

Reinvent Your Commute!

Dive into a new carpool or vanpool this summer. Sharing a ride is a great way to make driving more enjoyable. Plus, it helps to keep the air clean and can save you money. Carpooling with just one other person can cut your daily commute costs in half. And if all drivers doubled up, it would cut traffic congestion and air pollution substantially.

Other reasons to carpool or vanpool:

- Let someone else do the driving while you eat breakfast, catch up on emails or take a nap.
- Carpooling or vanpooling can help significantly reduce the amount of pollutants put into the air each year.
- Less wear and tear on your car! Individual cost savings can be realized through reduced vehicle
 maintenance costs (e.g., less frequent oil and air filter changes) and fewer fuel purchases. Also,
 some insurance companies offer low-mileage discounts to policyholders who carpool to work or
 drive a lower-than-average number of miles each year.

Interested in carpooling? Visit <u>CommuteSolutions.com</u> to learn more about carpooling, including carpooling basics and carpool etiquette.

Interested in vanpooling? Capital Metro sponsors a vanpool program operated by V-Ride, a national vanpool service provider. To create or join a vanpool, register here or call 512-477-RIDE.

It all adds up to cleaner air!