



Waverley Borough Council

MAXIMUM HACKNEY CARRIAGE FARES

(for hirings by distance and time with effect from 16th July 2012)

Cab Number

THE FARE ON THE METER WHEN IN USE MUST BE VISIBLE TO THE PASSENGER AT ALL TIMES

TARIFF 1 (Basic Fare)

Charge for any distance not exceeding ten-twelfths (10/12) mile (1466 yards, 1340.8 metres) or the first eight minutes of the fare (or a combination of distance and time)

£3.40

For each subsequent one twelfth (1/12) of a mile (146.6 yards) (134.08 metres)

20p

Waiting time - For each period of 40 seconds or part thereof

20p

TARIFF 2 EVENINGS and BANK HOLIDAYS

(For hirings starting as follows:

between 11.00 pm and 7.00 am on Mondays to Saturdays;

between 10.00 pm on Sundays and 7.00 am on Mondays

between 6.00 pm and 11.00 pm on New Year's Eve

at any time on all Bank and Public Holidays)

One and a half times Tariff 1 fare (BASIC FARE x 1.5)

TARIFF 3 CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

(For hirings starting ONLY between 11.00 pm on Christmas Eve and 7.00 am on 27th December, and between 11.00 pm New Year's Eve and 7.00 am on 2nd January)

Two times basic fare (BASIC FARE x 2)

TARIFF 4 (For hirings starting ONLY between 7.00 am and 10.00 pm on SUNDAYS

SURCHARGE of 60p on relevant rate detailed above

EXTRA CHARGES

1. **BOOKING CHARGE:** For hirings made otherwise than with the driver of a hackney carriage standing or plying for hire at a rank or in a street, provided that this charge is made known to the person making the booking at the time the booking is made.
2. **EXTRA PASSENGERS:** For each passenger in excess of **one (1)**
3. **SOILING CHARGE:** For soiling the interior of the vehicle (by human contamination) which leaves it unfit for subsequent hiring unless cleaned.

60p

30p

£100.00

IMPORTANT NOTES

1. If the journey takes the cab outside the Waverley Borough, the driver **MUST** still charge in accordance with the above fare scale unless a fare has been agreed otherwise with the hirer before the journey has started.
2. Total fare includes VAT, where appropriate.
3. Your driver will be wearing an up-to-date Waverley identification badge with photograph.

COMPLAINTS OR LOST PROPERTY SHOULD BE REPORTED TO WAVERLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL, COUNCIL OFFICES, THE BURYS, GODALMING, SURREY (TEL: 01483-523219) QUOTING, IF POSSIBLE, THE CAB NUMBER AND/OR THE DRIVER'S BADGE NUMBER.

Dear Licensee,

Waverley Borough Council is about to review its Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Fees and the Hackney Carriage Fares. We would like to hear from licensees regarding the current Hackney Carriage Fare Scale. Do you feel that the current scale is appropriate or do you feel there should be an increase? If you feel an increase is required could you indicate what you believe would be satisfactory. It would help if you talk amongst yourselves and submit a collective response from each of the 4 main towns (Cranleigh, Godalming, Farnham and Haslemere) rather than lots of differing opinions.

I intend to submit any proposals to the next meeting of the Licensing (General Purposes) Sub Committee on the **28 November 2013**. That is a public meeting and you may come along to hear the Sub-Committee's discussion. If you have any views on fares, please let me have these in writing or by email to taxi@waverley.gov.uk by the **24 November 2013 at the latest**. Any comments from this communication with you will be brought into the consideration by the Sub-Committee.

Following its consideration, the Sub-Committee will make comments to the Executive (meeting on a later date) as to fares. The Executive will then decide on a scale of fares to be advertised in the local press and at the Council Offices so that the views of the public may be taken into account. For these reasons, any increase, if approved, could not be brought in before 22 February 2014. however if representations are submitted following the advertising of a scale of fares the date of any change in fares, if approved, will more likely be 23 April 2014.

Kind regards

COMPARISON OF NEIGHBOURING FARE SCALES
NOVEMBER 2013

LOCAL AUTHORITY	2 MILES	Place in National Ranking
	£	?/364
<u>Waverley</u>	6.20	77
Proposal no 5.	6.60	14-23
ADJACENT		
GUILDFORD	6.90	7
SURREY HEATH (Camberley)	6.40	41
MOLE VALLEY (Dorking)	6.30	47
WOKING	6.30	51
CHICHESTER (Midhurst)	6.20	58
HART (Fleet)	6.20	62
HORSHAM	6.20	63
RUNNYMEDE (Addlestone/Egham)	6.20	69
<u>WAVERLEY</u> <u>current</u>	6.20	77
SPELTHORNE (Staines)	6.10	85
EAST HAMPSHIRE	6.00	97
RUSHMOOR (Aldershot/Farnborough)	5.84	125
REIGATE AND BANSTEAD	5.80	135

PETROL PRICES taken from petrolprices.com

Month	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
January	87.3p	104.0p	87.0p	111.4p	127.9p	133.3p	132.7p
Febuary	86.7p	104.3p	90.2p	112.1p	128.7p	135.1p	137.1p
March	89.4p	106.4p	90.8p	115.6p	132.2p	138.9p	138.8p
April	92.6p	108.1p	94.8p	120.5p	134.7p	141.9p	136.7p
May	95.6p	112.5p	97.7p	121.0p	136.7p	137.9p	133.9p
June	96.9p	117.6p	102.2p	118.2p	135.7p	133.1p	134.6p
July	96.7p	118.7p	103.0p	117.3p	134.9p	132.1p	135.7p
August	96.0p	113.4p	103.9p	116.2p	135.5p	135.9p	137.5p
September	95.3p	112.0p	106.2p	115.3p	135.4p	139.6p	137.7p
October	97.7p	104.7p	105.7p	117.4p	134.6p	138.5p	
November	101.1p	94.9p	108.4p	118.9p	133.8p	135.3p	
December	102.8p	89.5p	108.2p	122.0p	132.5p	132.7p	

Waverley Flow Chart for setting of Hackney Carriage Fares 2014

