



# MOBILITY VERSUS RURAL?

- Mobility = the ability to move or be moved freely and easily\*
- Rural area = In general, a rural area is a geographic area that is located outside towns and cities\*

Mobility and rural - contradictory concepts

**OPPOSITES ATTRACT!** 



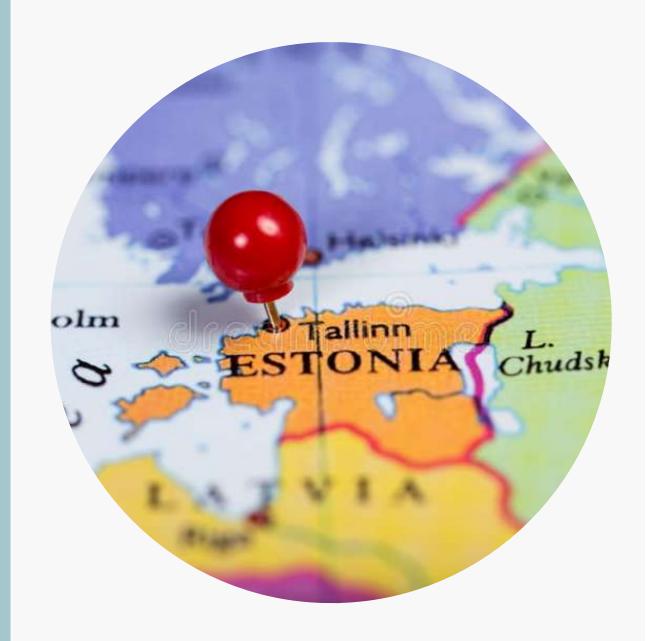
"MOBILITY"
COULD SOLVE
MANY CRUCIAL
ISSUES IN
RURAL AREAS

"Like all magnificent things, it's very simple." — Natalie Babbitt, Tuck Everlasting

### **RURAL ESTONIA**

### Background information

- Covers an area of 45 000 km<sup>2</sup>
- Around 21% is farmland and 50% is forest
- Has a population of 1.3 million
- 45% lives in rural areas
   (450.000 lives in Tallinn)
- Population density is 31.06 per km<sup>2</sup>





## TYPICAL RURAL ESTONIA LOOKS LIKE THIS



### MOBILE CINEMA



#### WHY?

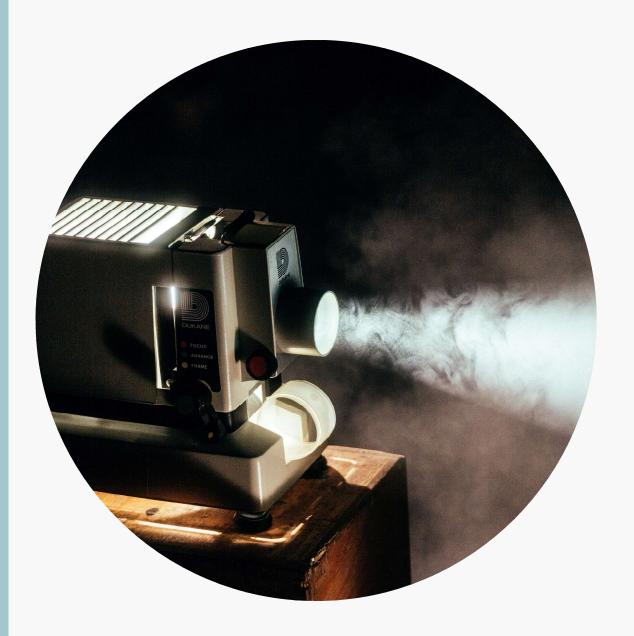
- There is a lack of entertainment options in the village.
- Nearest town is 50 km away.
- Public transport is infrequent.
- Low activity of local people.

### WHAT?

 The project helped to purchase modern mobile cinema equipment: a cinema projector, a mobile screen, speakers, pop-up tents for cinema visitors, chair, camera etc.

# FACTS OF THE MOBILE CINEMA PROJECT

- BENEFICIARY: NGO Põdrala Village Association (LAG Mulgimaa Development Centre area)
- TOTAL SUPPORT: 15 462
   euros (Estonian Rural
   Development Plan 2014
   -2020 LEADER measure)



The aim of the project is to bring together people related to mobile cinema, and to organize leisure time activity that is qualitative and broadens the mind.

\*Mobile Cinema



# PROJECT RESULTS

- Thanks to the purchased equipment it is now possible to show movies in different places and during different events.
- With a camera they can make documentaries and a chronicle.
- They can offer film making service, organize film-making workshops, where young people can plan and create movies.
- The project also helped to present local activities to other areas.



LOCAL PEOPLE DOESN'T HAVE TO DRIVE TO BIG TOWN TO SEE THE CINEMA, BUT CAN VISIT CINEMA AT THEIR HOME-PLACE.
AND BE HAPPY!

## MOBILE ANIMAL CLINIC



#### WHY?

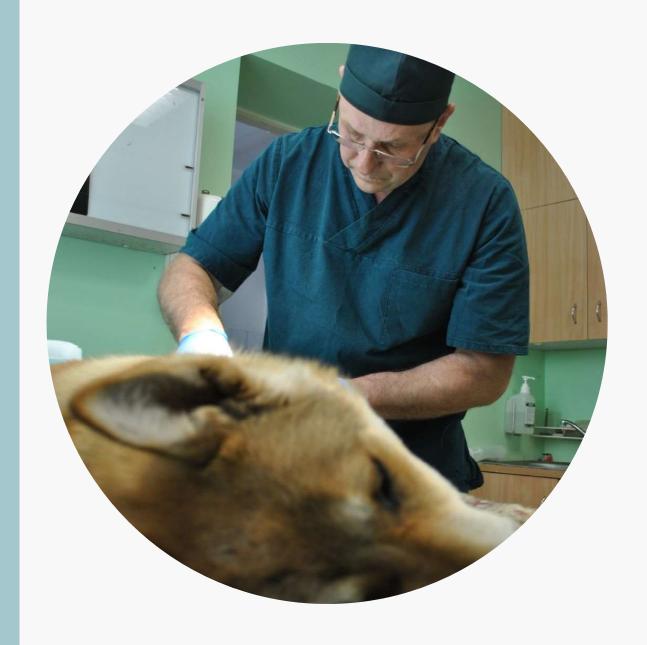
- There was a need to find new solutions because the previous rental agreement of pet veterinary clinic was ended.
- A client-survey showed the need to be closer to clients and to offer the service in different locations.

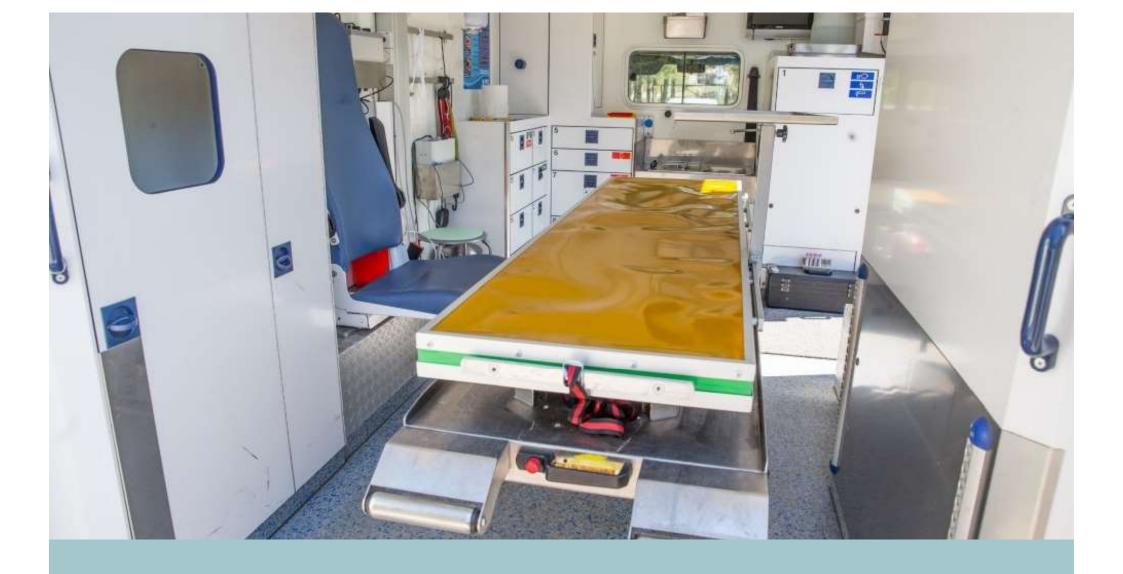
### WHAT?:

 The mobile pet clinic was purchased by the entrepreneur own costs - a van with necessary and clinical equipment to provide services. The project helped to purchase necessary mobile accessories.

# FACTS OF THE MOBILE ANIMAL CLINIC PROJECT

- BENEFICIARY: Raja
   Veterinary Services LTD
   (LAG Järva Development Partners)
- TOTAL SUPPORT: 8225
   euros (Estonian Rural
   Development Plan 2014
   -2020 LEADER measure)





THE NEW SERVICE IS UNIQUE, AND BRINGS A
NEW OPPORTUNITY - VETERINARY AMBULANCE - TO THE
AREA.



# PROJECT RESULTS

\* Mobile animal clinic

- Now the veterinary services are available in rural areas and located closer to potential clients.
- The mobile clinic allows visiting clients at any time in any location.
- In addition there is a possibility for veterinary students to have practical trainings in the new innovative mobile clinic.









## **THANK YOU!**

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