnight New Year’ eve until 7:00 a.m on New Year’s day are double tariff one.

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| (a) For the first one thirteenth of a mile or part thereof: | £6.80 |
| (b) For each subsequent one thirteenth of a mile or part thereof | £0.40 |
| (c) Waiting Time – For each period of one minute or part thereof: | £0.60 |

Additional Charges

MORE THAN 4 PASSENGERS –

for each person in addition to the first four passenger per hiring: **£2.00**

ITCHEN BRIDGE TOLLS – If a toll is payable for crossing the Itchen Bridge, a sum equivalent to the toll paid

SOILING CHARGE – If the hackney carriage is soiled by a passenger or an animal: **£80.00**

DETAILS

The proposed variation of the table of fares

The table of fares for the hire of hackney carriages in the Borough of Eastleigh was last revised with effect from the 26th of September 2022.

The proposed variation will result in the following increases in typical fares

| Miles | 1 mile | 3 miles | 5 miles | 10 miles |
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| Current tariff 1 | £5.20 | £9.60 | £14.00 | £25.00 |
| Proposed tariff 1 | £5.80 (+£0.60) | £11.00 (+£1.40) | £16.20 (+£2.20) | £29.20 (+£4.20) |
| Current tariff 2 | £6.05 | £12.05 | £18.05 | £33.05 |
| Proposed tariff 2 | £6.30 (+£0.25) | £12.60 (+£0.55) | £18.90 (+£0.85) | £34.65 (+£1.60) |

The varied table of fares will come into force with effect from 01 January 2025 unless any objections are made.

FURTHER INFORMATION

A copy of this notice, the current table of fares, and the background papers can be inspected during normal office hours at the Eastleigh Borough Council, Eastleigh House, Upper Market Street, Eastleigh SO50 9YN.

OBJECTIONS

Any objections to the variation should be made in writing and sent to the Licensing Team, at the address shown below, or by email to licensing.consultation@eastleigh.gov.uk to arrive no later than 25 December 2024.

If objections are received and not withdrawn the council is required to consider the objections and set the fares no later than 01 January 2025.

Dated this 10th day of December 2024.

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