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**TAXI AND LIMOUSINE COMMISSION TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE
TAXIMETER RATE OF FARE AND FOR-HIRE VEHICLE DRIVER PAY**

*Review of taxi fares and FHV driver pay will support a strong recovery for drivers
and the for-hire transportation industry*

NEW YORK – On May 23rd and May 24th, TLC will hold public hearings on the taximeter rate of fare and for-hire vehicle (FHV) driver pay. To conduct this review, TLC will engage in a robust public process that includes public hearings, as well as driver and industry surveys and outreach. TLC encourages drivers, industry members, and members of the public to participate and provide feedback.

COVID-19 and high rates of inflation have dramatically affected the economic landscape of the for-hire transportation industry. The taximeter rate of fare has not been adjusted in ten years, and for-hire vehicle driver pay has not been thoroughly evaluated since before the economic disruption of the pandemic. TLC’s review of fares and driver pay will ensure that the for-hire industry remains viable for drivers, businesses, and passengers as New York City’s economy continues to recover. More information can be found in the public notices available at the following link: <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/tlc/about/public-notices.page>.

WHEN: Monday, May 23rd and Tuesday, May 24th

TIME: 10:00AM

WHERE: Virtual (www.nyc.gov/tlc)

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