

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Prescription ) APPLICATION NO. LR-272  
of Reasonable Rates and Charges for )  
Motor Carriers Passengers and ) GRANTED  
Property for Hire subject to the )  
Provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. ) ENTERED: FEBRUARY 27, 2007  
(Reissue 1996), Chapter 75,  
Articles 1 and 3.

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

On November 17, 2006, DJW, Inc., d/b/a Luxury Limousine, Syracuse, filed an application for authority to establish rates for a fourteen (14) passenger Hummerzine limousine.

Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record Omaha, Nebraska, on December 14, 2006, pursuant to the Commission's rules. The application was not protested.

Applicant is a certificated common carrier which holds Certificate B-1554. The certificate authorizes the transportation of passengers and their baggage by limousine service in certain counties in southeast Nebraska.

The Applicant represented to staff of the Commission that the rates as proposed were based on expenses related to operational costs and other costs such as insurance. The rates are believed to return a sufficient amount to the Applicant to cover its costs as well as to provide a reasonable profit to the Applicant for future business development.

The proposed rates are similar to and are competitive with existing limousine rates in the area. The proposed rates are reasonable and the Commission finds that the rates should be approved. The application is filed in compliance with Sections 75-308 (Rates) R.R.S. 2003 and the Commission rules.

Upon consideration of the application and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the application should be granted.

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ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that DJW, Inc., dba Luxury Limousine, Syracuse, Nebraska, be, and it is hereby, authorized to establish in its limousine rates the schedule attached hereto for its 14 passenger Hummerzine limousine, effective March 9, 2007.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2007.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

*Gerald L. Uy*

Chairman

*Rod Johnson*

*Ann C. Boyle*

ATTEST:

*And S. Pollack*

Executive Director

*Jim Schram*

//s// Rod Johnson

//s// Frank E. Landis

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## LR 272 Hummerzine Rate Schedule

Description (subject to Notes)	Rate
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### Weddings, Anniversaries, Birthday (One hour minimum)

#### 14-Passenger (SUV) H2 Hummerzine Limousine Rates

1. First Hour	\$285
2. One Hour & Half (1½)	\$360
3. Two Hours	\$410
4. Split Time (1 Hr + 1 hr)	\$485

SPECIAL NOTE: Weddings, Anniversaries and birthday packages include the following: All drivers are in a tuxedo, a red carpet is rolled out at the pick-up only, magnetic designating the type of event, one disposable camera, inside decorations for the theme of the event, ice for the refreshment centers, choice of one of the following: 2 bottles of non-alcoholic champagne or two kinds of pop, Pepsi or Coke products, we provide all glassware for the customer as needed. Note: The tip/gratuity is not included in the above totals.

### Standard Rates (2 hour minimum- seven days per week)

#### 14 Passenger (SUV) H2 Hummerzine Limousine Rates

1. First Two Hours	(\$155/hour)	\$310
2. Third Hour	(\$150/hour)	\$460
3. Fourth	(\$140/hour)	\$600 (4)
4. Fifth	(\$130/hour)	\$730 (5)
4. Sixth Hours	(flat rate \$60/hour)	\$795
5. Each hour over six hours	(\$100/hour)	
6. Wait time (per hour over four hours)	(\$85/hour)	
7. Split time- based on 4 hours (2 hours + 2 Hours)		\$675

### Prom Packages (Three hour minimum)

#### 14 Passenger (SUV) H2 Hummerzine Limousine Rates

1. 3 hour minimum	\$495
2. 4 hours	\$620
3. 5 hours	\$695
4. 6 hours	\$795
5. Each hour over 6 hours	\$ 85
6. Split-time (2 hours + 2 hours) (Total 4 hours)	\$695

SPECIAL NOTE: On all Prom Packages the following is included; All our drivers are in a tuxedo, the red carpet is rolled out at

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the pick-up only, one disposable camera, inside decorations (color theme of school prom), your choice of two kinds of pop, Pepsi or Coke products. There is no extra charge for these items and services. NOTE: The tip/gratuity is not included in the above totals.

Note 1. Rates are subject to a two (2) hour minimum, seven (7) days a week, Monday through Sunday, including all holidays and other special events, excluding weddings, anniversaries and birthdays which require a one (1) hour minimum

Note 2. The rental time begins when the customer is instructed to be picked up and ends when the customer releases the limousine and driver. All rates do not include the tip or gratuity.

Note 3. All Limousine rentals do not include gratuity (tip). We do suggest 15% to 20% as a suggested amount of the rental price only.

Note 4. The Split Package of four (4) hours refers to service in which the limousine will be used for a portion of the four hours, released from service and then return at a later time (greater than two hours) to resume the remaining service of two (2) hours. We do allow you to use more or less time in the first two or the second two hours. (EXAMPLE 1½ hours in the beginning and 2½ hours at the end. You have to use a total time of four hours combined.

Note 5. The Split-time package for two (2) hours, example on our Wedding, Anniversary and Birthday packages, works the same way as the four hour package.

Note 6. Wait Time is defined as the time the driver and vehicle are idle at the direction of the client. This time applies to use of the limousine for four (4) hours or more.

Note 7. Free time.

(A) Book four (4) hours Sunday through Thursday and receive the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) hour free. This includes all holidays and special events.

(B) Book five (5) hours Friday or Saturday and receive the Sixth (6) Hour Flat rate with a \$20 discount or \$795.00 for six months.

Note 8. On proms, graduations and homecomings, rental time of three hours only is the minimum.

Note 9. On all proms, graduations and homecomings, we do ask for a security deposit of \$100.00. This deposit will cover any expense in replacing glassware or repairs to equipment or any other damage inside the limousine. If there is no damage, the entire deposit will be refunded to the client within the following

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week of the event. If there is damage to the inside of the limo, Luxury Limousine will consult with the client as to the details of the damage and will decide together as to the costs involved to make any repairs, etc.

Note 10. Holidays and special events are defined as: Valentines Day, St. Patrick's Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Years Eve and New Years Day. Special events would include concerts, sporting events, including Super Bowl Day and all Nebraska football game days.

Note 11. When the customer/client rents our limousine for the flat rate of six (6) hours, Luxury Limousine will provide the seventh (7) hour free, Sunday through Thursday. This seventh hour does not apply to Friday or Saturday rentals.

Note 12. Limousine service beyond a 30 mile radius of Syracuse can be assessed a flat empty mileage/fuel surcharge of \$60.00. This applies only to our SUVs. This is for travel time empty from Syracuse to the place of pickup and returning empty to Syracuse. Note: Once the client is picked up, there is unlimited mileage based on the rental time paid. There is also unlimited stops within this time period.

Note 13. On all bookings, Luxury Limousine requires half (1/2) down of the total amount including security deposits at the time of the booking with the balance due to be paid two weeks prior to the event. This can be paid by check or Credit Cards. We do accept Visa, Master Card and Discover cards. If the event is cancelled 30 day prior to the date of the event, we will refund the entire amount paid us. If the cancellation is within the 30 day period, we have the right to keep any portion of the down payment made to us. If the cancellation is made within hours of the event, we will keep 100 % of the amount paid to us. If there is a balance due at that time, we will bill the client the remaining balance due. If the client has paid us with a credit card, we reserve the right to charge the credit card the amount due us.

Note 14. All our limousines are strictly "non-smoking" vehicles. If a client is caught smoking in the limo, they will be warned once. The second time it happens, we will take the client back to the original place of pickup and will keep 100% of the Security Deposit collected.

Note 15. Luxury Limousine requires that the emergency exit hatch in our SUVs remain closed at all times. If these are opened while we are moving, the client will be warned once. The second time the client will be returned to their place of pickup and the run

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will be terminated. We will keep 100% of the security deposit that was collected. NOTE: If someone within the clients party should stick their head/body through this emergency exit hatch while moving, in Lincoln or Omaha and is caught by law enforcement, there could be a fine of upwards to \$2,500 to that person. We will not be liable for anyone's actions should this happen.

Note 16. Luxury Limousine Service reserves the right to substitute vehicles of equal or greater/larger size without notice.