



Le Transport de Clare

A Dial-a-Ride program

Since 1996

**One of nine community based
transportation systems in NS**

Presented by: Claredon Robicheau, founder Le Transport de Clare

Le Transport de Clare's 2006 Van



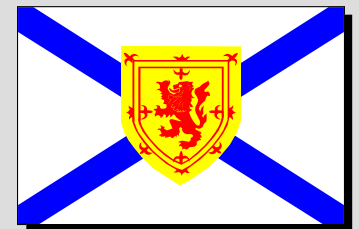
Summary

- Nova Scotia experience
- What is community based transportation?
- Needs assessment & community opportunities
- Eight pillars & some best practices
- Manitoba Model
- NSLEO (Nova Scotia League for Equal Opportunities)
- NSCBTA (Nova Scotia Community Based Transportation Association)
- Contact info



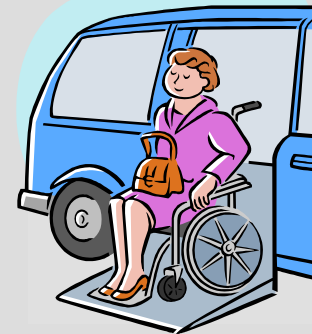
Nova Scotia Experience

- 1990 – 1995 Federal program
- 1996 Le Transport de Clare & Chad
- 1999 Three Nova Scotia pilots
- 2001 CTAP
- 2007 Nine Dial-a-Ride programs
- Perspective: HRM Access a Bus 700,000 kms
vs Dial-A-Ride 2,000,000 kms
- CTAP services
- Federal Gas tax Fund
- Kings transit , Strait Area,Pictou ,Rental
& Airporter



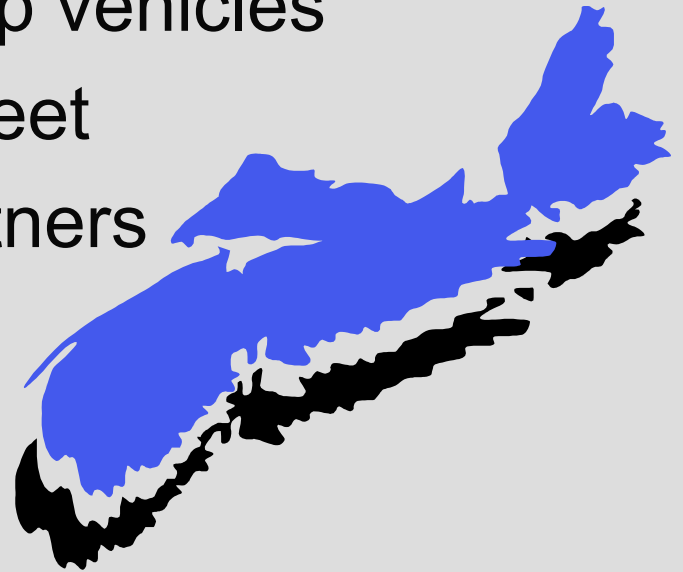
Community Based Transportation

- Mission – To provide accessible and affordable transportation to all.
- Non profit community owned and governed
- May have multiple layered financial support and in kind support
- Door to door & possible combination fixed routes
- Demographic priorities but remains public for “ALL”.



Needs Assessment & Community Capacity Building

- Desired region to serve
- Know you community
- Taxi's ,long term care & sheltered workshop vehicles
- LTC facility aging fleet
- Other Potential partners
- Human rights
- Community by-in



Businesses and Service Clubs



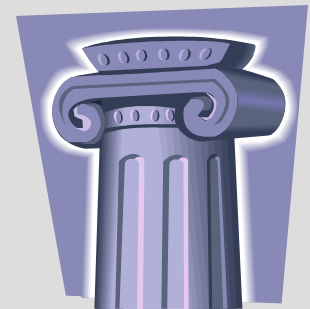
Donations



President Emile Dugas of Clare Branch in Saulnierville, N.S., presents a \$1,000 donation to Clarendon Robichaud of the Clare Disabilities Organization.

Eight Pillars

1. Board governance
2. Charities
3. Corporate sponsorship
4. Market niche and opportunities
5. Provincial
6. Municipal
7. Federal
8. Peer support



Volunteers



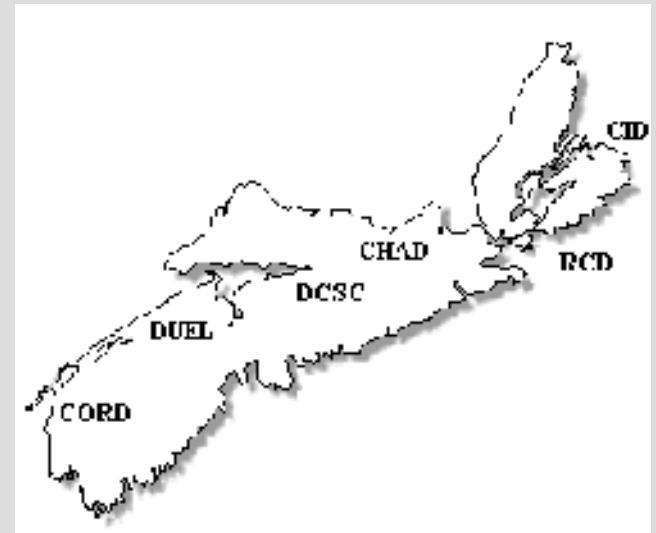
Community Support



NSLEO



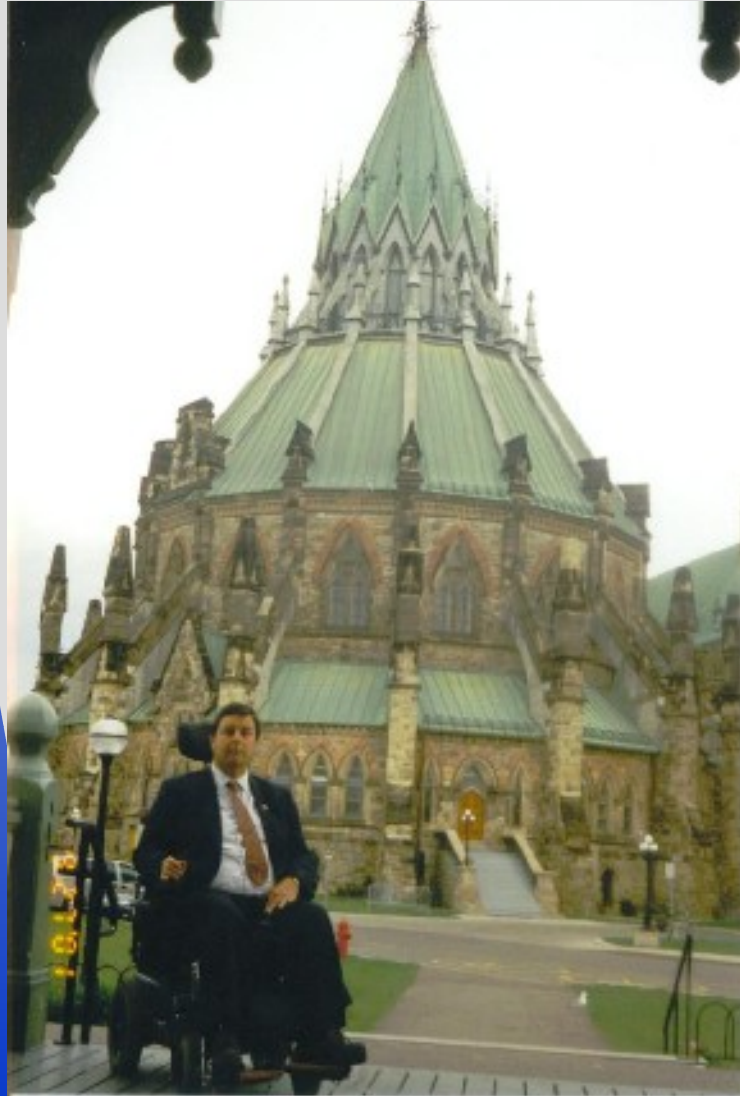
- Advocacy
- Research
- Position papers
- Council of Canadians with disabilities
- NSCBTA partnership



Governments

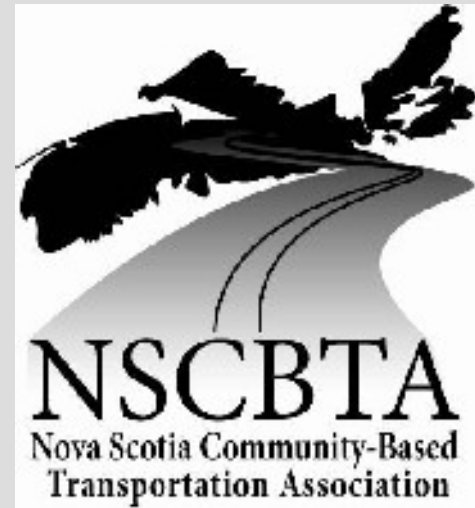


Federal



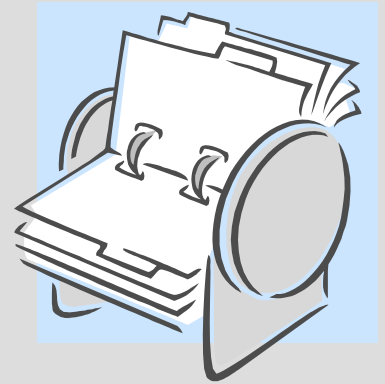
NSCBTA

- Public transportation for all Nova Scotians
- Goals
- Research
- Advocacy
- Position papers
- Best practices
- Marketing- PR



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“transportation accessibility standards”
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Any Questions?

