



Wheel-Trans Taxi Service Contracts Extension

TTC Board Decision

The TTC Board on October 29, 2024, adopted the following:

That the TTC Board:

1. Authorize a two-year contract extension, per the available options, for the accessible distance-based taxi contracts for the period of May 29, 2025 to May 28, 2027, with an increase to the upset limit by \$25,200,000 for a total of \$280,200,000, with the following five existing service providers:
 - a. Associated Toronto Taxi-Cab Co-operative (Co-Op AT).
 - b. 2605881 Ontario Inc. (Royal Taxi).
 - c. 1210670 Ontario Inc. (Scarborough City Cab).
 - d. 1145659 Ontario Limited (Checker Taxi).
 - e. Beck Taxi Ltd. (Beck AT).
2. Authorize two-year contract extensions, per the original contract options, for the sedan meter-based taxi contracts for the period of June 10, 2025 to June 9, 2027, with an increase to the upset limit by \$17,800,000 for a total of \$164,800,000, for the following three existing service providers:
 - a. Beck Taxi Ltd. (Beck Sedan).
 - b. Associated Toronto Taxi-Cab Co-operative (Co-Op Sedan).
 - c. Toronto 1 Taxi (a division of Scarborough City Cab).
3. Authorize an additional two-year extension from 2028 to 2029 to address the impacts of COVID-19 on the taxi providers, with the extension conditional upon the submission of a final EV Clean Vehicle Transition Strategy acceptable to the TTC Board that demonstrates a clear commitment to fleet electrification; and increase the total upset limit by \$207,000,000 to a total of \$652,000,000 to provide sufficient funding for 2028 and 2029 as follows:
 - i. Accessible Distance-Based Contracts by \$136,400,000 to \$416,600,000
 - ii. Sedan Meter-Based Contracts by \$70,600,000 to \$235,400,000
4. Approve a cap to the driver portion of the Accessible Taxi's all-inclusive rate to a maximum of a 2% annual increase, effective 2025 and through the approved extension period.

5. Delegate authority to the Chief Executive Officer to allocate approved funding in each of the contract extension year to the current Accessible Taxi Distance-Based and Sedan Meter-Based Taxi Service Contractors among any of the eight contracts during the extension periods.