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A bus. A difficult course designed to test the best. Both are no match for a JAUNT driver with nerves of steel!

JAUNT driver brings home the trophy for best in Judgment Stop at the annual Community Transportation Association of Virginia Roadeo.

Charlottesville, VA April 23, 2009 – Bill Cansler outdrove the best in the state at this year’s Community Transportation Association of Virginia (CTAV) Roadeo in Fredericksburg. Mr. Cansler drove a paratransit van through a narrowing cone course stopping within 6 inches of a cone to receive a perfect score. “We are so proud of Bill!” said Donna Shaunesey, Executive Director of JAUNT and President of CTAV. “He has always been a great asset to our JAUNT team. We just knew he would do a fantastic job!”

The CTAV Roadeo was hosted by FREDericksburg Regional Transit this year and attracted thirteen paratransit companies which travelled from the far southwest to the Eastern Shore of Virginia. Fifty-five drivers in all tested their skills on a variety of challenging courses ranging from an obstacle course to the proper transport of a rider using a wheelchair.

JAUNT Inc. is a regional transportation system providing service to the citizens of Charlottesville, Albemarle, Fluvanna, Louisa, Nelson, and Buckingham Counties. The sixty-four vehicle fleet carries the general public, agency clients, senior citizens and people with disabilities throughout Central Virginia. Organized in 1975, JAUNT maintains an exemplary record of safety, cost efficiency, and high quality service, and is recognized both statewide and nationally for its performance record.