

**MAXIMUM FARES SET BY ASHFIELD DISTRICT COUNCIL FOR LICENSED  
HACKNEY CARRIAGES: OPERATIVE FROM 12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014**

The driver must, unless he has reasonable excuse, accept any hiring within the Ashfield District boundary if the destination is also within the Ashfield District boundary. The fare for such a journey, shown below, will be calculated by the taxi meter.

The driver does not have to accept journeys that end outside the Ashfield District boundary; the fare or rate of fare must be by agreement between the hirer and driver before the journey commences. The fare is likely to be higher than within the Ashfield District as drivers cannot accept a return hiring until back within the Ashfield District.

Where no such agreement exists then the scale of charges applicable to journeys within the Ashfield District shown below will apply.

**FARES FOR DISTANCE TRAVELLED & TIME**

<b>TARIFF 1</b>  <b>06.00 - 23.00 Monday - Sunday</b>	For the first mile (1760 yards) or part thereof	<b>£3.00</b>
	each subsequent 195.55 yards or uncompleted part thereof	<b>£0.20</b>
<b>WAITING TIME: For each period of 60 seconds or part thereof</b>		<b>£0.21</b>
<b>TARIFF 2</b>  <b>23.00 - 06.00 Monday – Sunday</b>  <b>18:00 – 24:00 Christmas Eve and New Year’s Eve</b>  <b>00:00 – 24:00 Good Friday, Easter Monday, May Day, Spring Bank Holiday, Boxing Day, August Bank Holiday</b>	For the first mile (1760 yards) or part thereof	<b>£4.00</b>
	each subsequent 163.72 yards or uncompleted part thereof	<b>£0.20</b>
<b>WAITING TIME: For each period of 60 seconds or part thereof</b>		<b>£0.21</b>
<b>TARIFF 3</b>  <b>00:00 – 24:00 Christmas Day and New Year’s Day</b>	For the first mile (1760 yards) or part thereof	<b>£5.00</b>
	each subsequent 167.61 yards or uncompleted part thereof	<b>£0.30</b>
<b>WAITING TIME: For each period of 60 seconds or part thereof</b>		<b>£0.21</b>
<b>Soiling Charge:</b> To cover cleaning and loss of income, where the interior of the vehicle is soiled due to the excessive consumption of alcohol, etc. or, by the carriage of an animal, excluding guide dogs.		<b>£60.00</b>