

Why Join RideShare?



CLEANER COMMUTING

Clean commuting not only produces visibly cleaner air and reduces greenhouse gas emissions, it also reduces the traffic congestion and the need to build more roads.



EARN REWARDS

When you log your trips with RideShare, you automatically earn points that count toward rewards and discounts from businesses.



SAVE MONEY

By using alternative modes of transportation, you can save on expenses such as gas, car repairs, and parking.



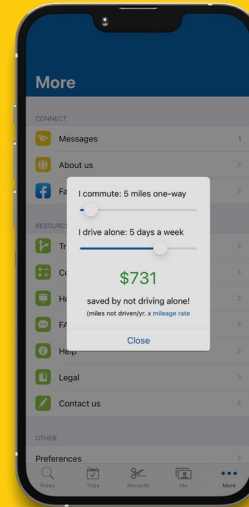
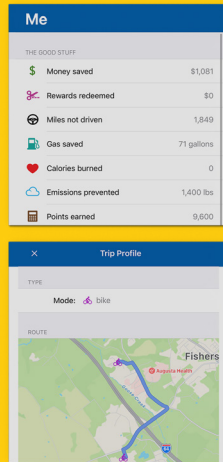
GUARANTEED RIDE HOME

RideShare users only need to enter alternative transportation commutes twice a week to use our guaranteed ride home program.



MORE FREEDOM

Reclaim your commute time. When you're not driving, you can use your commute time for other things. Like, exercising on your bike or walk trip. Or reading a book on your bus ride home. Arrive home less stressed.



THREE EASY WAYS TO REGISTER FOR rideSHARE



Option 1: Visit our website www.rideshareinfo.org (scan QR code) and create an account to register.



Option 2: Download the [ConnectingVA app](#) (links on our website), and create an account to register.



Option 3: Call RideShare at [1-888-974-5500](tel:1-888-974-5500) and request assistance to register for RideShare.

Scan the QR code to visit our website!



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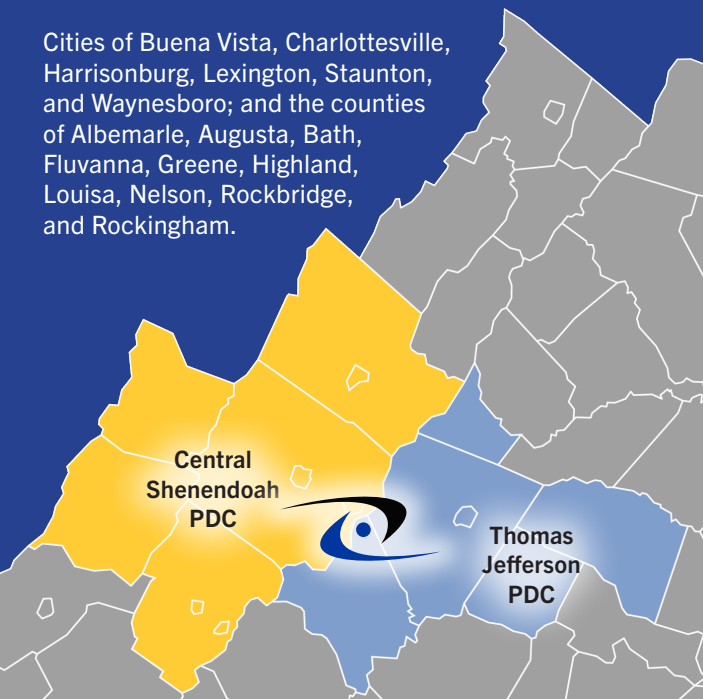
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A program by the Thomas Jefferson and Central Shenandoah Planning Commissions. Major funding provided by the Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation.

The goal of RideShare is to reduce single-occupant vehicle trips and promote carpooling, walking, biking, and transit use throughout the region.

We serve anyone commuting into or out of the Central Shenandoah Valley and Central Virginia:

Cities of Buena Vista, Charlottesville, Harrisonburg, Lexington, Staunton, and Waynesboro; and the counties of Albemarle, Augusta, Bath, Fluvanna, Greene, Highland, Louisa, Nelson, Rockbridge, and Rockingham.



Carpool and Vanpool

RideShare is a **FREE** carpool matching and vanpool coordination service to help commuters find others with similar routes and schedules who want to share the ride to work or school.

- RideShare **maintains a database of commuters** who are interested in carpooling
- Commuters interested in carpooling **complete a RideShare application**
- Rideshare searches its database for commuters with **similar schedules and destinations** and informs the commuter of matches (if any) by email or mail.
- RideShare also helps with the **coordination of vanpools** (a group of commuters riding together in a leased van, ideal for commuting long distances).



Alternative Transportation

RideShare promotes and provides commuters with information on other **alternatives to driving alone** such as public transit, walking, biking, or scooter.

Transit systems within our region include:

- JAUNT
- CAT
- BRITE
- HDPT
- RATS
- Afton Express

Guaranteed Ride Home

RideShare commuters that use alternate transportation at least twice a week are able to **receive a free ride home** via taxi or rental car in the event of an emergency. GRH is a **safety net**, allowing commuters to feel confident using commuting options like carpools and transit while contributing to traffic reduction and cleaner air.

LEARN MORE AT WWW.RIDESHAREINFO.ORG

It's easy to track your cycling or walking trips!

Simply sync your favorite fitness tracker with the RideShare app to log your trips and earn rewards.

