What You Should Know about being a Joy Rider

Since our inception we have realized the vast number of persons who are not part of one of our Chapters, yet they still desperately need transportation. This month Common Courtesy is launching our Joy Ride program replacing the limited previous Friends and Family offering.

What you should know:

Who can join?
Anyone 18 + years of age

Is there a cost to join?
Yes, $25

What is the ride cost?
Ride-Share provider (Lyft, Uber, Zypps)

Can I use my existing Ride-Share app?
No, the system is based on dispatching through ride-share portals by Common Courtesy

How do I get a ride?
You will call the dedicated line provided to you after registration and confirmation

Are there distance limitations?
Yes, 20 miles each way

Are there time limitations?
Yes, M-F 7:30 am to 5:30 pm and S-S 9 am to 2 pm

How do I get started?
Complete CC Registration Form online or on paper. Send to Common Courtesy and wait for confirmation ID assigned

Do I need to join again if I have paid a Fee to be a Friends & Family member previously?
No. Your previous FF ID will be reassigned as JR
Our Mission
*CommonCourtesy, Inc.* offers a dependable system of personal transportation to individuals who need flexible route transportation within a small area of their residence or work, or who, because of the known or unknown risks of driving an automobile, have limited access to personal transportation and the mobility it provides.

Our Support
CommonCourtesy believes that financial support of the CCI administration and ride facilitation will come from both public and private sources, including major corporations, federal, state, and local governments, local retail outlets, service providers, individual donors, and private donations from the Driver/Partners and Rider/Partners.

Our Purpose
CommonCourtesy is a 501c3 qualified nonprofit established in 2009. CCI is committed to providing secure and cost-effective transportation for any person who cannot, or should not, operate a vehicle. Our purpose is two-fold:

1. To develop user-friendly and reliable protocols that allow communities and neighborhoods to implement CommonCourtesy personal transportation partnerships.
2. To create financial support systems to facilitate CommonCourtesy partnership programs.

Our Impact
CommonCourtesy seeks to enhance the quality of life for our in-need clients by drawing on public and private support, as well as other forms of community assistance and local involvement.

Our 2019 Profile
CommonCourtesy continues to hold to its high standards of fiscal responsibility by using 90% of every dollar received to provide direct ride program services. With hundreds of Riders served, rides and services are varied. Data tends to be under-reported, as some volunteers do not report every volunteer hour, in-kind donation, etc. By our estimates, the following numbers are about 85% of the actual figures, as based on media and information we receive via conversations and emails that are provided by our team members.

- 175 = Average Number of Riders per Day
- 44 = Number of Partners/Chapters
- 149 = Total Volunteer Hours, 2018
- 56,782 = Number of All Rides Reported from Inception to Date