

Neath Port Talbot Pilot Taxi-Card Scheme



Co-ordinated by Neath Port Talbot Council for Voluntary Service

The main aim of the scheme is to provide subsidised taxi travel for people unable to use public transport. In other words, people who entitled to, or have, a free bus pass but are unable to use it for a particular reason.

Who can be a member?

Membership of the scheme is open to people who through age, disability, mental or physical condition are unable to use public transport. Members must:

- Live in one of the identified wards.
- Be eligible for an All Wales Concessionary Fare Travel Pass (free bus pass), and
- Be unable to use public transport due to mobility issues.

This is a pilot scheme with limited membership numbers and members must satisfy the eligibility criteria.

Members will be on a 'first come: first served' basis.

Eligible Wards:

- Briton Ferry West
- Neath East
- Neath North
- Pelenna

How will the scheme work?

Each accepted member of the scheme will receive £20.00 in Taxi Tokens per month for the duration of the scheme.

The Taxi Tokens will be issued in multiples of 50p, that is 40 x 50 pence Taxi Tokens per month.

Taxi Tokens can be used as a contribution towards the taxi fare or to pay for the full taxi fare – this is the member's choice.

Tokens will be issued quarterly, in advance, for uses within that quarter only.

Unused Taxi Tokens will not be accepted after the specified quarter.

How do I become a member?

There will be a two-stage application process:

Stage 1 is to establish eligibility for the scheme.

Stage 2 is to confirm terms and conditions of the scheme and to request additional information.

Participating Taxi Firm

Taxi Tokens will only be accepted by Eagle Taxis.

Telephone numbers:

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To request an application form, or for further information, please contact:

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9.30am – 12.30pm
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