

Mobility and Access Committee for Scotland (MACS)



Annual Report



Bus, Taxi, Tram and Community Transport



This document gives you information about the work that Mobility and Access Committee for Scotland (MACS) will do in the next year to improve Bus, Taxi, Tram and Community Transport accessibility.



Taxi and Private Hire Car Accessibility



MACS will work on understanding the accessibility issues with:

- Taxi
- Community transport
- Trams



In towns you can now often book a taxi using an app. MACS will ensure that this facility is accessible for disabled people.



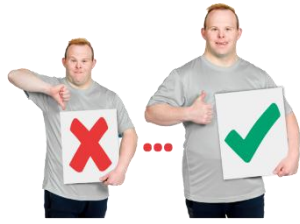
Sheila Fletcher will lead on this project.



It will be ongoing from 2017.



Accessible Travel Framework



MACS will give information to help check on progress.



Sheila Fletcher and Linda Bamford will lead on this.



Ongoing from 2017.



**Integrated ticketing,
Smart Cards,
Thistle Card, new
applications**



MACS will work with Transport Scotland and Regional Transport Partnerships on integrated ticketing.



MACS will give advice and share good practice.



Sheila Fletcher and Hussein Patwa will lead on this.



Development of accessible buses and coaches



MACS will work with bus operators to have step-free buses.



All members of MACS will be involved in this.



This is a new project.