

## BULLETIN # 005 2026 LICENSING FEE CHANGES

**2025 DECEMBER** 

The Vehicle-for-Hire Transitional Strategy was approved by City Council on June 18, 2024. The transitional strategy outlines program improvements to be actioned by the Vehicle for Hire team. As part of this, The City of Calgary retained an external party to evaluate how recent industry, and regulatory developments have changed the way services are delivered and to assess how those changes are impacting costs within the Vehicle for Hire program (VFH).

The purpose of the review was to develop an updated fee schedule that equitably allocates costs, while ensuring the financial sustainability of the VFH program.

As a result, Vehicle for Hire is pleased to announce the reduction of many fees for Vehicle for Hire effective January 1, 2026. Calgary City Council has approved the below fee schedule for the Vehicle for Hire Bylaw 20M2021.

Please email any questions to VFHlicensing@calgary.ca

This communication is translated in Amharic, Arabic, French, Hindi, Punjabi, Somali, and Urdu. Click <u>here</u> to view the documents.

Sincerely,

**Cory Porter** 

Deputy Chief, Vehicle for Hire Emergency Management & Community Safety

## **Changes to Fees Effective 2026 January 01**

Under authority of Bylaw 20M2021, the Vehicle for Hire Bylaw, there are changes to the fees charged at Vehicle for Hire. Below summary of the changes and additions as found in Schedule "B" – Fees.

Note that all fees paid under this Bylaw are non-refundable and are not pro-rated.

Division 1 – General	Fee
<ul> <li>Driver Licence Application</li> <li>1. T.D.L. Online Training Fee (includes 1 rewrite)</li> <li>2. Annual T.D.L. Licence Fee (including Photo ID Badge)</li> <li>3. Replacement ID Badge (Lost, Damage, Stolen)</li> </ul>	\$85 \$105 \$50
Division 2 – T.N.D.L.  4. T.N.D.L. Online Training Fee (includes 1 rewrite)  5. Annual T.N.D.L. Fee	\$85 \$185
Division 3 – T.P.L. and A.T.P.L. 6. Annual Licence Fee for T.P.L. 7. Annual Licence Fee for A.T.P.L. 8. Replacement Plate for T.P.L. and A.T.P.L. 9. Application Fee for T.P.L. or A.T.P.L. for new plates	\$340 \$0 \$55 \$50
Division 4 – L.P.L.  10. Annual Licence Fee  11. Replacement Decal	\$340 \$15
Division 5 – Transfers  12. Plate Transfer Application Fee  13. Plate Transfer Fee (Approved)	\$190 \$190
Division 7 – Brokerage  14. Brokerage Licence Application Fee  15. Annual Brokerage Licence Fee  16. T.N.C. Application Fee  17. Annual T.N.C. Licence Fee	\$1500 \$1500 \$1500 \$1500
Part 6 – Livery Vehicle Insp., Livery Vehicle Insp. Certificates and Livery Vehicle Insp. Stations Lic  18. Inspection Certificate Forms  19. Inspection Station Licence Application Fee  20. Inspection Station Licence Annual Fee  21. Mechanic Licence Application Fee  22. Mechanic Licence Annual Fee	\$20/pad \$120 \$145 \$75 \$75
Part 7 – Refusal, Revocation, Suspension, Appeal  23. Licence Reinstatement Fee  25.1. Reinstatement Fee – Licence Suspension resulting from a Licence Review Hearing  25.2. Reinstatement Fee – Licence Suspension without a Licence Review Hearing	\$190 \$1260 \$400
Miscellaneous Administrative Services 24. Photocopying 25. NSF Cheque Fee	\$1.00/pg \$50

For further information concerning the fees as approved in Bylaw 20M2021, please speak to the staff of Vehicle for Hire.