

Skegness Taxi Owners Association.

We are requesting the following proposed Tariff Increase be considered at the next available Committee Meeting:

That the starter rate be increased on Tariff 1 to £4.50 for the 1st **880 yards** taking into account the current allowable fuel extras of 25 pence and an increase of 25p on the tariff.

20p For each subsequent 176 yards (or uncompleted part thereof) down from the current 190 yards.

The additional cost of 25p per litre of fuel be changed to £1.75 from the £1.55 at present.

Tariff 2 & Tariff 3 stay as they are now at 50% & 100% increase respectively.

The call out fee be increased to £1.00 per mile or uncompleted part thereof. Tariff 2 be implemented on Sundays.

On Tariff 1 this will make a 2-mile journey £7.50 a rise of 8.65424% from the current £6.90 (incl 25p fuel extras)

Due to the ongoing cost of living crisis and the continued rise in operating costs, we request an increase in our fees, so we can simply try to keep up with current prices. On the 1st April 2023 the National Minimum Wage is also set to rise by 9.7% to £10.42 per hour.

Vehicle running costs, servicing, tyres, fuel along with gas & electricity prices and we must therefore increase our charges to allow for these increases.

We understand any increase in Tariff is not welcomed by the public but feel at present this is needed so operators can keep investing in our trade.