

Licensing Sub-Committee – Supplementary agenda no. 1

A meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee will be held on:

Date: 5 August 2022

Time: 2.30pm

Venue: Meeting Room 9 - Level 3, Gun Wharf, Dock Road, Chatham ME4 4TR

Items

7 Review of Hackney Carriage Tariff

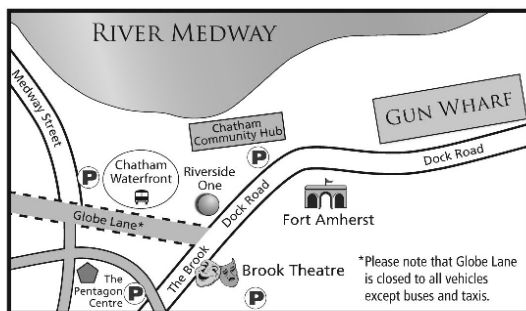
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Members attention is drawn to paragraph 3.3 of the report on page 13 of the main agenda where there is an error. The position at Option C in the table should be 6th not 3rd. For clarification, the benchmarking reported in the Private Hire and Taxi Monthly magazine (PHTM) is based on a 2-mile journey. The difference between tariff Options B and C would only increase on journeys with significant mileage, i.e. airport runs.

The August publication of the PHTM was received on 3 August and shows significant changes to the benchmarking as a large number of Local Authorities have had a recent change in their tariffs. Therefore, attached as new Appendix D is the benchmarking table as at August 2022 with the current tariffs and a table projecting Medway's position for each of the proposed options. Again, Members should note that position for Options B and C are the same for the reasons specified above.

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The following table shows the placement of Medway as at August 2022 on its current tariff:

Position in League Table out of Kent Councils	Position in League Table out of 355 Councils Nationally	Council	Fare for 2 Mile journey on Tariff One as at August 2022	Last rise
1	13	Maidstone	£8.00	2022
2	17	Tunbridge Wells	£8.00	2022
3	38	Canterbury	£7.40	2022
4	45	Dartford	£7.30	2022
5	31	Dover	£7.10	2021
6	35	Sevenoaks	£7.06	2019
7	73	Gravesham	£7.00	2021
8	76	Tonbridge & Malling	£7.00	2017
9	103	Swale	£6.80	2018
10	133	Medway	£6.60	2014
11	142	Ashford	£6.50	2019
12	192	Thanet	£6.21	2022
13	202	Folkestone & Hythe	£6.20	2012

The following table shows the placement each option would place Medway:

Option	Position on Kent licensing authorities benchmarking league table
A	9th
B	8th
C	8th

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