



# SmartWay<sup>®</sup>

A cleaner future of freight transportation

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# Topics

- What is the EPA's SmartWay program?
- Why is it important?
- UI's History with SmartWay
- Our role as an Affiliate
- How F&S Transportation can get involved
- Follow up



# What is SmartWay Program?

- Established in 2004 by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to reduce freight transportation emissions
- Can become involved in two different ways:
  - SmartWay Partner
    - Companies that ship, manage, or haul freight
    - Can join program by meeting certain standards of fuel efficiency
  - SmartWay Affiliate
    - Companies or organizations that do not ship goods directly
    - Can help to promote sustainability by spreading the word about the program



# Why is SmartWay important?

The transportation sector accounts for the largest portion of greenhouse gas emissions

By 2050, global freight emissions are expected to surpass passenger vehicle emissions

Since 2004, the SmartWay Program has helped to save over 280 million barrels of oil and \$37.5 billion on fuel costs



# The University of Illinois and SmartWay

- University of Illinois's commitment to leadership- especially when it comes to sustainability
- Dining Services became a registered SmartWay Partner in 2013
- Board of Trustee signed agreement for University of Illinois system Summer 2020
  - Recommended by a SWATeam in 2018
  - Initiated by a first-year engineering student
  - Given to F&S Sustainability to help move along on campus



Demonstrates our  
commitment to  
sustainability



Helps to reduce our  
impact on global  
emissions



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# Affiliate Status

- The University of Illinois system is a registered system
  - All locations hold this status
- As a SmartWay Affiliate, our role is to:
  - Share information about the SmartWay program with shipping partners
  - Promote freight efficiency through campus initiatives



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# Getting F&S Transportation involved!

The screenshot shows the website's navigation bar with 'Facilities & Services' and a search box. The main content area is titled 'TRANSPORTATION & AUTOMOTIVE SERVICES' and includes sections for 'CAR POOL' and 'UI RIDE'. The 'CAR POOL' section lists contact information and address. The 'UI RIDE' section includes a video player showing the UI RIDE logo and a notice about service suspension.

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Transportation & Automotive Services (TAS) includes the Car Pool, Garage, and Transportation. TAS provides fleet management services for the entire campus, including vehicle and equipment maintenance and repair, vehicle rental, oversight for campus vehicle purchases and operations, and transportation services ranging from material delivery to snow removal.

**UI RIDE**

(September, 2020 Update): UI Ride is suspending service through the end of the calendar year due to the impact of COVID-19 on travel between our universities. If you have any questions, please contact us at [uiride@uillinois.edu](mailto:uiride@uillinois.edu) or (217)-333-7433.

**CAR POOL**

Phone: 217-333-3910

Email: [stugcp@mx.uillinois.edu](mailto:stugcp@mx.uillinois.edu)

Address:  
1701 South Oak Street  
Champaign, MC-813

Vehicle Pickup:  
Mon - Fri 6:30 am - 9:00 pm  
Sat - Sun 6:00 am - 1:00 pm

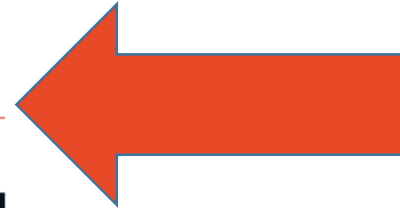
**GARAGE**

Phone: 217-333-3912

Address:  
1701 South Oak Street  
Champaign, MC-813

## Website promotion

Allow us to share our SmartWay status on your website!





# Moving forward

- Spring check-in
- Periodic updates from us on progress made by other campus departments
- Ideas on how F&S can help with SmartWay recognition around campus
  - D. Hiser in signature
  - Small image recognition(decal, dashboard, **key chain/carpool checkout**)
  - F&S Drivers: 25 total, include in training? Flyer drop off
  - Present on the UI climate commitments, iCAP
    - Brown bag presentation 😊(D&I or sustainability series)





# Ideas list cont.

- How F&S T is involved with other shippers
  - Bulk material shippers
  - Propose a conversation about our SmartWay status (FA 2021?)
    - AMS Elite Solutions
- Physical locations
  - Carpool counter



Thank you 😊

