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# Georgetown’s 28.2-minute commute is the 6th best in Williamson County

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Georgetown ranks #6 among its county peers on average commute time, a notable achievement in a region with rising population and infrastructure strain.

This 28.2-minute average reflects a well-distributed workforce and efficient urban planning. Unlike many rapidly expanding suburbs, Georgetown has maintained transit accessibility despite growth. The figure is a true mean, derived from actual travel time data, not a bucketed midpoint, making it a reliable benchmark for livability.



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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2024 · ALEX Intelligence computation
https://alex-companies.com/data/2026-11-06-georgetown-tx-commute-place-long

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# Low commute time drives talent retention

In a competitive labor market, Georgetown's 28.2-minute average commute stands out as a strategic advantage. High-value professionals in tech, healthcare, and logistics prioritize locations with predictable, short commutes. This efficiency reduces burnout, improves work-life balance, and supports sustained workforce engagement — critical in an economy where talent acquisition is more expensive than ever.

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## Commuting efficiency shapes development quality

The city’s strong commute performance is not accidental — it reflects forward-looking zoning, mixed-use corridors, and transit-oriented development. Unlike places that prioritize sprawl, Georgetown’s planning has focused on walkability and connectivity. This model attracts higher-income, knowledge-based industries, reinforcing a cycle of investment, infrastructure refinement, and premium housing demand.

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