

Community Van

Driven by the community, for the community!



July Highlights!

Looking for Volunteers in Snoqualmie Valley.

As Community Van expands into Snoqualmie Valley, we are looking for more volunteer drivers in North Bend, Snoqualmie, Fall City, and Preston! Become a Community Van driver today and serve your community! Want to volunteer by driving others around but don't want to use your own personal vehicle? Prevent wear and tear on your vehicle by using our Community Van to volunteer. We cover the cost of gas, tolls, maintenance, and insurance in the Community Van. Join and participate in our volunteer appreciation events! Borrow the van for less than \$2.75 per rider! Reach us at communityvan@hopelink.org to learn more.

Community Van on Duvall TV!

Want to learn more about Community Van? Watch this [YouTube short on Duvall TV](#)! We had a wonderful time filming and creating this short video about our program. Thank you to Buddy Buck for partnering with us!

Riders' Story - Bachelor Party.

Months ago, a group of 14 young men used the Community Van to get to a bachelor party! Two of our Duvall volunteers, both women with kids of their own, drove the group of men safely to celebrate the bachelor. With the Community Van, they found an affordable and reliable way to get to the party without having to potentially drive under the influence. What a fun way to use the Community Van!

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT OUR PROGRAM:

- No eligibility requirements.
- 2 riders required to schedule a trip.
- 6 and 12 passenger vans available.
- Accessibility accommodations available.
- Pay with Transit GO mobile tickets, any monthly ORCA card, or Human Services Bus Tickets.
- Standard Metro fare: \$2.75
- FREE rides for all youth up to age 18!
- Visit our [website](#) to learn more about our general information.



News and Resources

Partnership Highlight - Hillside Academy!

This month, we would like to highlight and honor our wonderful partners at Hillside Academy! In addition to the great work that's done by the teachers and staff at Hillside Academy, several of their staff members are also volunteer drivers! They drive students to and from school field trips and, when they're not busy wrangling up students, volunteer to drive those in our community. They've been great advocates for Community Van and a wonderful part of our community in Duvall. Thank you, Hillside Academy!

Upcoming Community Van Virtual Info Sessions.

Interested in learning more about Community Van? Come to our next virtual information session! These info sessions are hosted monthly by local Community Van coordinators. Invite your friends, family, and clients to learn more! Contact us at communityvan@hopelink.org for more information.

Snoqualmie Valley Transportation - Open Positions.

Our partners at Snoqualmie Valley Transportation are hiring! Want to find out more? Go to SVTBus.org career pages.

English for Work Registration is Open.

Hopelink is now registering students for our summer and fall English for Work program. English for Work is a free program for immigrants and refugees to prepare for employment in the United States and improve their English language skills. If you have any questions, please contact us at englishforwork@hopelink.org or call our message line at 425-250-3007.

Hopelink Mobile Market in Your Neighborhood!

The Mobile Market continues to distribute food to targeted areas throughout East King County. It provides prepacked boxes of assorted shelf-stable foods and fresh locally grown produce. The food is free of charge and no appointment is necessary. The Mobile Market distributes rain or shine with a covered awning to keep you dry when necessary. Find more information and Mobile Market calendars [here](#).

Ride a Community Van to your local Farmer Market.

With more than 40 farmers markets spread across King County you are never far from farm fresh, local food. Find your Farmers Market [here](#).

BE A LOCAL HERO, BECOME A VOLUNTEER DRIVER!

- Support your community members by helping them get where they need to go.
- Shared rides reduce traffic and lessens environmental impacts.
- Metro pays for the gas, insurance, and maintenance.
- Get where you need to go while helping others.
- For more information visit our [website](#).



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