

Council	Currently ban vaping in taxis and private hire vehicles	Are considering a ban on vaping in taxis and private hire vehicles	Notes
Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council	NO	NO	
Boston	NO	WE DO NOT HOLD ANY INFORMATION ON THIS MATTER	
Bradford Metropolitan District Council	YES	N/A	
Calderdale Metropolitan Brough Council	NO	POSSIBLY - SEE NOTE	At the meeting of 19 th February 2018 the Members of the Licensing and Regulatory committee resolved:- That the Acting Assistant Director, Customer Services be requested to submit an updated report on e-cigarettes, following further consultation with the trade and the Independent British Vape Association, to a future meeting of the Licensing and Regulatory Committee.
City of Lincoln	NO REPLY	NO REPLY	No reply despite a reminder.
City of York Council	PRIVATE HIRE - YES. TAXIS - NO. SEE NOTE	YES - SEE NOTE	I can confirm that private hire drivers are banned from using e-cigarettes under the conditions of their licence. However, this ban does not apply to taxis as the local by-law which governs driver conduct pre-dates the widespread use of e-cigarettes. This is something we would consider introducing when the by-law is reviewed.
Craven District Council	NO	NO	The council has no recorded information to answer your request
Doncaster Metropolitan Borough Council	NO	NO	
East Lindsey	NO	NOT AT THE PRESENT TIME	
East Riding of Yorkshire Council	YES	N/A	
Hambleton District Council	NO	NO	
Harrogate District Council	NO	NO	
Kingston upon Hull City Council	NO	NO	Hull City Council has no policy on the use of e-cigarettes in taxis and private hire vehicle and there are no plans to adopt one.
Kirklees Metropolitan Council	NO	NO - BUT SEE NOTE	Not at the moment but potentially in the future

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Leeds City Council	YES - WILL BE SOON	SEE NOTE	<p>'The current driver conditions state that;</p> <p>9. Conduct of driver</p> <p><i>The driver shall;</i></p> <p><i>j) Not smoke at any time within the licensed vehicle, or allow any other person to do so, or adjacent to it, which results in smoke entering the vehicle.</i></p> <p>Whilst this condition does not specifically mention e-cigarettes, the service is currently reviewing all of our policies and conditions and it is our intention to amend this condition to also include e-cigarettes/ vaping in the near future.</p>
North East Lincolnshire Council	SEE NOTE	SEE NOTE	<p>As you are aware Legislation requiring smoke free environments in virtually all workplaces came into effect on the 1st July 2007, meaning that all public places and workplaces must be smoke free at all times, including vehicles. This included licensed vehicles which must remain smoke free at all times.</p> <p>If a licensed driver is 'smoking' there could be a lack of concentration, both hands would not be placed on the steering wheel etc. Therefore, licensed drivers are advised not to use e-cigarette's whilst driving.</p>
North Kesteven	NO	YES	
North Lincolnshire Council	YES	SEE NOTE	North Lincolnshire Council's Taxi Licensing Policy prohibits the use of e-cigarettes in both private hire and hackney carriages.
Richmondshire District Council	NO	NOT AT THIS TIME	
Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council	YES	N/A	The Council specifically prohibits the smoking of tobacco or like substance in taxis within the provisions of the Health Act 2006. This would include e-cigarettes.
Ryedale District Council	NO	NO	
Scarborough District Council	DRIVERS - YES PASSENGERS - NO	N/A	As part of he conditions set by the Taxi and Private Hire Policy only licensed drivers are not permitted to use E-Cigarettes in a Licensed Vehicle.
Selby District Council	YES	N/A	

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Sheffield City Council	NO - SEE NOTE	NO - BUT SEE NOTE	<p>Sheffield City Council, through its Licensing Committee who set the policies for our licensed drivers does not currently have a ban on Vapour cigarettes in Licensed vehicles. The policy is reviewed on a regular basis and this may be part of the consultation in the next review.</p> <p>We currently follow the legal guidelines around smoking in public vehicles and as of yet Vapour/E-cigarettes are not covered under the current laws.</p> <p>If this changes we will of course enforce the restrictions as strongly as we do the current smoking restrictions on our licensed drivers.</p> <p>Where passengers decide to use the E-cigarettes this would currently be down to individual drivers, and would be for them to ask passengers to refrain from use of the cigarettes in their vehicle if they wished them not to use.</p> <p>We would also advise drivers that use these types of machines to refrain from using them whilst passengers are on board, unless they have received permission from the passenger at the time, which should be common courtesy for both the driver and the passenger to ask such a question.</p>
South Holland	NO	SEE NOTE	The Council are currently looking at reviewing their taxi policy and this will no doubt be taken into account then.
South Kesteven	NO	NO	
Wakefield Council	NO	NOT AT THIS TIME	
West Lindsey	NO	NO	