

**WEST LoTHIAN COUNCIL
CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982**

FARE TABLE FOR EXCLUSIVE HIRES: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN in terms of section 17(4A)(c) of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 that West Lothian Council proposes, with effect from 5 April 2019, to fix fares and other charges for the hire of taxis in West Lothian at the same rates as those for the period 5 October 2017 to 4 April 2019, as detailed below:

<p>Tariff 1 - Monday - Friday 6am - 6pm for up to 2 passengers</p> <p>For</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the initial hire not exceeding 190 yards; • the initial period of waiting time of 43 seconds; or • a combination of time and distance as above £2.60 <p>For</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • each additional 225 yards or part thereof; • each additional period of waiting time of 43 seconds or part thereof; or • a combination of additional time and distance 20p 	<p>Tariff 2 - Monday - Thursday 6pm - 6am and at weekends from 6pm on Friday - Monday 6am for up to 2 passengers</p> <p>For</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the initial hire not exceeding 190 yards; • the initial period of waiting time of 43 seconds; or • a combination of time and distance as above £3.00 <p>For</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • each additional 225 yards or part thereof; • each additional period of waiting time of 43 seconds or part thereof; or • a combination of additional time and distance 20p
<p>Tariff 3 - Christmas and New Year for up to 2 passengers</p> <p>Hires commencing at 10pm on 24 December until 5am on 27 December and between 10pm on 31 December and 6am on 2 January in any year</p> <p>For</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the initial hire not exceeding 190 yards; • the initial period of waiting time of 43 seconds; or • a combination of time and distance as above £3.90 <p>For</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • each additional 225 yards or part thereof; • each additional period of waiting time of 43 seconds or part thereof; or • a combination of additional time and distance 30p 	<p>Additional Charges</p> <p>Where more than 2 passengers: Per extra adult passenger (over 12 years): 40p Per extra child passenger (over 5 years and under 12 years): 20p Per extra infant passenger (0-5 years): no extra charge Note: each passenger must be properly seated (including children and infants)</p> <p>Luggage For every piece of luggage carried (subject to a maximum charge of 40p per hire): 20p For each piece of luggage or additional item carried requiring the assistance of the driver, or which cannot reasonably be lifted by one person: a charge of £5 (amount to be agreed before journey commences)</p> <p>Soiling Charge: £40.00 Cancellation Fee i.e. taxi or metered private hire car booked but not used: £2.60 Engagement Fee i.e. where taxi or metered private hire car booked by telephone or booked in advance: 60p per hire</p>
<p>Anyone wishing to make representations regarding this proposal must do so in writing to Carol Johnston, Chief Solicitor, Legal Services, West Lothian Civic Centre, Howden South Road, Livingston EH54 6FF by 20 September 2018 – carol.johnston@westlothian.gov.uk.</p>	