



Public Hearing

The Provincetown Licensing Board will hold a Public Hearing at 5:15 p.m. on Tuesday, June 14, 2022 in the Judge Welsh Room at Town Hall, 260 Commercial Street, Provincetown, Massachusetts, to hear the following proposed regulation changes:

Changes to Section 8.01 Vehicle for Hire Owners, (s) Vehicle for Hire Rates #1 – 9 and renumbering.

Proposed Changes to the Provincetown Licensing Regulations
Changes to Vehicle for Hire Regulations

8.00 VEHICLE FOR HIRE REGULATIONS

8.01 VEHICLE FOR HIRE OWNERS

s. VEHICLE FOR HIRE RATES: (TO BE VISIBLY POSTED IN VEHICLES)

1. Fares:
 - a) Fares in Provincetown are per person set by vehicle owners and can be lower but cannot be higher than the following.
 - b) ~~Multiple fares may be carried concurrently~~
2. ~~Flat Rates:~~
 - a) ~~To or from Airport or Race Point Beach = flat rate of \$9 per person.~~
 - b) ~~To or from other National Seashore = flat rate of \$8 per person.~~
 - c) ~~To or from MacMillan Pier or Fishermen's Wharf = flat rate of \$8 per person.~~
 - d) ~~All other fares in Provincetown = flat rate of \$7 per person.~~
 - e) ~~A maximum \$120.00 hourly rate in Provincetown.~~
 - f) ~~Seniors (65 and older) rate \$6~~
3. ~~Stops:~~
 - a) ~~Stops incur a maximum \$2 per minute waiting time charge.~~
 - b) ~~All stops must be en route to final destination or they are considered a separate fare in addition to waiting time.~~
4. ~~Deliveries:~~
 - a) ~~All deliveries = \$14 per drop-off.~~
 - b) ~~All deliveries are subject to the waiting time charge.~~
5. ~~Bicycle Surcharge:~~

- e) ~~Transporting of bicycles = \$10 per bike.~~
- 6. ~~Excessive Luggage Surcharge:~~
 - a) ~~Luggage in excess of 2 bags per person shall be subject to a \$6 per additional bagsurcharge.~~
- 7. ~~Late Night Surcharge (1:00am-6:00am):~~
 - b) ~~All fares are subject to an additional \$1 per person surcharge.~~
- 8. ~~A clean up fee of up to \$250 may be applied for any incident leading to a taxicab/liveryvehicle being taken out of service, resulting in a loss of income.~~
- 9. ~~Vehicle for hire drivers and companies may charge less than the approved rates only if the customer(s) have already requested transportation or boarded a vehicle for hire. No company or driver shall solicit business by advertising or offering a lower rate to a potential customer(s), nor shall any company or driver offer a lower priced ride on a future ride to anycustomer(s) during use of that company/driver's services.~~
 - \$12 per person anywhere in Provincetown, except:
 - a) \$18 per person to or from any Provincetown ferry terminal or the Provincetown Airport
 - b) \$14 per person to or from any National Park Service beach in Provincetown
 - c) \$20 extra luggage charge – each rider entitled to 2 pieces of luggage
 - d) \$20 per bicycle and/or bulky item transported
- 2. Fares must be prominently displayed so as to be easily understood and agreed upon by a passenger prior to accepting the fare.

*Comments may be submitted during the hearing or in writing to the Licensing Board, 260 Commercial Street, Provincetown, MA 02657 or lfiorella@provincetown-ma.gov by **June 13**.*

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