# Get Behind the Wheel of a Better Commute

Become a Pace Vanpool Driver



**How it Works** 

Volunteers drive, riders share the costs and Pace manages the program.

#### Pace Vanpooling includes:

- Smoke-free Pace van A minivan for up to 7 participants and a conversion van for larger groups.
- Fuel & van washes
- Maintenance
- Roadside assistance
- Insurance Pace provides automobile liability coverage for authorized drivers.
- All Illinois Tollway tolls
- A Guaranteed Ride Home

For personal emergencies, the backup driver fills in and you get up to \$125 per year for transportation. This does not apply to overtime.

• Guidance Pace provides driver training and assigns a representative to assist.

## **Drive and Save**

As the primary drivers in a qualifying group of 3 or more commuters, you participate for FREE.

#### **Backup driver monthly fare discount:**

- \$25 off Full-time participant
- \$15 off Part-time participant (3 days or less per week)



## **Drive with Pace**

Transportation costs are a major expense and closely related to job security. Unreliable transportation can mean a lost job. So, many drivers are parking their vehicles and turning to Pace Vanpooling.

Imagine yourself in a reliable, fully insured Pace van. With NO COSTS as a primary Vanpool driver.



Be your own boss. All drivers are volunteers and not Pace employees or contract workers.

Pace Vanpooling means your commute to work could be entirely FREE. Plus, at home, you can reduce car ownership, wear and tear on your own vehicle and possibly the costs on your personal auto insurance.

### **Traditional and Feeder Vans**

Vanpoolers live or work in Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry or Will counties. Groups range in size from 4-14 passengers.

### TRADITIONAL

For traveling between home and work.

### **PERSONAL MILES**

Primary drivers receive 300 personal miles per month which can be banked up to 500 miles for future use.

### PARKING

Vans must be parked off the street.

## lt's Easy to Get Started

- Create a group of 3+ commuters who have similar commutes and work schedules including hybrid and telework shifts.
- 2 To assist with forming a group, visit **PaceVanpool.com** to:
  - Search our database of commuters
  - Download our "Join my Group" flyer
  - Encourage your HR to reach out to Pace
    - For distributing marketing materials
    - To set up a vanpool event
- 3 Identify a backup driver or two who could drive full or part-time
- 4 Complete the application and submit all forms together

### FEEDER

For a first or last mile connection to and from bus, train, and park-and-ride locations.

### **PERSONAL MILES**

Vans are allowed 600 miles per month for work, maintenance, lunch, errands, etc.

### PARKING

Overnight and weekend parking could depend on availability and lot rules.

### **Driver Requirements**

#### All drivers must...

- be at least 23 years of age
- have at least 3 years of driving experience
- be in possession of minimum Illinois collision and comprehensive insurance coverage for their own personal vehicle(s). Cancellation/non-renewal within the past 3 years will be closely analyzed.
- be accident-free for 3 years
- be free of felony convictions and license suspensions/revocations
- otherwise, be violation-free for the past 2 years (except parking citations)
- pass a credit check, DOT physical and drug test and complete the Pace Vanpool Defensive Driver Training Course

Visit PaceVanpool.com to view all the requirments and applications.

# **Contact Us**

PaceVanpool.com (847) 593-7665



Operating for over 30 years, Pace Vanpool is a public transportation program.

### **Why Choose Pace**

We can create a better experience. Each Vanpool formed:

- Reduces a household's expenses by \$10,000+ per year
- Provides job access and keeps our economy growing
- Lessens traffic and removes cars from the road
- Improves the environment and our health



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