

Community: HOK's Toronto Office Transit Options

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A lot can be accomplished just by choosing a location with easy access to public transportation, according to a voluntary survey of HOK's Toronto staff. Two street-car lines run past the front door, and just under half of the respondents regularly use public transit to get to work, with nearly another third normally biking or walking. This graphic breaks down the percentages and distances of one office's commuting habits: the tally helps to explain why the firm's new office gets points—from the U.S. Green Building Council as well as from *Metropolis*—for its urban accessibility.



3.1 miles or less
3.1-6.2 miles
6.2-9.3 miles
9.3-12.4 miles
12.4 miles or greater

Bike
Drive
Public Transit
Public Transit or Bike
Walk
Walk or Bike

91 TOTAL RESPONSES		
4	Bike	4%
19	Drive	21%
45	Public Transit	49%
14	Public Transit or Bike	15%
6	Walk	7%
3	Walk or Bike	3%

68 EMPLOYEES IN TORONTO AREA		
12	Drive	18%
56	Public Transit/Walk/Bike	82%

24 EMPLOYEES IN SURROUNDING AREAS		
8	Drive	33%
16	Public Transit/Walk/Bike	67%