

### Back to the Future: Carpool & the Transportation Revolution

Josh Fried Nov 7, 2019

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- 2. why is Waze tackling carpool?
- 3. partnering for success

# 1914-1918 The Jitney Craze





## 1941-1945 Patriotic Persuasion



Sources: Oregon State Archives, US Archives and Records Administration

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# 1970-1979 Energy Crisis? Carpool is the answer!



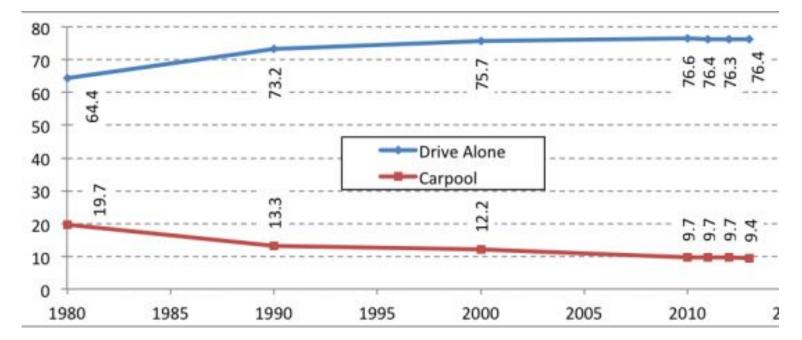
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Double Up, America PSA "Two can ride cheaper than one." https://youtu.be/CxI0v1L1sek

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# **Can America learn to love the carpool?**

85 per cent of American commuters drive to work, most of them alone. But even though ridesharing offers cleaner air, faster travel, greater economy, and less inflation, this situation is not likely to greatly change.



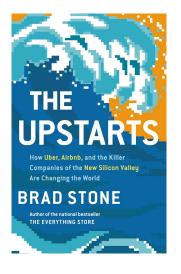
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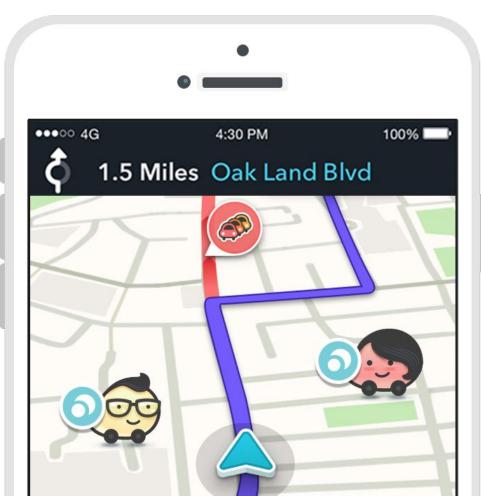
A BRIEF HISTORY OF CARPOOL

## 2010 - today



# 2010 - today smartphones & "upstarts"





### Carpool is everywhere.



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JAMES CORDEN

THE CYRUS FAMILY

JANES CORDEN

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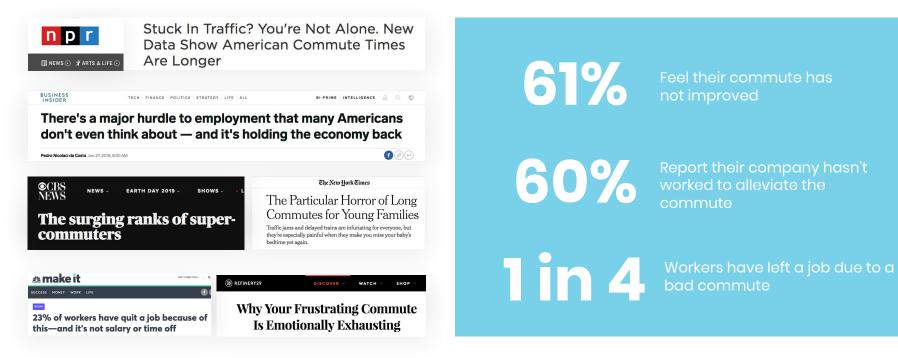


# People are on the move now more than ever.

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# Commuting impacts our health & wellbeing, and employee turnover



#### Traffic congestion costs the US \$87B annually

# **97 hours**

lost by each commuter every year.

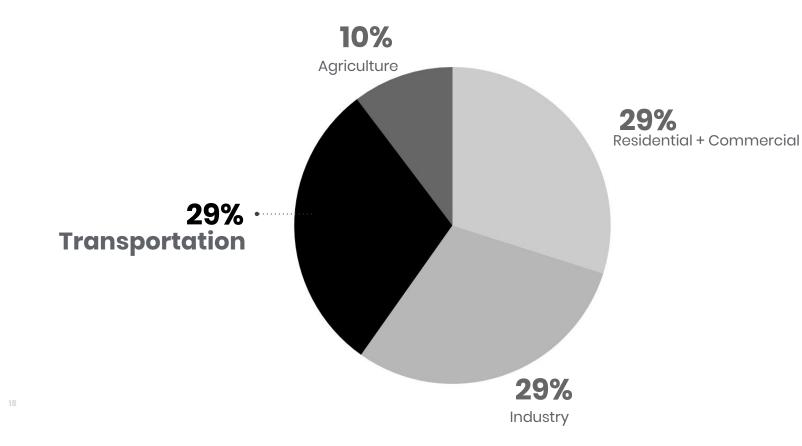
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# **\$87B lost**

to wasted productivity and wasted fuel.

Hours lost/driver/year

#### CO2 Emissions by Sector

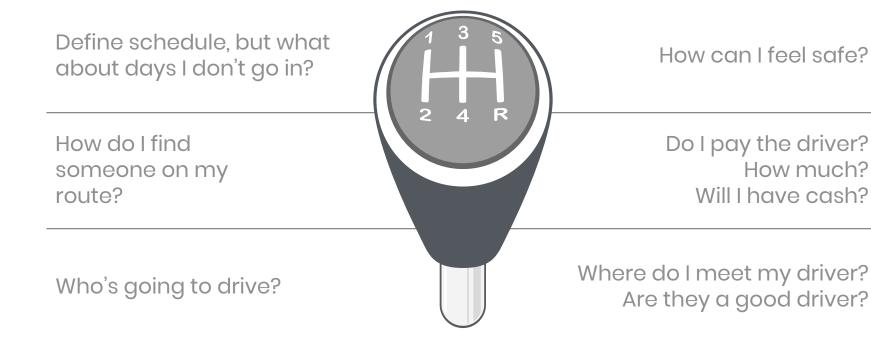


### But carpoolers rank commuting with leisure activities

People who carpool are **38%** More satisfied with their commute



#### To date, carpool planning has been very manual



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### Our Core Belief

The best mobility solutions come from technology that empowers people to work together.

### Our Mission

Change how people move through the world with everyday acts of cooperation.

#### THE WAZE YOU KNOW

#### A navigation app that helps people avoid traffic.

#### THE WAZE YOU WILL KNOW

A mobility platform that helps people move more freely in the communities they live & work in.

# Waze is the world's largest crowd-sourced navigation app

# **130M+**

Monthly Active Users

185+

Countries



# **25B KM**

Driven/Month

60M+

User Reports Per Month

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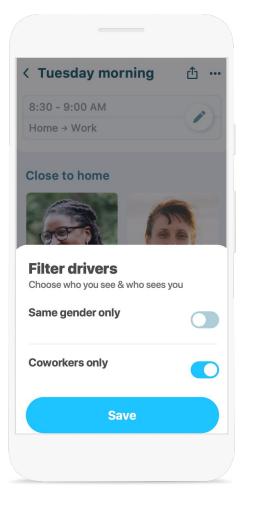
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# 60 people carpooling



### 60 people carpooling





Tuesday eve	ening 🖞 …
5:30 - 6:30 PM	
Work $\rightarrow$ Home	
Close to work	
Amy *****15 rides	Mark 34 rides
Software Engineer at MetaLabs	Software Engineer at MetaLabs
\$6.00 ∱5 min	\$5.00 ☆6 min
Ask	Ask
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5:00pm	to	5:30pm
5:15pm		5:45pm
5:30pm		6:00pm
	Save	

#### Waze's approach to Carpooling







Regular
commuters, not
professional
drivers

Get to know your co-pilot first

Drives happening anyway



Sharing travel costs, not earning

#### Waze Carpool is making inroads







25,000,000

miles shared by Waze Carpoolers in the USA 700,000

global Carpools in October



150,000

trees would need to grow for 10 years to remove the same amount of CO<sub>2</sub> While helping commuters help the greater good

#### "

I totally enjoy the social time with other people who want to go out of their way to take cars off the road. **Every ride is a mini adventure with traffic-conscious neighbors.** 

**Rich Tait** 



#### While helping commuters help the greater good

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I commute to San Jose every day, which is about 160 miles round trip. It just made sense to offer people rides—and earn a few extra dollars for gas and car insurance. **It's a more personal experience, and it's quicker.** 

Ty Taylor



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### Private & Public Partnerships to Date







35

# With momentum to celebrate after our first year, thanks to our partners



#### 28,000+

Carpool riders and drivers joined via partnerships



#### 74,760,000+

miles traveled by Waze Carpool partnerships in the USA



7,971,900

pounds of CO<sub>2</sub> avoided by partner carpoolers



#### 59,791

trees would need to be planted to match partner carpoolers' CO<sub>2</sub> reduction

#### Partner Program's Advantages



#### Building and maintaining parking is costly

Design & Build

Operate and Maintain

(per space cost)

\$3,000



Parking Garage (per space cost) \$21,000

\$500

<sup>38</sup> Source: http://buildabetterburb.org/financing-parking-garages-qa-with-parking-consultant-gerard-giosa/

#### Sustaining Carpool Behavior

#### Partnership & Subsidy's Impact



Subsidy Ends

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