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Transform your city's streets for World Car Free Day, 22 September 2021

Every year on 22 September, the world gets together to take the heat off the planet for just one day. By encouraging people to be less dependent on cars and use more environmentally friendly alternatives, we can all reduce dangerous carbon emissions and help protect our environment.

Today, there are over one billion cars on the roads adding a dangerous amount of pollution, which can damage our lungs, contribute to atmospheric haze and an increased amount of carbon monoxide. For one day, we urge you to try to avoid using your car and instead why not try cycling, walking, using public transport or carpooling with your colleagues.

As the climate heats up, World Car Free Day is also a great time to put pressure on city planners and politicians to give priority to cycling, walking and public transport. Let World Car Free Day be a showcase for just how our cities might look like, feel like, and sound like without cars 365 days a year.

Check out World Car Free Network's [resources](#) and find inspiration there, find potential allies in your area and become an activist for car free day today. If you have any questions or want to organise your own event, simply send info about your local event to infocarfreeday@gmail.com

See you on the streets! #CarFreeDay .

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