

Ride Share

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What is a Ride Share?

A Ride Share is a way that drivers who are going to a destination can offer to share the trip with others who need to travel to the same or nearby locations.

- A Ride Share can be set up between two or more people.
- Ride Share
 participants can take
 turns driving or one
 person may drive
 every commute.

Since the invention of cars, people have shared rides.





Ride Share enabled people to take jobs and opportunities that were previously not possible.



In this photo from 1944, co-workers share a ride to their job working the night shift at a factory.





During the oil embargo of the 1970's, one in five American workers shared a ride to their job with a co-worker.





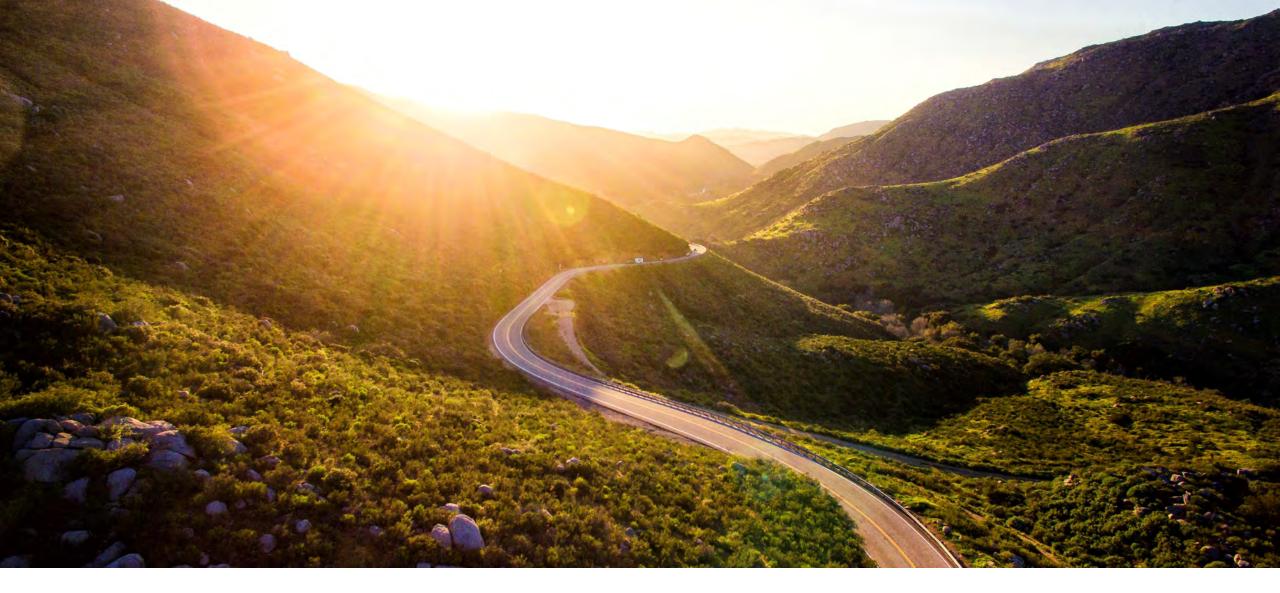
But Ride Share statistics decreased as more people owned their own car.



By 2015:

Nine out of ten people drive alone in a car to work.





Why Ride Share?





Why Ride Share? Save money

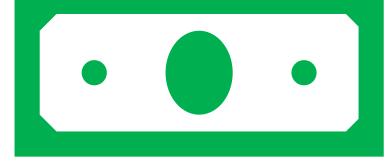
The average car consumes 550 gallons of gas each year.

Ride Sharing allows you to share the cost of gas and parking with other riders.

The more participants in your Ride Share, the more you save.







Ride Share savings

For a person who commutes more than 12 miles to work, sharing gas expenses with even just one rider can add up to a savings of \$1,500 per year.

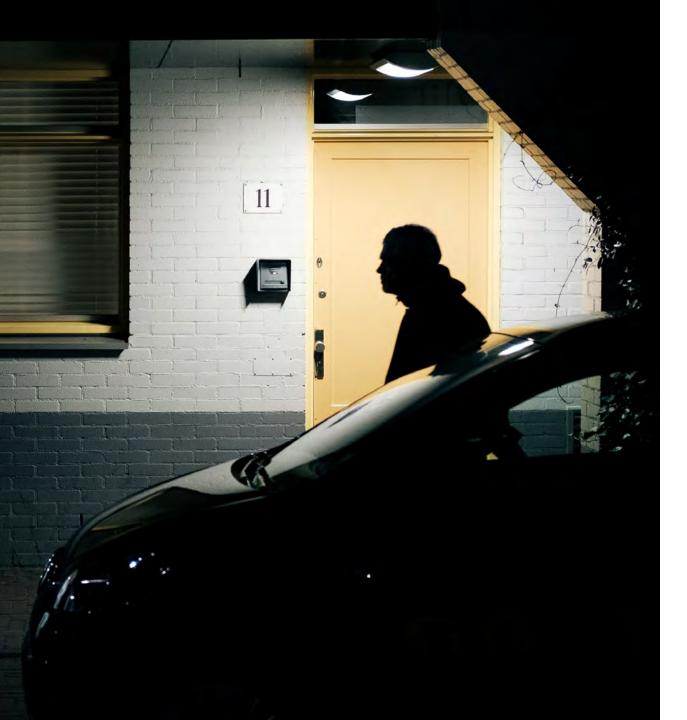


Why Ride Share? Reduce pollution

Fewer cars on the road means less greenhouse gas emissions - linked to respiratory affects, cardiovascular disease, and allergies.

By ride sharing, you help improve air quality and reduce health risks for yourself and future generations.





Why Ride Share? Less stress

Research suggests that a ride share is less stressful than commuting alone.



Why Ride Share? Reduce traffic

Every Ride Share participant takes another car off the road, which means less congested roads and highways.

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Why Ride Share? Use the fast lane

Many major cities have carpool lanes that are reserved for cars with two or more passengers.

These lanes have less traffic, leading to faster commute times for those who Ride Share.





Why Ride Share? Save time

The average American spends 434 hours in their car each year.

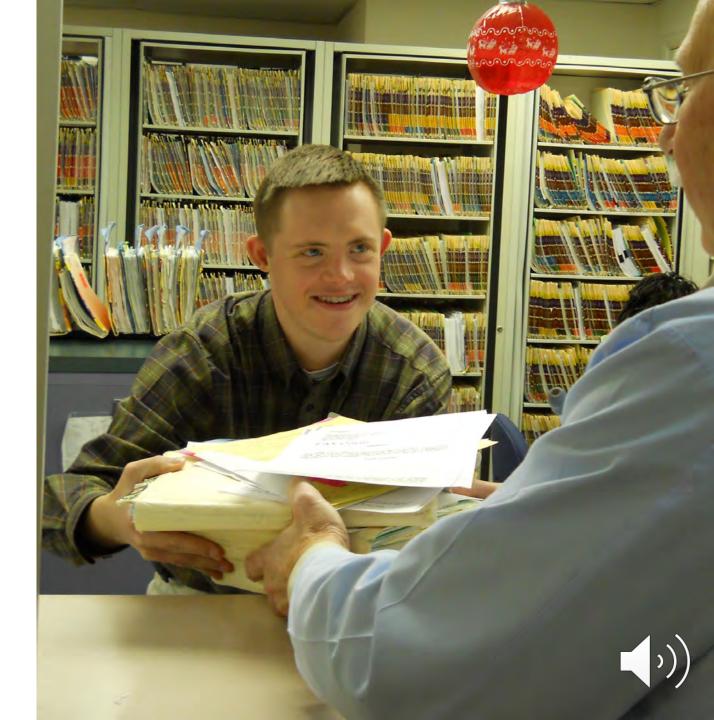
Participating in a Ride Share allows you to check and answer email, read the news, check bank balances, or even close your eyes for a few minutes before starting your day.



Why Ride Share? Offer options

Where public transit service is limited or non-existent, Ride Sharing may be the best option available for individuals who don't drive to get to work or school.

Ride Sharing is a great way to provide a benefit to ourselves and others.





Why Ride Share? Create community

Ride sharing is a great way to make new friends.





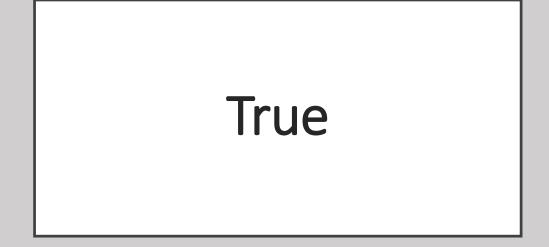
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Create Ride Share Agreements

Envision your Ride Share Needs

Are you a potential rider, driver – or both?

Write up an "ad" so you have something clear to communicate.

Creating a ride share plan: Sam



Sample Plan:

I want a part time job. My job coach told me to think about transportation.

I want to ask family, friends, neighbors, and people at church to help me start a ride share.

Having a job will allow me to chip in up to .50 cents per mile for a ride.

The first few weeks, Vocational Rehabilitation will help with the cost. Once I start making a paycheck, I will pay for my ride share myself. I will make a budget for my rides.



Creating a ride share plan: Toni



Sample Plan:

I work the day shift at Cooper Manufacturing. With a child in day care, my budget is tight. One way I can balance my budget is through a ride share.

I can pick up a co-worker near my home or on the way to my child's day care. They can help with my gas expenses.

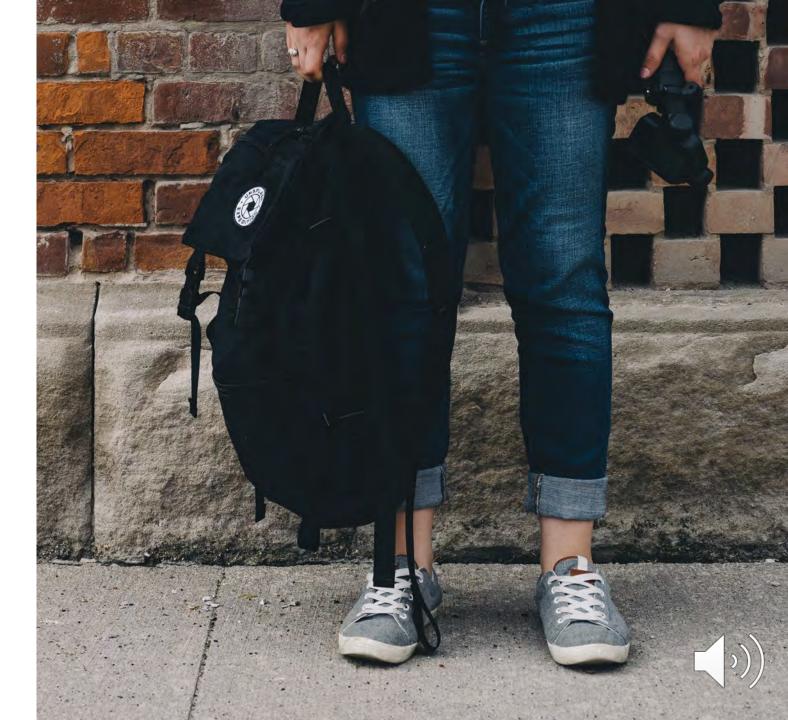
I will talk to my boss to see if he will mention it at our next shift meeting. I can also ask to put up a sign in the break rooms.



Find participants

Let people know you are starting a Ride Share.

You may be able to get ride offers or find passengers quicker than you think.



Ride Share suggestions with friends and neighbors:

Write a short note to send to friends and family

Post a social media message

Talk to neighbors

Speak with connections at your church or organization

Ride Share suggestions at work:



Talk to your boss about making an announcement at a meeting



Post a flyer in the break room or restroom



Talk to your human resource officer about sending an email



Set Ride Share rules

What are the pickup and drop-off locations?

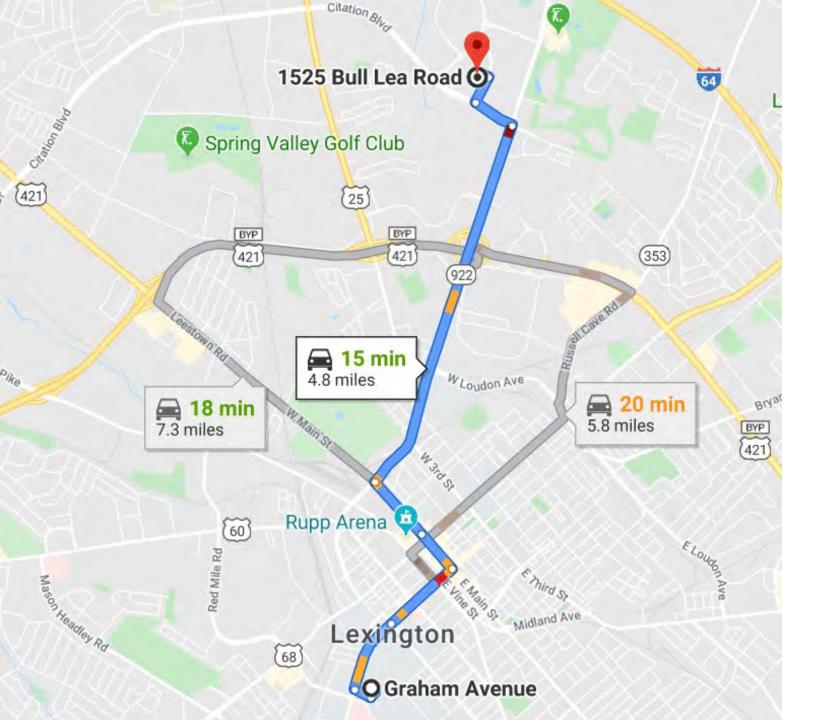
How long will the ride share wait if someone is late?

How will ride share participants notify each other?

Is gas reimbursement done weekly or monthly?

How will cancellations/sick days be handled?





Map it

Use a mapping tool to:

- plan the best route
- set leave times
- calculate mileage



Set the Ride Share rates

To consider the payment a Ride Share and not taxable income, the rider fee must fall under the IRS mileage reimbursement rate.

To view the current IRS mileage reimbursement rate:

https://www.irs.gov/tax-professionals/standard-mileage-rates





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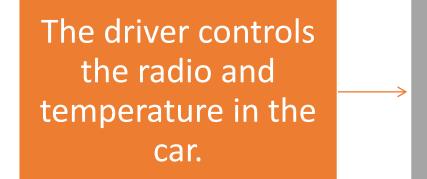
57.5 cents per mile

Better late than never: The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has issued the 2020 standard mileage rates. Beginning on January 1, 2020, the standard mileage rates for the use of a car, van, pickup or panel truck will be: **57.5 cents per mile** for business miles driven (down from **58 cents** in 2019) Jan 1, 2020





Ride Share courtesy



Passengers don't make conversation unless the driver initiates it. Don't eat or drink in the car unless the driver says you may.

Don't give/take a ride if you are sick and contagious. If you are the driver, don't make extra stops unless the riders agree.



Make a backup plan

On occasion, things may come up. A driver may be sick, a car may break down, or other conflicts may come up.

A backup plan might include:

- A family member who can pitch in on occasion
- A co-worker who can help out
- Requesting a day off work
- Money set aside for a taxi



Make it official

Drivers and riders may wish to sign a Ride Share agreement so that arrangements and expectations are clear.

See our sample Ride Share Agreement for more assistance.





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Which of the following is true when considering a rideshare arrangement as non-taxable income:

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Ride Share Frequently Asked Questions



Ride Share: Is it a business?

A Ride Share is not a business

Ride Share drivers who are reimbursed no more than the IRS mileage reimbursement rate per mile (57.5 cents per mile in 2020) are not operating as a business.



Ride Share: Do I need auto insurance?

All vehicles on the road must be insured

As usual, drivers must insure their automobile.

Ride sharing does not require a commercial insurance policy.

Ride Share riders are considered car passengers, like in any automobile trip.



Ride Share: Taxable income?

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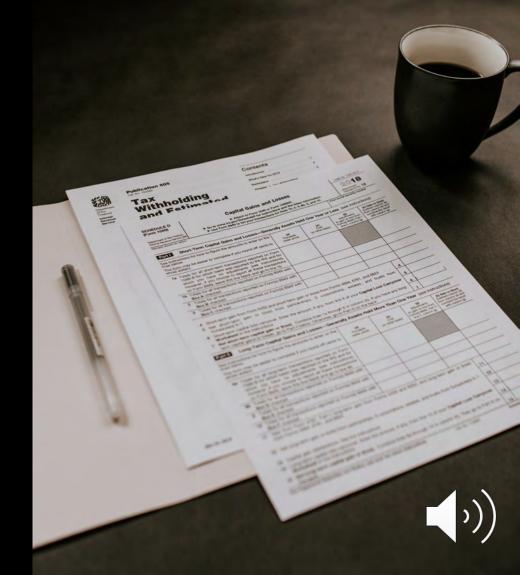
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Ride Share payments are not taxable income

Ride Sharing helps riders and drivers share transportation expenses.

A rider reimburses the driver in an amount equal to or less than the cost of the drive.

By staying under the IRS mileage reimbursement rate, reimbursement to a driver does not qualify as taxable income.





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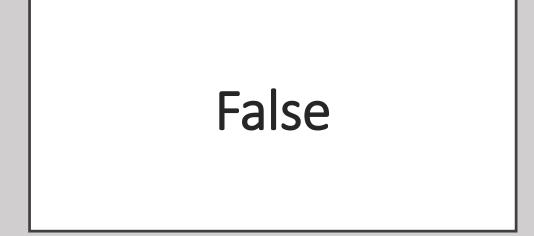
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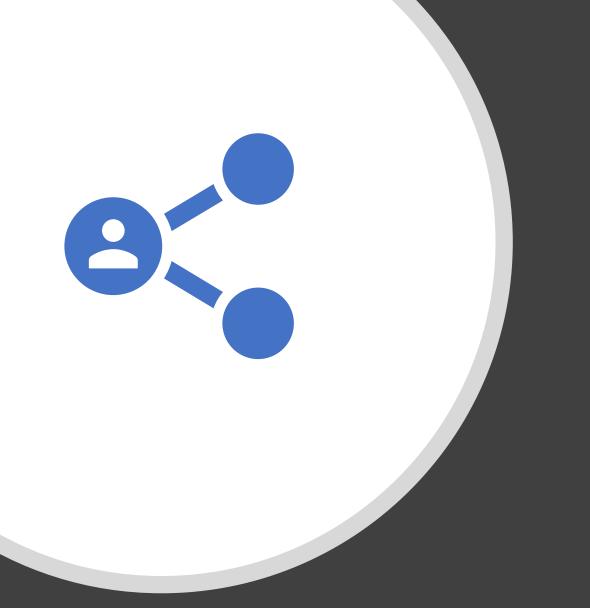
Payments to a Ride Share driver are considered taxable income by the IRS.





Payments to a Ride Share driver are up to 57.5 cents per mile as of 2020 are NOT considered taxable income by the IRS.





Assist with Ride Share planning



Ride Share planning tools

Tools are available to assist with Ride Share planning on the Transportation website at:

https://transportation.hdiuky.org/





Download a Ride Share signup sheet



Use a signup sheet to gather names, addresses, and information

Ride Share Signup Sheet

Name:

Home address:

Phone number:

Rider, Driver, or Both:



Download a Ride Share planning spreadsheet

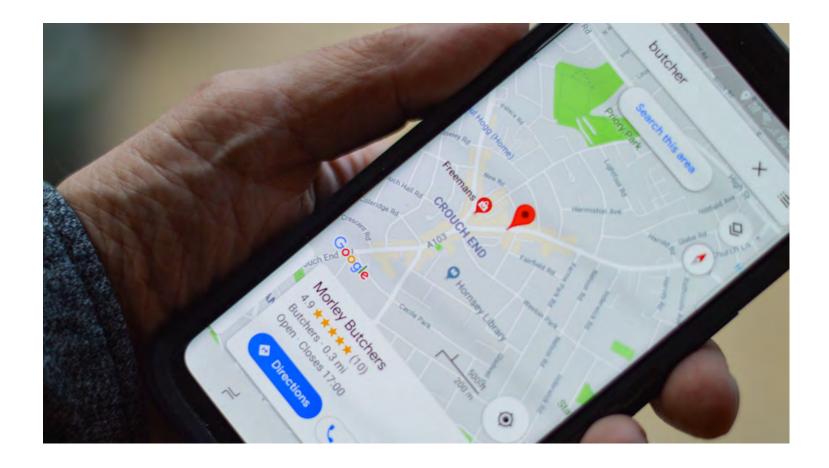


Use the Ride Share Planning excel file to manage participant information.



Names, addresses, contact numbers, and other information may be collected in the spreadsheet.

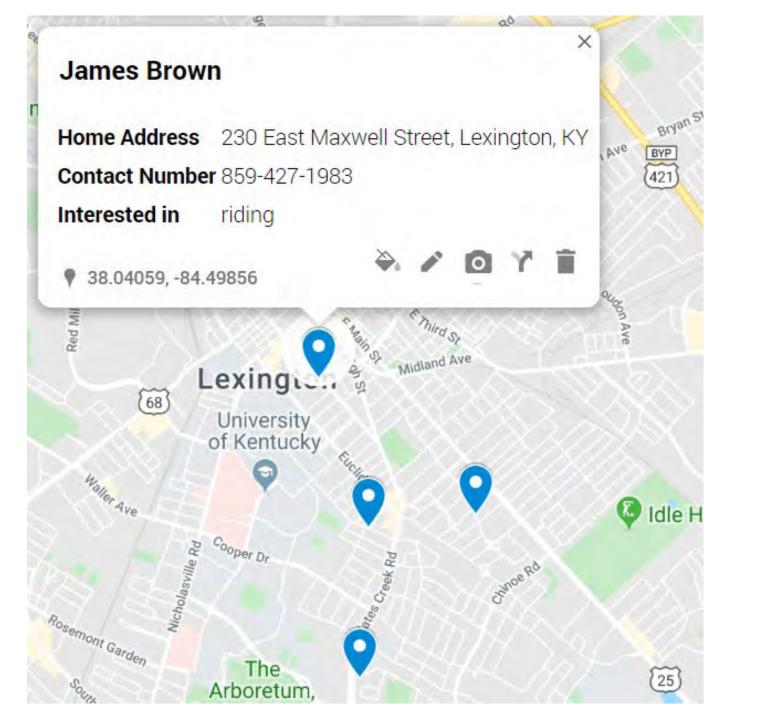
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3	Terry Lyle	300 Fincastle Road, Lexington, KY	859-273-3425	riding
4	Ron Smith	672 Turkey Foot Road, Lexington, KY	859-235-9086	driving
5	Lonny Jackson	125 Sunset Drive, Lexington, KY	859-231-2455	driving or riding
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Create a digital Ride Share map

Go to Google Maps: https://www.google.com/maps/d/

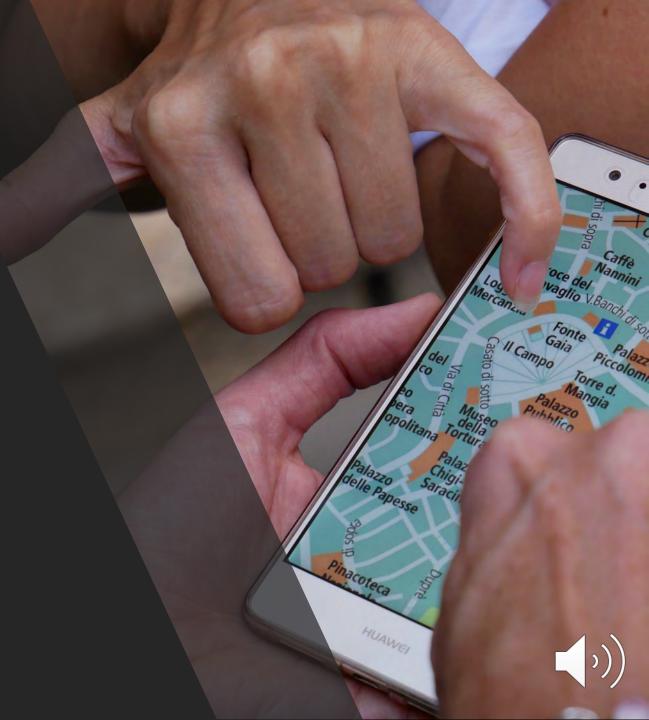
- Enter your city to create a map
- Click "add a layer" and <u>import</u> the excel spreadsheet
- When asked which column for placemarks, choose "home address"
- When asked which column for labels, choose "name"



Google maps will import the excel file names and addresses, creating a custom digital map.



This custom digital map can be shared with the Ride Share drivers.





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The DRIVER agrees te:

- 1. Provide a clean car in safe operating conditions for daily commuting by the riders.
- Drive the car daily to/bon work according to the established mate and schedule.
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 Collect fares and issue receipts on or before the first day of the month.
- 5. Provide complete insurance coverage for the operation of the carpoch/surpool.

The RIDER agrees in:

Rider Signature:

Pay a full fare on or before the first day of each month. Abide by all rules established for the parpool/surpool.

- Abide by all rates established for the carponivarpool.
 Notify the driver in advance of all anticipated absences.
- 4. Provide bisher own alternative transportation when carpool is unavailable.

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Make it official

Use the sample Ride Share Agreement or customize your own to set clear expectations for rider and driver.





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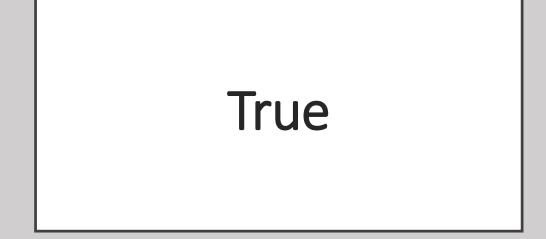


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While Ride Sharing isn't new...



Ride Share apps are a new way to share rides and the costs of commuting



Waze Carpool is an app that lets you drive or ride with people already going your way.

Drivers and riders with similar commutes to work or school can team up and ride together through the app.



Unlike taxi apps like Uber or Lyft, Waze Carpool does not pay drivers or charge a commission on rides.



Waze Carpool:

Riders pay no more than the IRS reimbursement rate per mile.

Drivers do not earn taxable income or pay fees.

App use is limited to two trips per day.

Waze Carpool uses advertisements in the app to make money.

Drivers: Use the Waze app



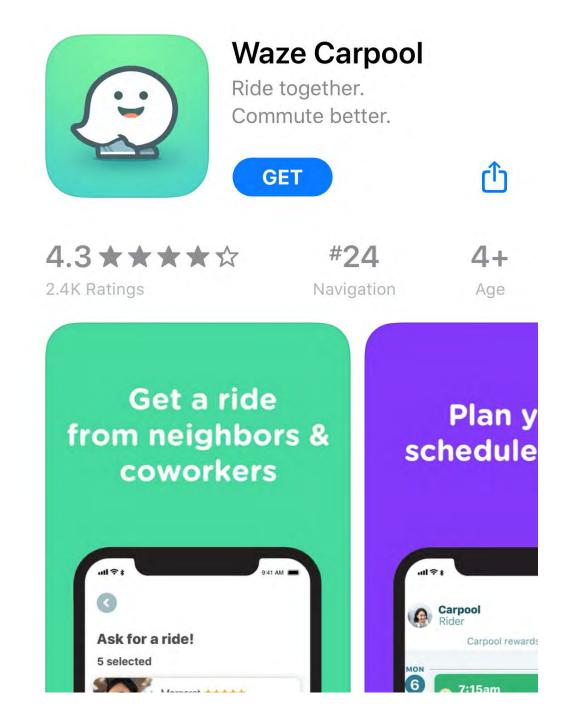
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Riders: Use the Waze Carpool app



Waze Carpool basics

Your home and work address are kept private and only shared when you accept a carpool match.

Drivers can verify their work (or school) email address to be matched with coworkers (or classmates).

Drivers can specify the number of available seats and car make & model to make it easier for the rider to find.

Riders can see driver ratings and compare the mileage reimbursement rate of available drivers.



Profile settings

Drivers can set their ride rules within their profile on the app, on topics such as:

- Chatting
- Smoking
- Pets

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	l prefer a quiet ride
	Cancel

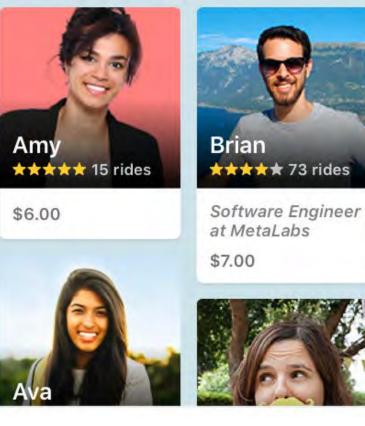


Offering or accepting rides is as simple as clicking in the app.

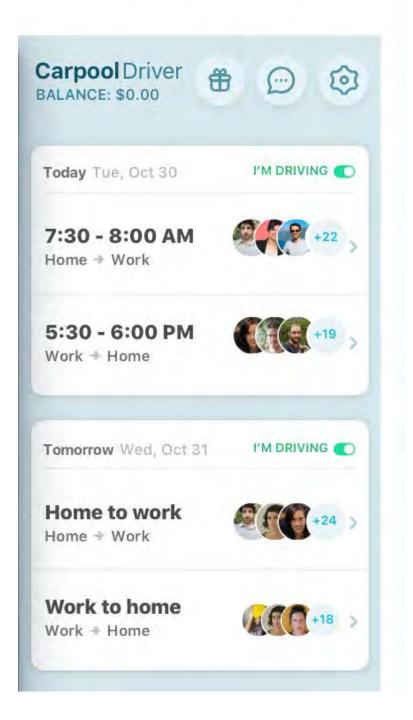
Offer people rides

Tuesday, 7:30 - 8:00 AM Home → Work









Drivers can review the carpool calendar and set their availability in advance.



Day off?

Waze Carpool allows users to set which days they would like to Ride Share and click a button to turn off days they don't.

This evening

I want to carpool 🕖



Riders won't be able to ask you for a ride

Apply to every week

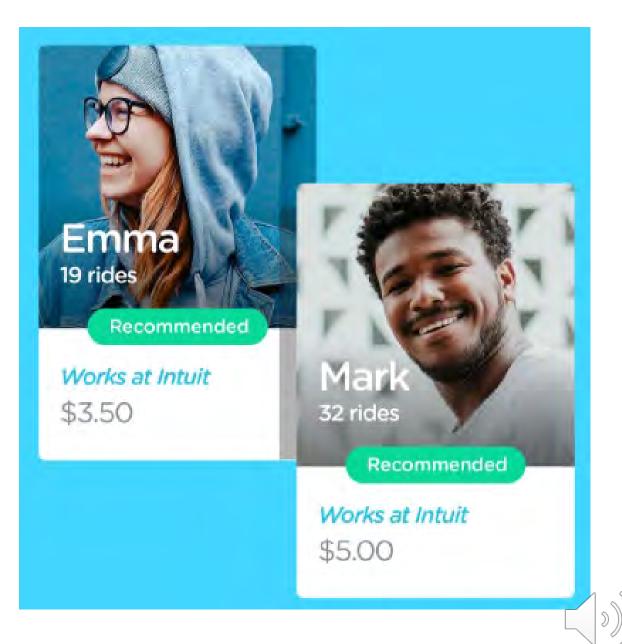
To find you more riders, Waze may list pickup & drop-off points along your route on Moovit

Save



You can limit your matches to show only:

- Coworkers or classmates
- Riders of the same gender
- People with whom you share mutual friends



Invite friends

Waze and Waze Carpool allow you to invite friends to join the app.

Sending invites helps you increase your chances of finding a ride within your network.

Get money in your account when you invite friends.

How Invites Work

- Friends you invite to Waze Carpool get a \$20 gift.
- You get \$20 when they complete a ride.
- Get up to 10 gifts (\$200) when you get your friends carpooling.

Give \$20, get \$20

Invite friends and get \$20 when they complete a ride.

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Learn more

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Ride Payment

All payments are handled through the app. Drivers can transfer out their payments each month.

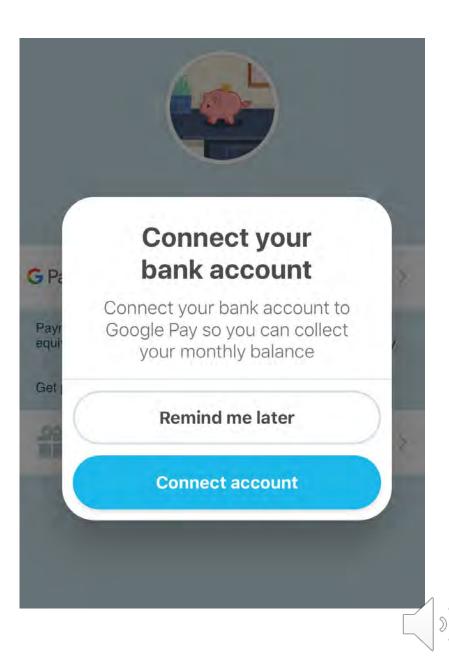


Ride Payment

Waze processes payments through Google Pay.

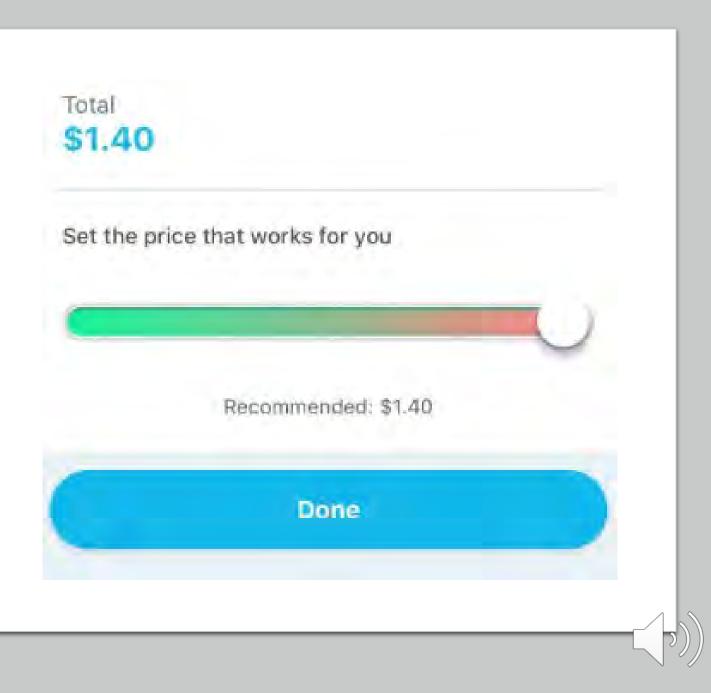
Connect your bank account to Google Pay to easily transfer funds.

Riders can connect their method of payment – including ABLE account cards as a payment source.



Ride Rates

Adjust the ride share cost using the sliding button, up to the maximum IRS reimbursement rate (currently 58 cents per mile).



Limits with Waze Carpool

Waze Carpool will only match a driver with passengers for 2 trips per day.

Waze Carpool drivers may charge no more than than the IRS reimbursement rate.

Participants must be 18 years of age or older.





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Partner with Waze Carpool

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Community Based Supports

Ride Sharing services like Waze Carpool can help individuals develop community-based transportation supports – especially in areas where public transit options do not exist.





How can agencies, employers, schools, and service professionals partner with Waze Carpool?



Partner with Waze Carpool Employers or groups can complete the steps to partner with Waze Carpool through the website: https://www.waze.com/carpool/companies?city=Mountain%20View

Partner with Waze Carpool to change the way employees get to work. It's 100% free.



Partner with Waze Carpool

Santa Monica College partnered with Waze Carpool.

In the first month, 800 students, faculty, and staff signed up.





Access to Metrics

There is no cost to partner with Waze Carpool.

Partners gain access to metrics on the impact of their Ride Share initiative.



Create Waze Carpool groups

Carpool groups can be created easily within the Waze app.

These groups remain private and require an invitation.



Carpool groups

Create a group of people you want to carpool with regularly

Create new group



Create a group for your work, school, neighborhood, or a favorite destination

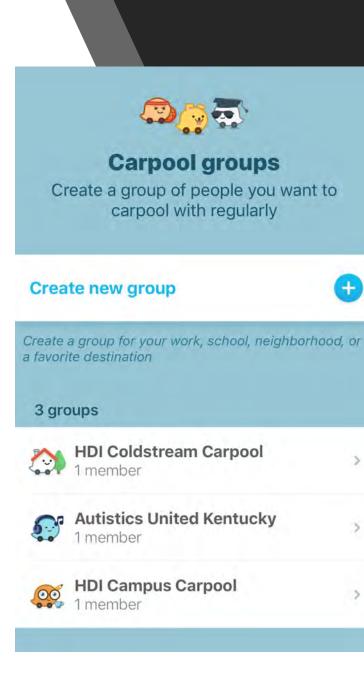


Groups can be created for:

- Clubs
- Agencies
- Employers
- Schools
- Churches
- Civic organizations
- Neighborhoods







- Add members by invitation within the app, email or text message, or through an invite code.
- Participate in more than one carpool group.





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Waze Carpool Groups

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C.Tax credits

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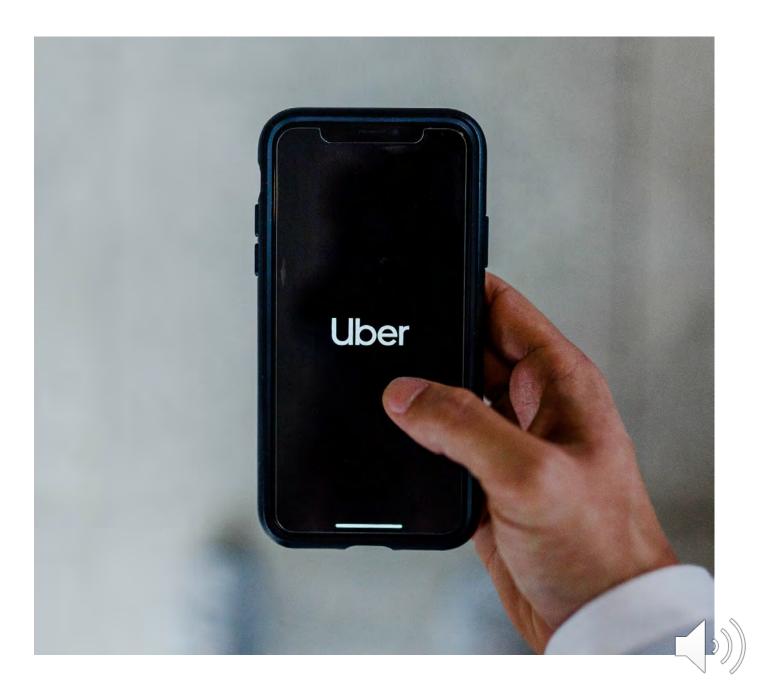
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Uber & Lyft



Uber and Lyft: Ride Sharing?

Though often called Ride Share services, Uber and Lyft drivers essentially operate as private taxis.





Uber and Lyft

Uber and Lyft passengers are not sharing a ride with someone who owns a car and is going in the same direction. Instead, Uber and Lyft drivers provide fee-for-service transportation.





Uber and Lyft are both for-profit, publicly traded companies.



Profit-Based Model

Uber processes over 14 million rides per day across the United States and leads all ridesharing companies with a staggering \$62 billion net worth.

Lyft's estimated value is \$23 billion.

Uber and Lyft: Pros and Cons





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Since Uber and Lyft don't have to maintain fleet cars or pay for commercial insurance, their rates can be cheaper than a taxi. During "surge" pricing (when ride demand is high) Uber and Lyft rides can cost as much or more than a city taxi.

Uber and Lyft: Pros and Cons

Uber and Lyft, where available, operate 24/7.

However, these apps do not have drivers available in all locations. Finding accessible vehicles in Uber or Lyft can be problematic.



Uber & Lyft: Bottom Line



Average trip cost is \$2 per mile



The minimum fare ranges from \$4 to \$7



Short trips are more expensive per mile than longer trips.



A rider traveling just a few blocks will pay the same minimum as one riding three to four miles.





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Ride Share: Potential Savings

For a person with a longer than average commute (more than 12 miles one way) who is carpooling 250 days a year, the potential savings in a two-person carpool would exceed \$1,500.





Calculate potential savings with a Ride Share Savings Calculator



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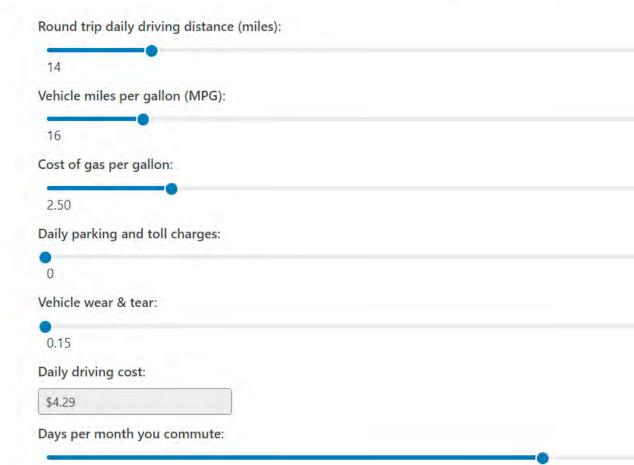
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▼ Ride Share Savings Calculator

Use our Ride Share Savings Calculator to determine the potential savings for your commute.



Use the slider buttons to enter the commute distance, average gas mileage for your vehicle, the current price of gas, any parking fees or tolls paid, the anticipated wear and tear rate on your vehicle, and the number of days you commute per month.



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Days per month you commute:

20

Monthly cost of commute:

\$85.80

Annual cost of commute:

\$1029.60

Number of riders in car:

3

Monthly cost of commute per person:

\$28.60

Annual cost of commute per person:

\$343.20

The Ride Share Savings Calculator will display your anticipated monthly and yearly commute cost and potential savings based on number or participating riders.





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Ride Share Savings Calculator

What information is needed to use the Ride Share Savings Calculator?

- A. The commute distance in miles.
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