



## **Press Release**

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### **Lummi Island Ferry Rates to Change on October 4, 2015**

During the August 4, 2015 Whatcom County Council meeting the Lummi Island Ferry Rates were changed to ensure the viability of the ferry fund. These changes will be effective beginning October 4, 2015.

Multi-ride punch cards purchased at the previous rate (prior to October 4, 2015), whether higher or lower than the new rate, will be accepted for use as one punch equals one round trip. Per Council Ordinance, no credit or refund will be allowed or issued for multi-ride punch cards purchased at the previous rate. Additionally, multi-ride cards purchased at the previous rate will be valid for six (6) months after the October 4, 2015 rate change.

The new punch cards have been ordered from the printer. We will send out another press release if they are available for purchase prior to October 4, 2015.

Additionally, Public Works Ferry department will have staff available to sell the new rate ferry punch cards at the Lummi Island ferry office on Sunday, October 4, 2015 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Thank you in advance for your patience and cooperation during the implementation of these changes.

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# FERRY FARES EFFECTIVE 10/04/2015

<b>PASSENGER FARES</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Rate Basis - Roundtrips</b>
Passenger/Pedestrian	\$7.00	1 round trip
Passenger/Pedestrian – multi-ride ticket	\$88.00	25 round trips
Children (under 12 with Parent only) <sup>1</sup>	FREE	1 round trip
Children (12 to under 19 years)	FREE	1 round trip
Needs Based Passenger/Pedestrian <sup>5,6</sup> Senior/Disabled/Income – multi-ride ticket	\$28.00	10 round trips
Post High School Full-time <sup>2,3</sup> Students – multi-ride ticket	\$70.00	25 round trips
Lummi Tribal Member with <sup>4</sup> Identification (foot passage only)	FREE	1 round trip
<b>VEHICLE / DRIVER FARES</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Rate Basis - Roundtrips</b>
Bicycle w/Rider	\$7.00	1 round trip
Motorcycle w/Driver	\$8.00	1 round trip
Motorcycle w/Driver – multi-ride	\$140.00	25 round trips
Vehicle w/Driver under 8,001 lbs.	\$13.00	1 round trip
Vehicle w/Driver under 8,001 lbs. multi-ride	\$102.00	10 round trips
Vehicle w/Driver under 8,001 lbs. multi-ride	\$210.00	25 round trips
Needs Based Vehicle w/Driver <sup>5,6</sup> Senior/Disabled/Income – multi-ride	\$52.00	10 round trips
<b>LARGER VEHICLES</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Rate Basis - Roundtrips</b>
Vehicle w/Driver 8,001- 20,000 lbs. <sup>7, 11, 12</sup>	\$32.00	1 round trip
Vehicle w/Driver 8,001-20,000 lbs. - multi-ride <sup>7, 11, 12</sup>	\$272.00	10 round trips
Vehicle w/Driver 20,001 – 36,000 lbs. <sup>7, 11, 12</sup>	\$75.00	1 round trip
Vehicle w/Driver 20,001 – 36,000 lbs. - multi-ride <sup>7, 11, 12</sup>	\$638.00	10 round trips
Vehicle w/Driver 36,000 – 50,000 lbs. <sup>7, 11, 12, 13</sup>	\$145.00	1 round trip
Vehicle w/Driver 36,001 – 50,000 lbs. - multi-ride <sup>7, 11, 12, 13</sup>	\$1233.00	10 round trips
Trailer (under 16 feet) <sup>7, 8, 11, 12</sup>	\$20.00	1 round trip
Trailer (16 - 30 feet) <sup>7, 8, 11, 12</sup>	\$38.00	1 round trip
Trailer (over 30 feet) <sup>7, 8, 11, 12</sup>	\$70.00	1 round trip
Over width Vehicle/Trailers, etc. > 1 lane <sup>7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13</sup>	50% surcharge (see clarification)	
<b>SPECIAL TRIPS</b>	\$600.00	Per trip surcharge - one-way. Special trips are a surcharge in addition to the applicable fare.
Special Trips after regularly scheduled runs <sup>10</sup>		