SAN DIEGO METROPOLITAN TRANSIT SYSTEM

Public Hearing for:
2025 Taxicab Maximum Rates of Fare

The San Diego Metropolitan Transit System (MTS) Taxicab Advisory Committee will hold a Public Hearing for the 2025 Taxicab Maximum Rates of Fare.

The Public Hearing will be held on February 26, 2025 at 1:00p.m., James R. Mills Building, 10TH Floor, Board Meeting Room; 1255 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, CA, 92101-7490. The public may alternatively participate via webinar during the meeting itself. Instructions for joining the webinar can be found under Agenda & Materials in the link below.

In-person inspection of the materials are available upon request at the MTS Transit Store located at 1255 Imperial Ave. San Diego CA 92101. Business hours are Monday – Friday from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. A 24-hour digital copy of the materials shall be posted 15 days prior to the hearing on the MTS website, and can be accessed by following the link below.

https://www.sdmts.com/about/meetings-and-agendas/other-committee

2025 Maximum Rates of Fare

	2025 Maximum Rate of Fare	**2025 Maximum Rate of Fare, Point of Sale (POS) Device Equipped Taxicabs, additional 6%**
Flag Drop	$3.80 flag drop	$4.00 flag drop
Per Mile Rate	$4.10	$4.30
Per Hour Waiting Time	$33.00	$35.00

Instructions on how to calculate rates of fare:

293.422 (Annual Consumer Price Index report value for 2024)

-121.000 (1990 Value)

172.422 (Replace "Y" with the subtracted value)

Flag Drop

Step 1 - 1.40 X 172.422(Y) = 241.390, convert it into a dollar amount **$2.41**

Step 2 - $1.40 + 2.41 = $3.81 round up/down to the nearest .10 cent = **$3.80 flag drop**

Per Mile

Step 1 - $1.50 X 172.422(Y) = 258.633, convert it into a dollar amount **$2.58**

Step 2 - $1.50 + 2.58 = $4.08 round up/down to the nearest .10 cent = **$4.10 per mile**

Wait Time

Step 1 - $12.00 X 172.422(Y) = 2069.06 convert it into a dollar amount **$20.69**

Step 2 - $12.00 + 20.39 = $32.69 round up/down to the nearest $1.00 = **$33.00 wait time**

Fraction Calculation

Step 1 - $4.10 (per mile) / .10 cent (fraction in which the meter clicks) = 41 = 1/10th fraction

The Time It Takes For Each Fraction to Click the Meter

Step 1 - $33.00 / .41cents = 80.5 (total clicks per hr.)

Step 2 - 3600 (seconds per hour) / 80.5 = 45 seconds the meter will click.