

# Flanders Government in search of the most cost-efficient demand oriented transport model

Mobility Policy and Road Security

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# Getting on track: accessible transport for older people

Double task

**Urgent** 

Financial mechanism for transport of persons in a wheelchair and disabled persons

**Future** 

Integrated accessible transport model
=> New mobility system for disabled or older persons

### Flemish Region













### Principles:

- Legalise 16 small associations in charge of transport of persons in a wheelchair
- Only for adapted cars or vans
- Maximum price for customers

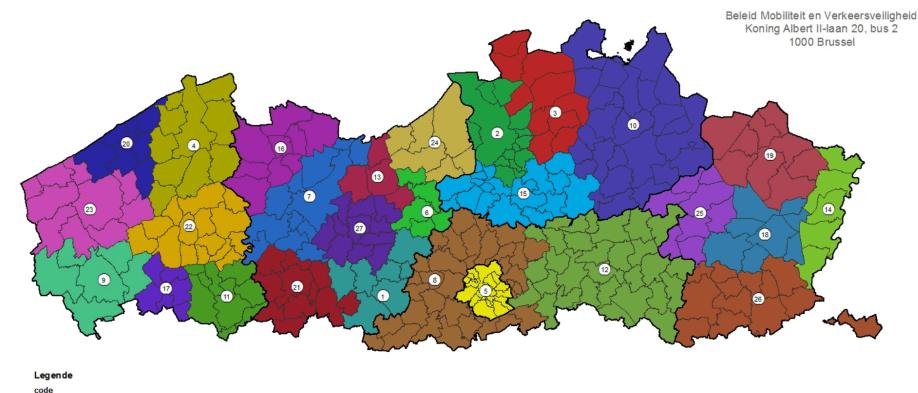
Project started in 2008
Introduced in 2014
Completed: estimated 2020

# 1. Urgent : financial mechanism

### Financial mechanism

Compensation for transport companies
Disabled persons and serious mobility reduction





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Data: aBMV Lay-out: Kelly Van Wijnendaele Datum: 25 september 2013

### Maximum price

Maximum that a transport company may ask a customer in a wheelchair			
< 25 km	From 26 km to 50 km	From 51 km	
Maximum 1 euro	Maximum 1,75 euro	To decide by transport company	

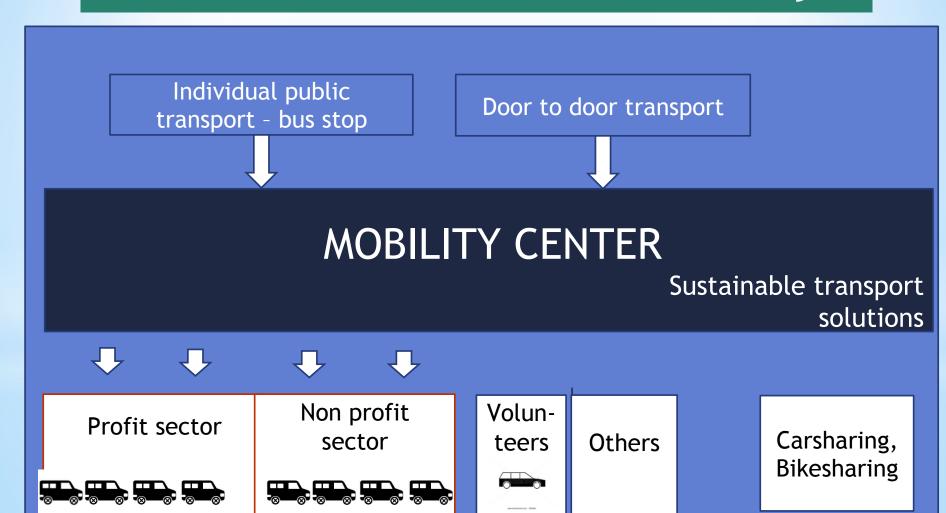
Maximum that a transport company may ask a customer without a wheelchair		
< 25 km	From 26 km to 50 km	From 51 km
Minimum 65 cent maximum 1,50 euro	Minimum 90 cent maximum 1,75 euro	To decide by transport company

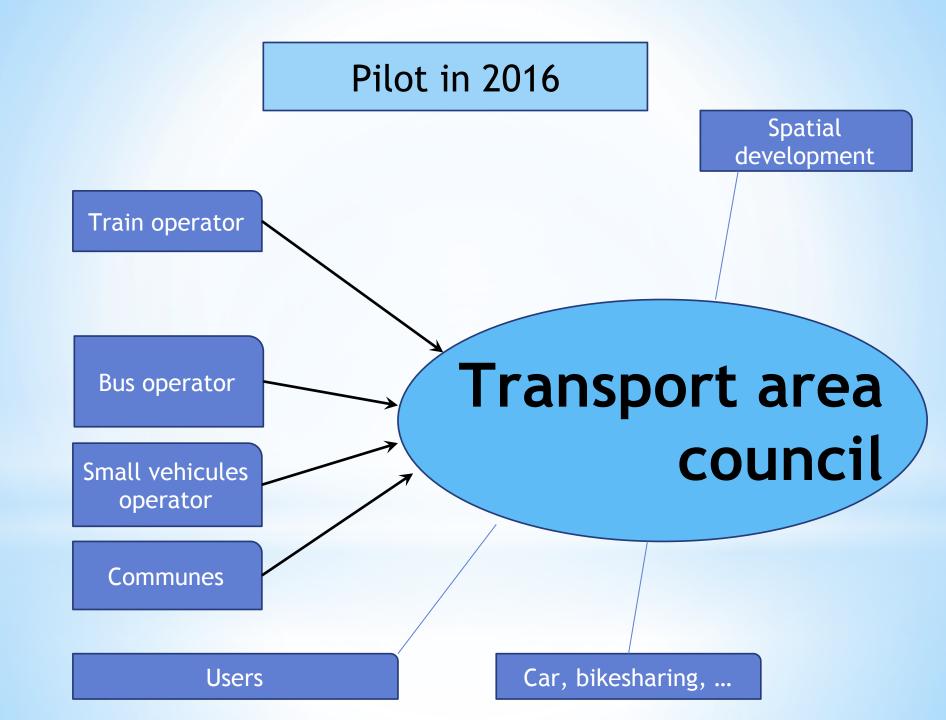
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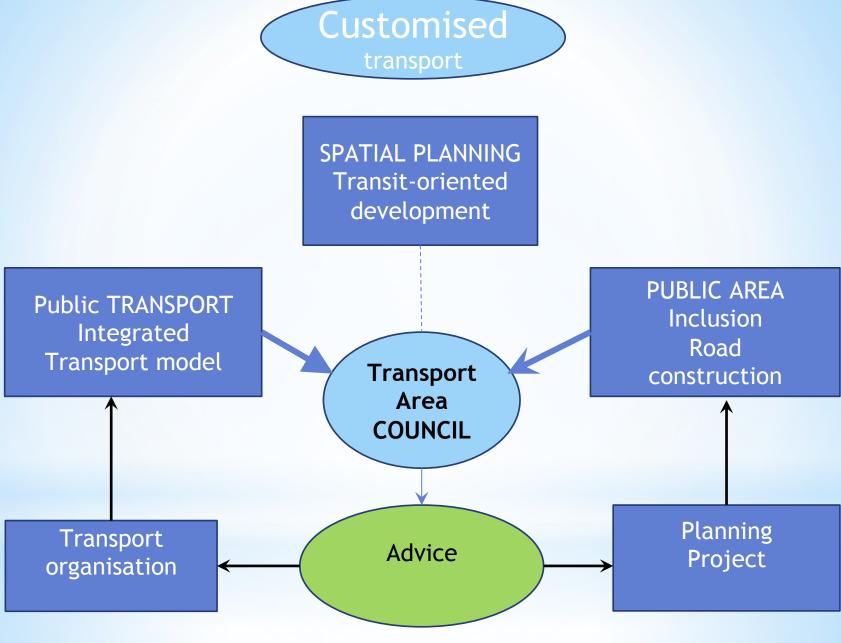
- Inclusion: disabled or older people
- First public transport, then customised transport
- Cost-efficient
- Adapted spatial planning
- Introduction of sustainable transport modes like carsharing, bikesharing, ...
- Finalised in 2025

## 2. Year 2014 Searching for a new transport model

# Mobility center 3.0 Persons with reduced mobility







INCLUSION AND INTEGRATION

### Urgent task

FINANCIAL SYSTEM FOR TRANSPORT COMPANIES IN CHARGE OF DISABLED PERSONS AND PERSONS WITH MOBILITY PROBLEMS

Structural model

INCLUSION AND INTEGRATED MASS AND CUSTOMISED TRANSPORT + PUBLICS WORKS IN TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT

### Overview





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