

If you are a Smart Commuter*, meaning you walk, bike, take transit, carpool, vanpool or ride as a passenger on a ferry to work in Kitsap County, you're eligible for a free, guaranteed ride home in case of an emergency.

*must be a registered with Kitsap Transit. Go to kitsaptransit.com/rider-resources/smart-commuter to register.

How it works

- 1. Have a qualifying emergency (see below)
- 2. Arrange for a ride in a taxi, Uber or Lyft (or equivalent)
- 3. Pay for the trip and keep the receipt
- 4. Submit a reimbursement request (your request and receipt(s) must be received within 30 days of the trip)
- 5. Get reimbursed up to \$125 (tips/gratuity not included)

Qualifying emergencies

- √ Illness or crisis experienced by you or an immediate family member
- √ Carpool or vanpool ride is unavailable due to unexpected changes in the driver's schedule or vehicle breakdown
- √ Bicycle problem including flat tire, mechanical failure, vandalism, or theft
- √ Required, unexpected overtime that the employee was not aware of before the start of the workday. Supervisor authorization is required.
- $\sqrt{}$ Home emergency, such as a break-in, fire, flood, or other emergency that occurs at your residence

Who can use GRH?

You are eligible to use GRH if you commute to work or college in Kitsap County* and use an alternative transportation option such as public transit (bus or ferry as a walk-on passenger), carpool, vanpool, bicycle, or walk on the day of the qualifying emergency.

*If you are in a Kitsap Transit Vanpool and your employer is outside of Kitsap County, and your employer does not have a GRH program of their own, you will qualify as well.

How can I learn more?

Visit the website for more information and complete program rules. KitsapTransit.com/GRH



