



Transport for Tongue (Transport for All in Tongue, Skerry and Melness)

are pleased to introduce

THE T4T TRAVEL SHARE SERVICE

Sharing transport can save on fuel, is good for the environment and can help others in the community who may have limited access to transport.

This service supplements existing T4T services and is available to everyone living in the T4T area.

How will this work for drivers?

Drivers participating in the scheme will be asked to give their e-mail address to the booking office to form the 'TravelShare Group'. Any driver then planning either a 'one-off' trip or a regular journey notifies the T4T office by phone on 611766 or email annette@transportfortongue.co.uk giving some basic details, for example:

- Where from and to: e.g. Tongue to Inverness Airport or Talmine to Thurso
- When: date and time of planned trip (and whether date and/or time is fixed or flexible)
- Number of seats available
- Return journey: whether same day and if so, time of planned return journey.
- Whether this is a one-off/occasional or regular trip
- Contact details – this should be an email address

This will be noted by T4T as a Travel Share offer.

Your name and contact details will never be disclosed to anyone without your permission.

Anyone wishing to leave the group simply lets the booking office know so that their e-mail address is removed from the group.

When someone contacts the T4T Office requesting a lift their details will be circulated to everyone registered in the TravelShare Group. It will then be up to the individual driver providing the lift share to contact the person requesting the lift, copying in all members.

T4T will have no further involvement.

Not everyone requesting lifts will have an e-mail address. In this situation drivers are asked to e-mail all members of the group to let them know that a lift share has been agreed.



How will this work for passengers? – see
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Those requesting transport are advised that, in order to participate in the scheme, T4T requires their permission to e-mail the details they have given (including their contact details) to the 'TravelShare Group'. If there is someone who is able to share transport they will respond - by *reply all* so that everyone in the "Group" knows that the request has been met.

The member of the group who has agreed to provide the lift then contacts the person requesting transport directly.

The T4T office has no further involvement. However, those participating will be asked to give feedback on their experiences of using the scheme.

It is anticipated that requests will be also be made by individuals who have access to their own transport but would prefer to TravelShare.

Passenger(s), if they wish, can offer to share the cost of travel with the driver.

To receive notifications by e-mail re new Travel Share Offers and Requests simply e-mail annette@transportfortongue.co.uk and ask to be added to the mailing list.

E-mails are checked regularly during the office hours of 10.00am-1.00pm Monday-Friday

If you have any questions about the new Travel Share Service, please contact us and we will be happy to provide additional information.

Through funding from Awards for All, Transport can be provided by a T4T vehicle and driver in the following circumstances:

- *No car share is possible for the day and time required and*
- *The person wishing to travel has no access to any other means of transport and*
- *The appointment or activity is necessary to maintain health and well-being and cannot easily be re-arranged and/or the person has a disability and a T4T accessible vehicle is required.*



How will this work for Drivers? – see overleaf