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Aroostook Regional Transportation System, Inc. (ARTS) – Region 1

ARTS is a private non-profit agency serving as the designated transit provider in Maine's Transit Region 1 serving low income, seniors, and people with disabilities, as well as the general public. ARTS operates a demand-response service to Aroostook county in Northern Maine. The ARTS region is over 6,600 square miles and has a population of approximately 72,000.

FFY 2024 Ridership: 53,954

Service Area: Aroostook County; Danforth, Washington County; and Patten, Penobscot County

Website: www.aroostooktransportation.org

Kennebec Valley Community Action Program (KVCAP) - Region 4

KVCAP is a private non-profit agency serving as the designated transit provider in Maine's Transit Region 4, serving low income, seniors, and people with disabilities, as well as the general public.

KV Van is a demand-response, door-to-door, accessible transportation service available to residents of Kennebec and Somerset Counties. KV Van is available by appointment for MaineCare members and others seeking transportation to medical and social services, such as dialysis, adult day programs, and cancer treatment, among others. In Augusta, Waterville, and Skowhegan, KV Van is available to the general public by appointment. Individuals may request trips to and from any location within each service zone, including for shopping, employment, and recreational activities, among others. KV Van also operates an intercity run between Waterville and Augusta weekdays.

FFY2024 Ridership: 121,283

Service Area: Kennebec and Somerset Counties

Website: http://www.kvcap.org/transportation/public-transportation/

Penquis - The LYNX - Region 3

Penquis is a private non-profit agency serving as the designated transit provider in Maine's Transit Region 3, serving low income, seniors, and people with disabilities, as well as the general public in Penobscot and Piscataquis Counties. The LYNX offers demand response service in most rural towns one if not more days per week, by appointment, Monday through Friday.

FFY2024 Ridership: 278,924

Service Area: Penobscot (excluding Patten) and Piscataquis Counties

Website: https://www.penquis.org/services/transportation/

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Waldo Community Action Partners (WCAP) dba Midcoast Public Transportation - Region 5

WCAP is a non-profit corporation serving as the designated transit provider in Maine's Transit Region 5, serving low income, seniors, and people with disabilities, and the general public.

WCAP provides demand response and flex route service in Waldo County as well as the Knox, Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties and part of Cumberland County (Brunswick and Harpswell). Regular trips outside of Waldo County are made to Waterville, Augusta, Rockland, and Bangor. The Rockland Dash provides flex route service in and around Rockland. The Belfast Dash provides flex route service in and around Belfast.

FFY2024 Ridership: 65,839

Service Area: Knox, Lincoln, Sagadahoc and Waldo Counties

Website: www.waldocap.org