

ITEM #9

BOARD OF TRANSPORTATION COMMISSIONERS CITY OF LOS ANGELES

FINAL TAXICAB METER RATE ADJUSTMENT

WHEREAS, the California Government Code 53075.5 gives the City of Los Angeles the authority to set maximum taxicab meter rates to be charged to the public for taxicab service in the City of Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, after considering evidence presented at a public hearing on August 21, 2025, together with the Department recommendations, the Board has determined that an adjustment in taxicab meter rates is justified; and

WHEREAS, the Board has found and determined that the following rate schedule and conditions are just, reasonable, nondiscriminatory and non-preferential for all companies; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the proposed following rate schedule and conditions are hereby fixed and established as the maximum rates and surcharges to be charged by permitted taxicab operators for service in the City of Los Angeles;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the technology fee established and being collected by the Department be placed into a Special Fund created and managed by the LADOT to support technology hardware, software, operations and maintenance needed to continually manage regulatory programs related to its permittees.

Taximeter Rates

\$3.65 Flag Drop for first 1/9th of a mile or 37 seconds or fraction thereof,
\$0.39 per each additional 1/9 of a mile which is the equivalent of \$3.51/per Mile
\$0.39 every 37 seconds of wait time which is equivalent to \$37.95/ per hour

Taximeter Surcharges

\$0.15 per trip to cover costs related to real-time data sharing.
\$25.00 Surcharge for trips originating at Dodger Stadium during and after events.
\$25.00 Surcharge for trips originating at the Hollywood Bowl during and after events.

LAX Taximeter Rates

\$60.35 FLAT FARE PER TRIP (GROUP) EITHER DIRECTION FOR TRIPS BETWEEN LAX AND DOWNTOWN - (Area bounded by Alameda St., Santa Monica Fwy., Harbor Fwy. and Cesar Chavez Ave., Plus Union Station and Chinatown)

\$25.00 MINIMUM FARE PER TRIP (GROUP) ORIGINATING AT LAX