

**HAVANT BOROUGH COUNCIL PUBLIC NOTICE
PROPOSED TAXI AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING FEES
FROM 1 APRIL 2026**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 70(3) of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 that Havant Borough Council proposes to vary the maximum fees for hackney carriage and private hire vehicle licences, and private hire operator licences, as follows:

Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicles		
Service	Current Fees	Proposed Fees (from 1 April 2026)
Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence New	£ 219.00	£ 348.00
Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence Renewal	£ 219.00	£ 334.00
Private Hire Vehicle Licence New	£ 219.00	£ 218.00
Private Hire Vehicle Licence Renewal	£ 219.00	£ 204.00
Private Hire Exemption Certificate	£ 66.00	£ 68.00
Temporary Vehicle Licence	£ 143.00	£ 147.00
Change of Vehicle Proprietor (sale to new proprietor)	£ 66.00	£ 61.00
Change Vehicle Registration (i.e. personalised reg)	£ 83.00	£ 71.00
Replacement Vehicle Licence	£ 14.00	£ 14.00
Replacement Vehicle Plate (no bracket)	£ 37.00	£ 32.00
Vehicle proprietor Change of Name	£ 27.00	£ 26.00
Vehicle proprietor Change of Address	£ 27.00	£ 26.00
Replacement Vehicle Window Stickers x 2	£ 25.00	£ 27.00
Pair of pouches	£ 15.00	£ 15.00
Universal Bracket	£ 21.00	£ 18.00
Number Plate Step Bracket	£ 26.00	£ 28.00
Private Hire Operators		
Service	Current Fees	Proposed Fees (from 1 April 2026)
Private Hire Operator Licence New/Renewal (5 years)	£ 445.00	£ 539.00
Private Hire Operator Licence New/Renewal (1 year)	£ 217.00	£ 339.00
Replacement Operator Licence	£ 14.00	£ 14.00
Operator Licence Change / Add Trading Name(s)	£ 26.00	£ 26.00
Operator Licence Change / Add Address(es)	£ 26.00	£ 26.00

A copy of this notice is available on request at the Public Service Plaza, Civic Centre Road, Havant, PO9 2AX, and may be inspected on any day when those offices are open between the hours of 09:00 and 16:30 until 28 November 2025.

Any objections to the proposed variation should be sent in writing to the Licensing & Animal Welfare Team Leader at either licensing@havant.gov.uk or Public Service Plaza, Civic Centre Road, Havant, PO9 2AX, to reach them on or before 28 November 2025 (within 28 days of this notice).

Dated this day Friday 31 October 2025
Licensing & Animal Welfare Team Leader