

Municipal Scan of Levies to Support Accessible Taxi Service

Municipality	Levy Rate	Applied to	Purpose
Calgary (Proposed)	\$0.20 per trip	Non-accessible, vehicle-for-hire trips	Fund a \$1.5 million program for accessible transportation, including a central dispatch for accessible taxis and transit. Calgary is reviewing different ways to compensate accessible taxi drivers for the additional time.
Edmonton	\$50 per vehicle*	Non-accessible vehicles for hire	Incentivize companies to dispatch more accessible vehicles.
Ottawa	\$0.07 per trip	Non-accessible Uber trips**	City of Ottawa is consulting with disability advocates to determine how the revenue will be spent.
Winnipeg	\$0.07 per trip	All vehicle-for-hire trips (accessible and non-accessible) over the month where less than 10% of all vehicles for hire of a dispatcher were accessible.	Have not finalized what the revenue will be used for.

* Maximum of \$50,000 per dispatch license. Levy is waived if the dispatch company has at least one accessible vehicle available for dispatch at all times.

** Rate was arrived at through an agreement between the City of Ottawa and Uber Canada.