

Proposed terms and conditions linked to hackney carriage proprietor licences issued after 1 October 2013

All new hackney carriage proprietor licences issued after 1 October 2013 will only be released subject to the following terms and conditions. These terms and conditions must be read in conjunction with Test Valley Borough Council's standard hackney carriage vehicle licence conditions and complied with prior to a hackney carriage proprietor licence being issued.

1. The vehicle shall display Council approved accessible vehicle signage.
2. Vehicles must hold either, European Whole Vehicle Type Approval, European Small Series Type Approval or National Small Series Type Approval and appropriate documentation indicating this must be made available for inspection by the Council prior to the vehicle being licensed and at any time thereafter.
3. Vehicles first presented for licensing must not be more than 12 months old from the first date of registration.
4. Vehicles presented for licensing must be fully wheelchair accessible, side loading and capable of being licensed to carry 5, 6, 7 or 8 passengers.
5. A vehicle will only be licensed where it has met the criteria set out in the above conditions. Any vehicle replacing one issued under these conditions must meet the same criteria.