

The following information is offered as a starting place from which you might arrange your transportation needs to/from ORD or Midway and the Hilton Garden in Evanston.

This link is from City of Evanston and lists transportation options:

<https://www.cityofevanston.org/about-evanston/getting-around/cars-taxi-cabs>

From our original transportation tips, I also offer this:

- If you are comfortable, reach out to another participant and meet-up to share a taxi.
- Be sure to select a taxi familiar with going to/from Evanston and ORD (or Midway).
- After you have selected/contacted a taxi, exit the appropriate door (A, B,C, D), cross the first lane of traffic and proceed to the middle island where suburban taxis and limousines are allowed to pick up their passengers. Be sure to cross the first lane of traffic. (Taxis just outside the exit doors in the first lane of traffic are Chicago taxis which not only charge more, but the drivers frequently are unfamiliar with the Evanston area)
- In a reasonable amount of time, as taxis pull up, look for the number of the taxi that was given to you. Tell the driver which hotel to go to; example could be Hilton Garden Inn Chicago North Shore/Evanston at 1818 Maple Avenue.
- Some of the taxi cabs charge a flat rate (rather than a metered rate), this also applies to your trip from Evanston back to the airport, see below the rates charged by each taxi company.

In recent years, several of us have used Igor Shtogryn who offers a private limo service with competitive prices. Igor is a very nice person and can be reached at +1 (773) 343-0715 or tiptoplimo@gmail.com. Be sure to mention Rotary and PETS Alliance meeting.