

**CYNGOR GWYNEDD
GENERAL LICENSING COMMITTEE DECISION NOTICE**

Section 100C of the Local Government Act 1972

21st SEPTEMBER 2026

Virtual Meeting

Present: Chair: Councillor Gwynfor Owen
Vice Chair: Councillor Arwyn Herald Roberts

Councillors: Gwilym Evans, Annwen Hughes, Gareth Tudor Jones, Edgar Wyn Owen, Elfed Williams, Meryl Roberts, Angela Russell, Gareth Williams a Hefin Underwood

Officers: Gwenan Mai Roberts (Licensing Manager), Andrew Parry (Trading Standards and Licensing Manager), Nia Grisdale (Legal Services Manager) and Lowri Haf Evans (Democracy Services Officer).

Apologies:

Councillors Anwen Davies, Huw Rowlands, and John Brynmor Hughes

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SUBJECT:

ITEM 5: HACKNEY CARRIAGE TAXI FARES

DECISION

With effect from 1 October 2026 in accordance with the recommendations, and the legal provisions, as no objections or proposals had been received following a public consultation, the Committee approves the proposal:

- To increase the maximum fare for a one-mile journey from £3.60 to £4.00 to be consistent with several other councils and acknowledge the increase in the costs of running a taxi.
 - To increase the operational hours of the late-night tariff to be operational from 22:00 until 07:00, instead of being operational from 00:00 midnight.
 - To reduce the cost rate of late-night tariff journeys from being 60% higher than the basic rate back to being 50% higher than the basic rate to correspond generally with other councils.
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THE RESULT OF THE VOTE

In favour: 10
Against: 0
Abstentions: 1

DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.
