

It just makes sense!

An example

Joe joins the program and lives 10 miles from work. He obtains a free bus pass and starts using Intercity transit for his daily commute.

At the end of the year this yields:

- \$500 added to his annual pay from taxable incentive payouts.
- \$300+ of Capitol Campus parking fees saved.
- \$800 in fuel savings, not to mention less oil changes and less vehicle maintenance costs.
- 4000 Lbs of Carbon Dioxide were stopped from being emitted into the atmosphere
- Joe has added walking activity to his daily routine and found a great way to decompress from the day.

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Questions?
Contact CTR Program Manager:

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Commute Trip Reduction (CTR) Program

Save some trips and make some cash.



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Commute Trip Reduction

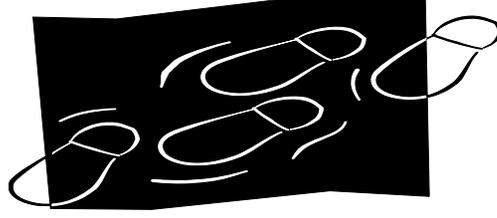
Why should I consider joining?
The Commute Trip Reduction Program is a great way to save money, reduce emissions, network with new people, and live a healthier lifestyle.

How do I qualify?
You need to use an alternate mode of transportation for at least 60 trips per quarter and for 60% of your commute distance each way.

What is an alternative mode?
Biking, transit, walking, telecommuting, carpool, and vanpool are all considered alternative modes of transportation.

For more details on the program check out the OFM Intranet page:

<http://sp.des.wa.gov/insideOFM/tc/ctr/Pages/default.aspx>



Walking to work can help your heart and add some cash to your wallet.

How do I get started?

Visit the OFM Intranet page <http://sp.des.wa.gov/insideOFM/tc/ctr/Pages/default.aspx> to learn about the qualifications to sign up. Then visit <http://www.rideshareonline.com> and register for an online calendar account. Use your work email address and you will get linked up with OFM's CTR network so you can receive quarterly payouts.

How much \$\$ can I make?

OFM pays \$1/trip with a maximum of \$2/day. If you were to carpool for all the working days in a quarter you could earn over \$100 (taxable) paid to you at the end of the quarter in your paycheck. If you Vanpool you can sign up to be paid a set monthly \$40 reimbursement (non-taxable). Not only will your paycheck be bigger but you will also be saving money on fuel and maintenance.

How do I claim the trips for \$\$?

Sign up for a rideshareonline.com account and track your trips on their calendar. Your commute statistics will be collected and you will know how much less impact you are making on the planet by choosing to commute smarter!

Still got questions?

Check out the intranet site first and if that doesn't answer them feel free to contact the facilities office for assistance. Nadia Sarno @ 902-0618

Resources:

STAR Pass Program—Provides you with 24-7 access to Intercity Transit Bus system for **FREE**. Email us at facilities@ofm.wa.gov to ask for one.

Rideshareonline.com

Find folks to share the ride with and keep track of your trips for payouts. <http://www.rideshareonline.com/>

Guaranteed Ride Home

Don't worry about getting home if you have an emergency or a sudden schedule change. Learn more about the Guaranteed Ride Home Program. <http://sp.des.wa.gov/insideOFM/tc/ctr/Pages/Safe-Ride-Home.aspx>

One Bus Away App

It is easy to find out when the next bus is coming! Check out this great app. <http://onebusaway.org/>

WSDOT

<http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/choices/>

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