

**APPENDIX B: THUNDER BAY TRANSIT** 

# THUNDER BAY TRANSIT POLICY FOR THE PLACEMENT OF PASSENGER SHELTERS

This policy provides criteria for the evaluation of shelter locations. It is based on a priority-rating system that identifies the most appropriate locations for shelters. Shelters are ranked on the four main categories below. A shelter will only be installed at those locations which meet the minimum score of 70 points. Exceptions can be made for areas such as hospitals, senior citizen's homes, or handicapped homes.

## 1. Passenger usage (daily)

Adults or students 2 points Seniors/Disabled or children 4 points

## 2. Exposure to Weather Conditions

Protected (buildings nearby) 5 points
Minor (Residential area) 10 points
Moderate (wide street) 15 points
Extreme (wide open-exposed) 20 points

3. Transfer point

20 points

#### 4. Frequency of service

10 minutes	5 points
20 minutes	10 points
30 minutes	15 points
40 minutes	20 points
60 minutes	30 points

#### Additional factors to be considered:

- Available land
- Sight Hazard
- Lighting Requirements
- Underground Services

(Approved by council 1990)