STRANDED WHEELCHAIRS

At the May 22, 2018 Transportation Working Group of the Advisory Committee for Persons with Disabilities (ACPD), the following draft proposal was discussed with the members and M. Mindorff, Executive Director, DARTS.

The ACPD is being asked to discuss this draft proposal, and offer their support, if appropriate. ACPD members should note that this is a draft proposal, and it is anticipated that more work will be required if such a proposal should come to pass.

The draft proposal is as follows:

DARTS proposes that it could offer a service in Partnership with Motion Specialties, a Hamilton supplier of mobilities products/services. Funding issues will have to be worked out if this proposal proceeds.

Stranded wheelchairs and or emergency services could call DARTS and DARTS would arrange to move the passenger and chair to a safe location/home.

The cost of the would be \$100/incident during business hours and \$125 after hours.

The service would be available from 5:00 AM until 2:00 AM, the operating hours of DARTS.