



DIAMOND VALLEY SUBSIDIZED TAXI FARE PROGRAM



Diamond Valley Taxi Service

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Community Transportation Access Program Black Diamond and Turner Valley

Subsidized taxi service is now available to residents in Turner Valley and Black Diamond. The service is meant to provide affordable transportation to those in the communities who need a helping hand from time to time.

Who can receive this service?

- Senior residents (60 years and over)
- Residents with disabilities
- Low income families
- Special needs or circumstances as approved by the municipalities

Eligible trips include

- Medical appointments
- Volunteering and social events or activities encouraging community participation
- Learning opportunities and errands which would prove difficult if transportation were not available, such as going to the post office or library
- Grocery and household shopping

The towns will cover 60% of the fares to

- Black Diamond
- Turner Valley
- Okotoks
- High River
- Calgary

Booking the Taxi Service

Individuals wishing to book a trip must contact Diamond Valley Taxi directly:

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There is no guarantee that the taxi will be available. Pre-booked appointments can be cancelled at the driver's discretion.

Turner Valley Rates

Turner Valley One-way taxi fares	Total fare	Town portion (60%)	Turner Valley resident portion (40%)
	\$	\$	\$
Trip to Black Diamond	15.00	9.00	6.00
Trip in Turner Valley	15.00	9.00	6.00
Trip to Okotoks	45.00	27.00	18.00
Trip to High River	80.00	48.00	32.00
Trip to Calgary-south C Train	80.00	48.00	32.00
Trip to Calgary, downtown	100.00	60.00	40.00
Waiting time/per hour	24.00	14.40	9.60

Black Diamond Rates

Black Diamond One-way taxi fares	total fare	Town portion (60%)	Black Diamond resident portion (40 %)
	\$	\$	\$
Trip in Black Diamond	10.00	6.00	4.00
Trip to Turner Valley	15.00	9.00	6.00
Trip to Okotoks	40.00	24.00	16.00
Trip to High River	65.00	39.00	26.00
Trip to Calgary-south C Train	70.00	42.00	28.00
Trip to Calgary, downtown	100.00	60.00	40.00
Waiting time/per hour	24.00	14.40	9.60

Billing Procedures

Payment is due at the time you receive service. Payment of cash is to be given directly to the taxi driver. You are required to sign the driver's sheet indicating that you booked the trip and the purpose of the trip.

Hours of Operation

Subsidy only available Monday to Friday (excluding holidays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.)

Waiting Time

Each person using the taxi service will be responsible for paying their own waiting time charges. While the taxi is willing to wait within a reasonable time limit, any charges over and above the normal charges will be the individual's responsibility.

Questions?

Any questions regarding the service can be directed to Marie Wiebe, Town of Black Diamond Family and Community Support Services Coordinator 403.933.4348 email: fcss@town.blackdiamond.ab.ca

