### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS



# **Carpool Permit Guidelines**

Carpooling is a great way to get to and from campus and is an important alternative to single-occupancy vehicles. It helps minimize impact on the environment, reduces the demand for parking spaces, and decreases traffic congestion.

#### Eligibility

Faculty, staff, and students who are eligible for an individual parking permit may register as a member of a carpool. Students must submit a new carpool registration form each year to the Transportation and Parking Department.

#### **Important Notes**

- Each carpool participant must:
  - register a separate vehicle;
  - work similar hours; and
  - o work in a University location where parking permits are required.
- When registering for a carpool permit, all participants must be present at the Parking office.
- The carpool group is deactivated if a member leaves the group and the account is not updated.
- At least one member must act as the carpool coordinator and has the following responsibilities:
  - Call Transportation and Logistics at (585) 275-4524 when a carpool member leaves the University or leaves the carpool group; and
  - Return the hangtag and AVI tags if the carpool is disbanded. A carpool is considered disbanded when:
    - A carpool member leaves the group and the account is not updated; and/or
    - The payroll deduction has been cancelled from one of the members and the carpool was not updated.
- One shared carpool tag will be issued per carpool and must be transferred back and forth to the registered car of any member of the carpool group.
- Each carpool member will be issued occasional parking passes to use on days when circumstances require members to drive separately.
- If more than one vehicle in the carpool group is on campus, a citation will be issued. Members who need to drive separately from the carpool on any day must use an occasional parking pass to avoid a citation.

## **Guaranteed Ride Home Program**

In the case of emergency, the Transportation and Logistics Department offers a free transportation service to quickly get you where you need to go. Call (585) 275-4524 to arrange your ride.