Roundabout Transport Newsletter

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Transport service for the needy gets a £400,000 cash bonanza



Roundabout Transport has received a £400,000 grant from the National Lottery

A COMMUNITY transport service has received almost £400,000 from the National Lottery.

Roundabout Transport is used by as many as 2,500 people in south west Hertfordshire including elderly and disabled people. Project leaders hope the cash will pay to run the service for another five years.

The group received the grant after five years of rejected applications. Senior

trustees said the perseverance of employee Lisa Burn eventually earned the grant.

Mary Mathieson, a trustee for Roundabout Transport, said: "The grant will keep us going for another five years. It will allow us to provide a salary for our full-time staff."

Bob Broom, a user of the service who lives in sheltered housing, said: "It is fantastic. Now we get to go to places where we wouldn't normally go."