



**City
of
Milwaukee**

**LICENSE DIVISION
Interdepartmental Correspondence**

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TO: Rebecca Barron, Manager License Division
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 DATE: April 20, 2006
 RE: Rate Increases in Taxicab Meter Fares, 1980 to Present

Provided in the table below is information relating to rate increases in taxicab meter fares for the period from 1980 to the present.

Table. Rate Increases in Taxicab Meter Fares, 1980 to Present.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF RATE	COMMON COUNCIL FILE NUMBER	INITIAL CHARGE PER FRACTION OF MILE	EACH ADD'L FRACTION OF MILE	WAIT TIME PER MIN.	EACH ADD'L PERSON	EACH GROCERY BAG AND SUITCASE	MINIMUM FARE FROM AIRPORT
1 JAN 03	980956	\$1.75 (1/8)	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.75	\$0.10	\$6.00
1 SEP 01	980956	\$1.75 (1/7)	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.75	\$0.10	\$6.00
12 JAN 95	921600	\$1.75 (1/6)	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.50	\$0.10	\$4.00
22 NOV 91	902014	\$1.50 (1/5)	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.50	\$0.10	\$4.00
16 JUL 85	85-395	\$1.25 (1/5)	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.10	\$4.00
18 APR 80	79-230	\$1.00 (1/4)	\$0.25	\$0.25 (2 MIN.)	\$0.25	\$0.10	\$4.00
29 JAN 80	79-1720	\$0.95 (1/4)	\$0.20	\$0.20 (2 MIN.)	\$0.25	\$0.10	\$4.00

Source: City of Milwaukee Common Council Files

Note: For a period of 90 days from July 4, 2000 through October 3, 2000, a temporary taxicab fare surcharge of \$1 was established on each ride to offset the increased fuel costs paid by taxicab owners and operators.

A temporary \$1 surcharge was re-established for a period of 120 days from July 1, 2005 through October 27, 2005; however, prior to expiration, the temporary fare surcharge was extended by an additional 60 days, expiring after December 27, 2005. No temporary taxicab fare surcharge is currently in effect.