

Taxi & Accessible Taxi Rate Schedule

THREE DOLLARS AND TWENTY CENTS initial charge, up to 0 metres.

THIRTEEN CENTS each 76.7 metres.

TWENTY-SIX DOLLARS AND EIGHTY CENTS per hour waiting time.

SEVENTY CENTS each additional passenger.

HOURLY DRIVING RATE OF THIRTY-TWO DOLLARS AND FORTY CENTS PER HOUR by arrangement between driver and passenger, without meter.

BRIDGE TOLL – In addition to the regular taxi fare, the Bridge Commission cash toll rate of the day will be added to fares when a paying trip involves a bridge crossing for the carriage of passengers or parcels.

TEN CENTS - for each article, piece of luggage, parcel or bag of groceries handled or placed in the trunk by driver.

CHILDREN under ten shall be transported **FREE** when accompanied by an adult.

For more information on the Taxi bylaw regulations or licensing requirements please contact: 311 or visit halifax.ca/taxiservices

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SPECIAL RATES by contract are permissible when such rates are provided for by contract between the taxi owner or taxi driver and the customer. When customer contact to obtain taxi service is initiated either by telephone or electronic transmission, the customer is entitled to the fare by meter rate, unless a special rate is agreed upon prior to the taxi departing for the customer pickup. When customer contact is initiated in person, the customer is entitled to the fare by meter rate unless a special rate is agreed upon prior to commencement of trip.

PROOF OF PAYMENT OR PARTIAL PAYMENT IN ADVANCE may be requested by a taxi driver or owner, prior to transporting the passenger or passengers.

LIMOUSINE HOURLY RATE SHALL BE WHAT EQUATES TO A MINIMUM HOURLY RATE OF SIXTY-FOUR DOLLARS AND EIGHTY-FIVE CENTS.

ALL RATES INCLUDE HST.

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Taxicab Passenger / Operator Code of Ethics

AS A TAXICAB PASSENGER, YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO:

- A professional operator who is courteous and knowledgeable and who practices good hygiene.
- Be transported by the most direct route unless you request a different route.
- Expect all reasonable assistance in entering or exiting the vehicle when requested.
- Expect all reasonable assistance in loading or unloading items in or out the vehicle when requested.
- Expect service animals to be transported.
- Expect no other person(s) to be in the vehicle while you are being transported unless your consent is given.
- Expect a receipt upon request which indicates the fare paid, date & time, company name and roof light number.
- Expect that there be no smoking at any time in the vehicle.
- Expect a taxicab in good mechanical and physical condition.
- Expect a taxicab that has a clean passenger and trunk compartment and vehicle exterior.

- Expect a taxicab which is clearly identifiable and has the municipal licence clearly displayed.
- Expect a taxicab with a meter which charges an accurate fare for the distance and time travelled according to regulations.

There are two options for charging fares; a fare may be negotiated between the operator and passenger prior to the trip departure, or if a negotiated price is not agreed upon the passenger is entitled to the fare by meter.

YOUR TAXICAB OPERATOR HAS THE RIGHT TO EXPECT A PASSENGER OR PASSENGERS TO:

- Behave in a civil manner.
- Refrain from smoking, drinking or eating food inside the taxicab.
- Not leave the interior of the vehicle in an unsanitary or unusable condition.
- Not distract or otherwise prevent the operator from focussing on driving the taxicab.
- Clearly disclose their destination prior to departure.
- Confirm a method of payment upon request.
- Make prompt payment of the posted fare.
- Provide a deposit, up to the estimated amount of the fare, in advance, if requested.

SERVICE MAY BE REFUSED OR INTERRUPTED IN THE FOLLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES:

- Passenger refuses to show proof of payment or partial payment in advance as requested.
- Passenger request would constitute the driver breaking the law or violating the municipal taxi and limousine regulations.
- Passenger appears to be in need of emergency medical assistance.
- Passenger refuses to disclose a specific final destination or the person's conduct is such it causes an operator to be fearful for his or her safety.

