

# **CODE OF CONDUCT**

# 1 Agreed is agreed

As soon as an inquiry is confirmed, both hitchhikers will receive each other's contact details so that they can make their arrangements. After the meeting place, time and payment for the driver have been agreed, the inquiry is regarded as binding. If you are unable to join the carpool, you should contact the other hitchhikers as soon as possible. We recommend exchanging mobile phone numbers in case of emergencies.

### 2 Follow the rules

Respect and communication are the magic words. We are convinced that you will be able to get along during this short trip, and that you will show the driver the necessary respect and be open to new ideas. As a general rule, the driver makes the rules. These can then be agreed upon.

# 3 HitchHike - your voice counts

Your acquaintances, colleagues and friends aren't familiar with HitchHike yet – then tell them. Direct and personally and via social media

#### Tell them ...

- ...Why you are a part of the HitchHike community
- ... About your great carpooling experiences
- ...Your personal tip: What is important when hitchhiking

## Register at: sayhi.hitchhike.ch



#### Your voice counts!

- Tell your friends and acquaintances about HItchHike
- Is there a ride-share point at your residence? Your community/town should contact us!

# 4 Fair payment for the driver

The passengers will contribute towards covering the costs of petrol, maintenance and such things as parking fees. In principle, the amount and nature of the payment (in the form of money, a coffee, a sandwich, etc.) is decided by the individual hitchhiker. Before the first trip, the driver and the passengers can come to an agreement by making arrangements via phone or e-mail.

$$\frac{\textit{Cost per person}}{\textit{Number of persons in car}} = \frac{\textit{Parking fee} + \textit{Consumption} \times \textit{Route}}{\textit{Number of persons in car}}$$

#### Example with 2 persons in the car

Parking fee (22 working days/month)	Operating costs	Route: Round trip	
CHF 100/ month = CHF 4.55 per working day	CHF 0.71 per km (Source: TCS)	Olten - Berne - Olten = 132 km	
Cost per person = $\frac{CHF  4.55 + \frac{CHF  0.71}{km} \times  132  km}{2} = CHF  49.15$			

Parking fee	Operating costs	Route: Outbound trip	
free of charge	CHF 0.71 per km (Source: TCS)	Baden - Zurich = 23 km	
$Cost per person = \frac{CHF \ 0.00 + \frac{CHF \ 0.71}{km} \times 23 \ km}{2} = CHF \ 8.15$			

Parking fee	Operating costs	Route: Outbound trip	
free of charge	EUR 0.50 per km (approx. average value, source: ADAC)	Chambéry - Geneva = 87 km	
$Cost per person = \frac{EUR\ 0.00\ + \frac{EUR\ 0.50}{km} \times\ 87\ km}{2} = EUR\ 21.75$			

Parking fee	Operating costs	Route: Outbound trip	
EUR 18 per day	EUR 0.50 per km (approx. average value, source: ADAC)	Freiburg im Breisgau - Basel = 70 km	
Cost p. person = $\frac{EUR\ 18.00\ + \frac{EUR\ 0.50}{km} \times\ 70\ km}{2} = EUR\ 26.50$			

