

3. CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982 - TAXI FARE REVIEW 2020

The Panel considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Head of Corporate Services providing an update on the review of the council's table of taxi fares and associated charges and to ask the panel to note the changes to the fare table which had been proposed by the relevant trade organisations.

The report recommended that the Panel:

1. Note that a review of the fare table was required under section 17 of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act ("the 1982 Act");
2. Note that consultation had taken place with the relevant trade organisations, as required under section 17(4A)(a) of the 1982 Act;
3. Note the changes to the fare table which had been proposed by the relevant trade organisations;
4. Note that following the consultation with the trade organisations the council must propose and publish a new fare table for public consultation; and
5. Recommend to the Council Executive that a proposed new fare table was approved for public consultation.

During discussion it was suggested that the consultation was extended to include Community Council's and the Joint Forum of Community Councils.

Decision

1. Noted the contents of the report; and
2. Agreed that the report and its recommendations be forwarded to the next appropriate meeting of the Council Executive for approval.