Appendix 1

Comparison of tariffs against neighbouring Local Authorities

	Folkestone & Hythe Proposed	Folkestone & Hythe Current	Canterbury (Proposed)	Dover	Ashford	Rother
Maximum fare the meter starts at	£3.30	£3.00	£4.00	£3.40	£2.90	£3.00
Distance starting fare covers (yards)	586	586	220	400	680	152
Drop distance (yards)	195.5	195.5	98	103.5	157	185.3
Number of drops in 1 st mile after starting distance (approx.)	6	6	16	13	7	8
Number of drops in subsequent miles (approx.)	9	9	18	17	11	10
Price per drop	£0.22	£0.20	£0.10	£0.10	£0.20	£0.20
Late night/early morning extra charge	1.5 x rate 1 (00:00 to 06:00)	1.5 x rate 1 (00:00 to 06:00)	1.5 x rate 1 (23:00 to 07:00)	1.5 x rate 1 (00:00 to 06:00)	1.5 x rate 1 (00:00 to 07:00)	£1.40 (after 22.30) + £0.10 per drop
Sunday/Bank holiday Extra charge	1.5 x rate 1 (BH)	£1.00 (Sun & BH)	1.5 x rate 1 (BH)	£1.00 (Sun & BH)	1.5 x rate 1 (BH)	1.5 x rate 1 (BH)
Each article of luggage	£0.22	£0.20	£0.20	£0.20	£0.05 (£0.10 dogs)	£0.20 (dogs)
Each person in excess of one	£0.22	£0.20	£0.20	£0.20	£0.20	£0.20
Waiting Time (£/h)	£22.00	£20.00	£20.00	£21.00	£14.40	£24.40
Christmas Eve to Boxing Day and New Year's Eve to New Year's Day	2 x rate 1	£5.80 + 2 x drop rate				
Start Time for Xmas/NYE Extra Charge	18:00	18:00	23:00	18:00	all day	all day
Soiling charge max	£50.00	£25.00	£100.00	£50.00	No charge listed	£55
1st mile normal time	£4.62	£4.20	£5.60	£4.70	£4.30	£4.60
Fare per mile after 1st mile	£1.98	£1.80	£1.80	£1.70	£2.20	£2.00
2 miles normal time	£6.60	£6.00	£7.40	£6.40	£6.50	£6.60
1 st mile after midnight	£6.93	£6.30	£8.40	£7.05	£6.45	£6.80
2 miles after midnight	£9.90	£9.00	£11.10	£9.60	£9.75	£9.80