



**Annual Review of Stevenage Borough Council
Taxi (Hackney Carriage) Fares & Tariffs 2024**
Taxi fares & tariffs consultation options

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Consultation options

We're not consulting on a single proposal involving increasing taxi fares and tariffs.

Instead for this consultation we are interested in your views on the following options:

Option	Details
1	<p>Increase the mileage only</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freeze the minimum fare at £3.80 • This option would increase Tariffs 1, 2 and 3 by less than 3%
2	<p>Increase start price and mileage</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase the minimum fare by 5 pence (£3.85 to £3.85) • Increase Tariffs 1, 2 and 3 by less than 4%
3	<p>No change</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freeze the minimum fare at £3.80 • Freeze Tariffs 1, 2 and 3

The table below shows the changes for each option.

Item	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
Minimum Fare Day-time 06.00-23.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by five pence to £3.85 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change
Tariff 1 Day-time 06.00-23.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by less than 3% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by less than 4% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change
Minimum Fare Night-time 23.00-06.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by eight pence to £5.78 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change
Tariff 2 Night-time 23.00-06.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by less than 3% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by less than 4% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change
Minimum Fare Christmas & New Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by ten pence to £7.70 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change
Tariff 3 Christmas & New Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by less than 3% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increased by less than 4% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Change

Summary of the main points for each option

The table below provides a summary of the main points for each option.

Option	Summary of Main Considerations
<p>Option 1</p> <p>Increase the mileage only</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freeze the minimum fare at £3.80 • This option would increase Tariffs 1, 2 and 3 by less than 3% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This option will freeze the minimum fare (start price). • This option will increase the mileage for all tariffs by up to 3% • A two-mile journey will increase by 2.6% • A three-mile journey will increase by 2.5% • A four-mile journey will increase by 2.5% • A five-mile journey will increase by 2.4%
<p>Option 2</p> <p>Increase start price and mileage</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase the minimum fare by 5 pence (£3.80 to £3.85) • Increase Tariffs 1, 2 and 3 by less than 4% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This option will increase the minimum fare (start price) by 1.3% • This option will increase the mileage for all tariffs by less than 4%. • A two-mile journey will increase by 3.2% • A three-mile journey will increase by 3% • A four-mile journey will increase by 2.9% • A five-mile journey will increase by 2.4%
<p>Option 3</p> <p>No change</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This option will freeze the minimum fare (start price). • This option will freeze the mileage for all tariffs.

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