

## Access Transit Service Expanded Eligibility Criteria

- 1) Service is available to those individuals who are unable to use regular transit with safety and dignity either on a permanent or temporary basis; the following criteria will be used to determine eligibility:
  - Unable to learn and understand how the public transit system operates.
  - Unable to recognize destination or landmarks.
  - Unable to wait at the bus stop for up to 20 minutes without undue detriment to their health.
  - Unable to walk a distance of one city block in a safe and timely fashion (10 minutes).
  - Unable to manage three vertical stairs up/down.
  - Unable to seat them selves on the bus safely, i.e. balance, frail.
  - Unable to fit in the bus seats (because of use of equipment or other physical disability)
- Service is available to persons visiting Saskatoon provided they meet the eligibility criteria;
- 3) Registration is available for:
  - individuals who are temporarily disabled and for that period are unable to use regular transit, and that such registration be valid for up to six months following which the customer must apply for an extension if required; and
  - b) individuals who require temporary service on a seasonal basis (e. g. November 1 to April 1).