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A local law to amend the Code of the Village of Rockville Centre, in relation to taxi fares.

Section one. Section 297-38(U) of the Code of the Village of Rockville Centre is hereby amended, to read as follows:

"U. Rates of fare. No fare shall be charged for transportation that is greater than the prescribed and fixed rates as set forth in this section, provided, however, that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Rockville Centre may, from time to time, by resolution, establish and amend the prescribed and fixed rates for transportation:

(1) Pickup and discharge of a passenger from any point in the Incorporated Village of Rockville Centre to any other point therein:

(a) For persons over the age of 18: \$4.

(b) For persons over 12 years of age up to and including 18 years of age:

[1] Weekdays between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.: \$2.50.

[2] All other times: \$1.50.

(c) For persons over four years of age but not over the age of 12: \$0.50.

(d) No additional charge for any single child under the age of four, when accompanied by an adult passenger.

(e) For senior citizens and disabled persons: \$2.50.

(2) Additional charges:

(a) For packages on seats or floor: \$0.25.

(b) For bulky items such as carriages, strollers, wagons or trunks: \$0.50 per item if carried inside the vehicle or \$0.50 per load if carried inside the trunk.

(c) For waiting time during trips: \$18 per hour or \$3 every 10 minutes or portion thereof.

(d) For rental of a cab: \$28 per hour, plus tolls, back to the point of origin.

(e) For carriage of animals: \$0.50 per animal.

(f) For trips to and from the airport:

[1] LaGuardia Airport: \$59 for the first person, with an additional charge of \$3/person 18 years of age or older.

[2] John F. Kennedy International: \$36 for the first person, with an additional charge of \$3/person 18 years of age or older.

[3] Islip McArthur Airport: \$75 for the first person, with an additional charge of \$5/person 18 years of age or older.

(3) Fuel surcharge, with the surcharge payable to the fuel purchaser. The fuel surcharge will be set at levels fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Rockville Centre."

Section two. Severability. If any part or provision of this law or the application thereof to any person or circumstance be adjudged invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall be confined in its operation to the part or provision or application directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered and shall not affect or impair the validity of the remainder of this local law or the application thereof to other persons or circumstances. The Board of Trustees of the Village of Rockville Centre hereby declares that it would have passed this local law or the remainder thereof had such invalid application or invalid provision been apparent.

Section three. Effective Date. This local law shall take effect upon adoption and filing with the New York Department of State pursuant to the Municipal Home Rule Law.