

This is Shawn.

Shawn and his wife live in Cambridge, where he grew up. Shawn loves all of what Waterloo Region has to offer. Shawn works in the technology sector in Toronto where his career has flourished.

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Shawn's commuting struggle

Shawn has been commuting for 7 years to Toronto and spends about 4 hours on average per day in transit. Heavy traffic and Milton GO Train delays further increase his travel time. Shawn's challenging commute significantly cuts into the time he wishes he could spend with friends and family. He and his wife plan to grow their own family in Cambridge.

In addition to the time lost, it's costly for Shawn to get to and from Toronto for work. On average, Shawn spends about \$150/week in gas, GO shuttle related costs, and parking. Shawn spends about 1,000 hours/year in transit. That's nearly 7,000 hours spent getting to and from work since he started. He already misses out on many corporate social events and his schedule is often disrupted by unpredictable travel times. He has considered looking for a similar job closer to home but has found it difficult to find the same type of job opportunity.

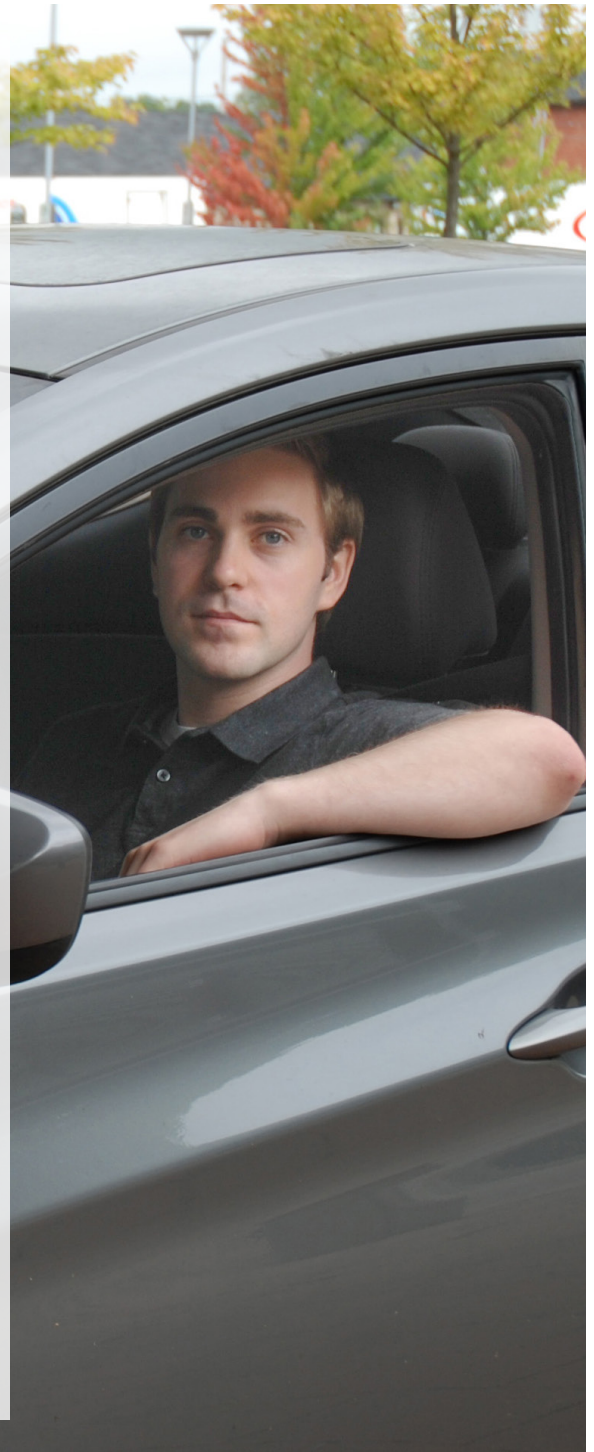
What would help Shawn?

GO Trains to Cambridge.

GO train to Cambridge "would be like night and day" Shawn explained. The ideal solution would include several "opportunities to take the trains to and from Toronto, including some more direct express options." He would prefer not to have to drive on Highway 401 or worry that staying late at the office could mean being stranded.

Shawn loves living in Cambridge and he loves working in Toronto. This is how a regional economy works.

Shawn's challenging commute limits his ability to accelerate his career in Toronto and to build a healthy family life in Cambridge. GO Train from Cambridge to Toronto would give Shawn, and so many others, the transit solution he needs.



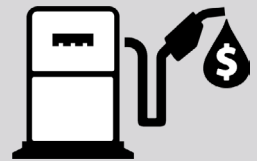
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avg. wake up time



4 hours
per day commuting



1,000 hrs
per year commuting



\$6,000
per year in gas



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