



URBAN/RURAL RIDES
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**Providing Affordable
Transportation**

urbanruralrides.ca

What is Urban/Rural Rides?

Urban/Rural Rides is a volunteer driving program whose mission is to provide affordable and accessible transportation to area residents to help reduce isolation and increase independence for those who do not have access to transportation.

How does the transportation services work?

Urban/Rural Rides clients **call the Ride Coordinator for your region forty-eight (48) hours in advance** of a drive needed and we arrange a volunteer driver to go to their door, drive them to their destination and subsequently back to their pick-up destination.

Who is Eligible to be an Urban/Rural Rides Client?

Any individual over the age of 18 can become a client and access affordable transportation for medical reasons, food bank, errands or even recreation. Clients under the age of 18 can access the service depending on the clients need.

Our focus is on...

- *Seniors/Older Adults*
- *Special Needs*
- *Non-Drivers*
- *Low/Fixed Income Residents*

What is the cost?

Registration is **FREE** and ride fees are based on the distance travelled. Urban/Rural Rides offers subsidized

rates for qualifying low income individuals and families. Fees are "paid to the organization", not the drivers and are invoiced monthly.

How to make a Donation...

Donations are greatly appreciated, you can visit our website to make a donation that will help support additional drives for our clients.

Drivers are all volunteers!

All drivers use their own vehicle, are screened and receive mileage reimbursement.

Drivers need...

- *To be 21 years of age*
- *Have a valid Class 5 license*
- *Complete an RCMP Criminal Records Check and Vulnerable Check*
- *To have clean vehicles with a valid safety inspection*
- *Supplemental liability insurance that can be reimbursed.*

How to I Register as a Client or Volunteer for Urban/Rural Rides?

You can register or become a volunteer driver by contacting the Ride Coordinator at

***Westmorland/Albert County:** 506-962-3073
urbanruralrides@gmail.com

***Greater Fredericton area:** 506-999-2102
gfaurbanruralrides@gmail.com

***Western Valley - Woodstock:** 506-503-3004
and **Perth-Andover:** 506-707-3014

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