

Appendix C - Representations Against Increase

Representation Number	From Whom	Details of
R08	Member of the Public	<p>Hi,</p> <p>I would like to object to the fare increase on two grounds:</p> <p>Due to chaos caused by the lack of unreliability of a regular bus service, this forces people to use taxis more and puts the taxi firms in a near monopolistic position;</p> <p>Post CV 19 the taxis are no longer reliable, so that you cannot guarantee them turning up either on time or at all, with no warning if they don't arrive. So, simply, if they can't provide this basic service requirement they shouldn't be "rewarded" for providing a lesser service.</p>
R09	Member of the Public	<p>I read today about the proposed increase to Taxi Fares within Exeter and would like to write to you to object to these rises. As a disabled person, I need to rely on Taxis quite often and would find the proposed increases unaffordable at a time when everything else is rising at rates far higher than my earnings. I realise these are only "maximum fares" however I can only imagine it'll be exactly the same as the energy sector and everyone will charge it.</p> <p>For me personally this will likely lead to increased isolation and fewer journeys around the city for shopping etc., thereby increasing my online shopping requirements</p>

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		and a reduction in spending at local businesses.  Thank you for your time.
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