



# METRO

## RideShare Program

### Member's/Driver's Child Rider Agreement Addendum

(Commute Trip Rides Only)

RideShare member's or driver's child(ren) may ride in the van during the commute trip if the conditions listed below are met. The RideShare member or driver must then sign this form. This completed Agreement Addendum must be submitted to the RideShare office prior to the member's/driver's child(ren) riding with the Car/Vanpool group during the commute trip.

Member's children may commute with the Car/Vanpool group under the following conditions:

- RideShare members agree to allow child(ren) to ride during the commute trip.
- The child's trip is secondary to the commute trip; it is along the established commute route; and it will not increase the commute trip mileage. Or you drop-off the child(ren) before the commute trip begins.
- The child is not a regular Car/Vanpool member (s/he cannot be counted towards the minimum member requirement) and pays no fare. A child cannot fill a seat that is needed by a RideShare member.
- All children must be accompanied by his/her parent while riding. Young children must be secured properly in federally approved car safety seats, older children to ride in safety belts and according to applicable law.
- The child's parent/guardian must sign an agreement specifying that the child will be properly secured in a child restraint seat or seat belt while riding in the van.
- Small children must never be allowed to ride in the front seat of the RideShare vehicle at any time.

#### AGREEMENT

I agree to abide by the requirements listed above when commuting with my child in the Capital Metro Car/Vanpool vehicle. A bodily injury sustained by a young child rider, who was not secured properly and according to the law, will be the responsibility of the parent or guardian of the child.

I indemnify and hold harmless Capital Metropolitan Transportation Authority, the Driver (s), its authorized agents and employees from all claims, actions, costs, damages or expenses of any nature whatsoever by myself or my child(ren) arising out of or resulting from any delays, tardiness, failure to make an appropriate or scheduled pick up, absence of the car/van or termination of the program. I also agree to release the Driver(s) and Capital Metro from liability claims and demands for personal injury; from negligent conduct, loss, theft, or damage to personal property for myself or my child(ren).

#### SIGNATURES

NOTICE: All information submitted to CAPITAL METRO constitutes and is presumed to be public record and as such, may be subject to disclosure under the Texas Public Information Act, unless an exception under such Act is applicable.

PRINT Primary/Alternate Driver Name	Vanpool/Carpool Unit Number
Primary/Alternate Driver Signature	Date

PRINT Member Name	Vanpool/Carpool Unit Number
Member Signature	Vanpool/Carpool Unit Number

RideShare Staff Member Signature	Date

The member must sign the form and then the driver must sign it as well. The child may ride in the Van/Carpool vehicle as soon as the driver has signed the form.

1. The primary driver faxes or sends an electronic copy of the Child Rider Agreement Addendum to the RideShare office.
2. **The driver must notify the RideShare office that the fax or email was sent (call 512-389-7591) – leaving a telephone message is adequate.**
3. The driver keeps a copy of the fax confirmation form and the original agreement for two weeks.