

communities is 50% of annual operating deficits, and 100% of capital costs of transit systems. Under this program British Columbia is establishing a provincial pool of transit vehicles to be assigned to the several provincial operating agencies that provide the daily bus services in each region of British Columbia.

In 1975 the province was operating four provincial Crown corporations to serve Greater Victoria and Vancouver Island and Greater Vancouver and the Lower Mainland. Current plans call for new transit operating agencies in the Okanagan and the Northern British Columbia regions to provide bus services in urban centres currently without public transit authorities.

Transit services in British Columbia are planned by the Bureau of Transit Services in the Department of Municipal Affairs. The design of transit services is carried out in conjunction with the review process of community and regional planning by the Planning Division of Municipal Affairs.

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